

# the BEAT

Owning and operating a business in Greenville can be hard. That's why we've made things a little easier for you by providing quick bits on who's moving in and who's moving up in the world of Greenville business. Because while knowing your business is your job, knowing Greenville's business is ours.

AERIE Engineering is pleased to announce that **Shirley Brown** has joined the team as Technical Specialist working in the Document Management Division.

The Greenville Water Commission announced the selection of **David H. Bereskin** as CEO of the Greenville Water System.

Immedion has hired **Laura Tate Bell** as their new Director of Finance and Administration.

Nachman Norwood & Parrott Wealth Management Consultancy announced that **Anna Beninate** has joined the company.

Hanger Prosthetics and Orthotics welcomes Certified Pedorthist **Mary Welbaum** to its Upstate group of patient care centers. **Dara Ross, CO** has been promoted to Practice Manager of its two Greenville patient care centers.

The Palmetto Bank announced the hiring of **Richard C. (Rick) Stanland, III** to Vice President, Commercial Relationship Manager, Anderson and Oconee counties.

Ten at the Top (TATT), an organization created to foster collaboration and

planning in the Upstate region, has added five new members to its current 40-member board comprised of business, non-profit and civic leaders from the ten different counties in the Upstate. The new members include: **Chandra Dillard** – Representative, South Carolina State House; and Director of Community Relations, Furman University, **Phillip Kilgore** – Shareholder, Ogletree, Deakins, Nash, Smoak & Stewart, **Evelyn Lugo** – President, South Carolina Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, **Ivan Randolph** – Superintendent, Abbeville County Public Schools and **Ann Wright** – CEO, Red Cross of the Upstate

Carolina Capital Management, an office of New England Financial, is pleased to announce that **Chuck Feather** has joined the firm as a Financial Representative.

**Shannon Harvey** is among an elite group of Allstate insurance agents who recently earned the "Personal Financial Representative" title. Harvey will now be able to provide customers variable annuity, variable life and mutual fund products, in addition to auto, homeowner and traditional life insurance products.

The law firm of Gallivan, White & Boyd announces the election of **James M. Dedman, IV** as a Partner.

Craig Gaulden Davis is pleased to announce that **Stuart Stenger, AIA, LEED AP** is a licensed architect, has successfully completed the Architect Registration Exam (ARE) earlier this fall.

**David Field**, CCIM of NAI Earle Furman has been named Commercial Realtor of the Year by The Greater Greenville Association of Realtors.

**Tom Dillard**, president of Dillard-Jones Builders LLC has been named to the Board of Directors of the *Southern Living* Custom Builder Program.

**Karah Viola** has joined St. Joseph's Catholic School as the Director of College Guidance.

Greenville EyeCare Associates, a provider of comprehensive eye healthcare services, announced that **Donna Ortiz** has joined the customer care team to serve Hispanic patients.

**Mary Jeffrey**, formerly Chief Human Resources Officer with The South Financial Group, has recently joined The Hayes Group International as a Senior Consultant. She is the Leader of the Hayes



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Group's Human Resources Consulting Practice based in Greenville.

### Sherry Barrett

recently joined the Upstate Forever team, accepting the position of Program Associate for the Sustainable Communities program. She will be working in the Spartanburg office with the primary responsibility of implementing a two year grant from the Mary Black Foundation dedicated to the impacts of land use planning on public health. Barrett will also assist with related strategies and initiatives to achieve the vision and goals of Upstate Forever.

SHiFT, a creative solutions marketing and interactive agency in downtown

Greenville announced the addition of **Zach Suggs** as its Digital Media Specialist.

**Scott Powell**, leader of K12 design for Craig Gaulden Davis, recently served a juror for a national American Institute of Architectural Students (AIAS) design competition. Winners were selected from nearly 200 entries from architectural schools across the country.

Goodwyn, Mills and Cawood, Inc. has hired **Mary Catherine Price, EI**, to expand the Municipal Engineering team in the Greenville, South Carolina office.

**Paige B. Franklin**, has recently joined INVEST Trust Services located in Greenville, SC

KTM Solutions, Inc. has promoted **Thomas D. (Dev) Belflower P.E.** to Chief Engineer, Aerospace and Automotive programs.

Local optometrist **Stephanie Southerlin, O.D.**, will open Southerlin Family Eye Care this month in the Woodruff Road Professional Park.

VantagePoint Marketing, has expanded its client services team with the addition of **Dianne Wilson** as account executive.

Two Interim HealthCare Hospice employees received high honors this November at the 2010 South Carolina Home Care and Hospice Association conference in Columbia, S.C. **Allyson Helvie** was

chosen as Professional of the Year for her clinical care. **Donna Littlejohn** was selected as In-Home Aide of the Year.

**Ryan Tollefson** has accepted the position of Executive Director for The SC Mountains to Midlands Affiliate of Susan G. Komen for the Cure.

**Robin E. Taylor** has been inducted into the AICPA Business Valuation Hall of Fame at this year's AICPA National Business Valuation Conference. ■



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- BREAKFAST: 6:30am - 11am (Sat. & Sun. Opens at 7am)
- LUNCH: 11am - 2pm
- DINNER: 5pm - 10pm
- BAR: 4pm - 12pm (Sun. Closed: No corkage fees)

**Additional Services:**

- PRIVATE DINING ROOMS
- CATERING

### Featured Menu Items:

- 🌀 **PINEAPPLE CURRY CRAB**  
lump crab meat, pineapple, cilantro & fresh squeezed lime juice stacked on fried wontons
- 🌀 **SESEAME SEARED TUNA**  
pickled cucumber & a shallots on teriyaki glazed seared tuna, topped with wasabi mayo & soy confetti
- 🌀 **GIATU SALAD**  
fresh pear & chai tea candied pecans tossed in pomegranate molasses vinaigrette
- 🌀 **BISON MEATLOAF**  
topped with guinness demiglace & served with bacon & smoked cheddar macaroni
- 🌀 **DELMONICO STEAK**  
16oz ribeye marinated in sage, annatto & montreal seasoning with cheddar mashed potatoes
- 🌀 **PAN SEARED MAHI MAHI**  
stacked on fresh herb salad with lemon & basil-infused oils

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