

ROBERT L. KIND NAMED TO FORBES BEST-IN-STATE CPAS LIST

Albany, NY: Teal, Becker & Chiaramonte, CPAs, P.C. (TBC), a leading CPA firm in New York's Capital Region, announces Rob Kind, Managing Shareholder, has been named to Forbes Best-In-State CPAs list.

Forbes has produced an inaugural America's Best-In-State CPAs list. Created exclusively by *Forbes* editorial staff, it is a compilation of the finest CPAs active in public practice, culled from a collection of candidates sourced through independent nominations and recognitions from numerous associations of CPAs. Those nominated were rated on a range of weighted criteria, including expertise, innovation, thought leadership, experience, and service to the community and to their profession. Rob is the only CPA from the Capital Region to receive this honor.

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Rob works with a broad and diverse client base, with a particular emphasis on construction contractors and real estate developers. He also provides specialized auditing and tax services to clients in the hospitality industry, automotive dealerships, and professional service practices.

In addition to his technical expertise, Rob plays a key leadership role in the day-to-day operations of the Firm, guiding administrative functions and collaborating with colleagues to maintain a positive, productive workplace culture. As Managing Shareholder, he is instrumental in shaping and executing the Firm's strategic vision for long-term success.

TBC, a longstanding member of CPAmerica Inc., a member of Crowe Global, offers a complete range of services tailored to provide customized accounting, tax, and comprehensive financial expertise. Serving thousands of clients, TBC excels in areas such as accounting, auditing, tax, advisory services, trusts and estates, business advisory, and pension services.

The Firm's commitment to excellence has been consistently recognized, with accolades including being named a "Top Workplace" by the *Times Union* for fourteen consecutive years and #1 mid-size company in 2024, and "Best Places to Work" by the *Albany Business Review*. TBC has also received recognition as "America's Best Tax and Accounting Firms" by *Forbes* in 2021, 2022, and 2023, and is included in *Inside Accounting* as a Top 300 Firm.

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