

CPAS AND BUSINESS ADVISORS



Accounting Experts for Professional Services

CST Group has been serving businesses in the Washington, D.C. metro area for over 40 years. We understand the wide range of challenges unique to professional service firms and work to create customized solutions to meet those challenges. Allow our experts to assist you with your accounting needs and provide unparalleled business guidance to ensure your success.

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We move at the pace of D.C. business.

CST Group helps businesses in the Washington, D.C. area grow smarter and stronger with expert accounting, business advisory and tax services. Our future is your future – let's get started.



Allow our trusted professionals to work as an extension of your team.

For more than 40 years, CST Group has served clients across a wide range of industries, including real estate, government contracting, small businesses, healthcare, non-profit, professional services, construction and technology.

Our CPAs are experienced professionals dedicated to delivering timely, personalized services to our clients. We are consistently ranked among the region's top CPA firms.

We understand that each client is different, and each deserves an approach tailored to their needs. Our team of CPAs leverage their years of experience and industry-specific knowledge to provide the most advantageous solutions

to our clients' most pressing accounting, tax and business challenges.

By staying abreast of the latest - and pending - rules and regulations, we help our clients make the wisest financial and business decisions.

Over the years, CST Group has built long-term relationships - with both our clients and our employees - rooted in trust, transparency, and respect. Nearly 900 of our clients have been with us a decade or more; nearly 200 have been with us for a quarter century or longer, and we are named as one of Virginia's Best Places to Work year after year.



Experts & Business Advisors

At CST Group, our people are our greatest assets. Our team of CPAs is comprised of leaders with specialized industry expertise and long lists of professional certifications, affiliations and accomplishments



CST Group's mission is to deliver forward-thinking, client-centric accounting services. We accelerate our clients' success with innovative and effective solutions to their most pressing accounting, tax, and financial challenges.



ACCOUNTING, AUDITING, AND ASSURANCE

Our accounting, auditing and assurance services help businesses streamline financial processes and improve financial reporting.





FORENSIC ACCOUNTING

Should your company encounter fraud, partnership disputes, mismanagement or become involved in litigation, our experienced forensic accountants can help.





TAX SERVICES

We offer integrated and comprehensive tax planning and compliance strategies designed to fit our clients' specific needs.





MERGERS AND ACQUISITIONS

Whether you're buying, selling, or merging with another company, we help your business protect its interests and minimize taxes throughout the process.

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BUSINESS ADVISORY SERVICES

Our top-tier professionals deliver unparalleled business and financial consulting services for companies of all sizes across the D.C. area.

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EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLAN AUDITS

Our audit professionals work diligently to ensure your organization's annual retirement plan audit is compliant with appropriate reporting and disclosure requirements.

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Professional Service Expertise

Our team of partners at CST Group has the unique experience and accounting expertise required to deliver optimal tax and financial solutions to professional service organizations around the Washington, D.C. region.



CST Group recognizes the unique needs and challenges of professional service firms. We develop solutions and strategies that maximize benefits and opportunities in both the short and long term.

We support clients across the professional services sector, including attorneys, wealth managers, financial advisors, staffing firms, event planners, architects and engineers.

Our custom solutions are designed to help professional service firms minimize their tax burden and optimize cash flow. We provide expert guidance so you can make the best decisions throughout the business lifecycle, whether you're launching a new service line or embarking on a merger or acquisition.

Our specialized services include:

- · Strategic planning
- · Profitability analysis
- · Business succession planning
- · Budgeting and forecasting
- · Operations review

- · Cash flow management
- Incentive-based compensation structuring
- Key performance indicator (KPI) development
- Pension and profit sharing quidance
- Technology consulting and support
- · Internal control review
- · Forensic/fraud services
- Merger and acquisition due diligence
- All federal, state, and local income tax return preparation
- IRS and state audit representation
- · Estate and gift tax planning
- · Executive compensation
- Valuation and transaction consulting



In Our Clients' Words

CST Group supports some of the most recognizable professional service providers across the D.C. metro area.



"We have developed a unique and collaborative relationship working with the CST Group over the past 15 years. What stands out the most to me is just how much CST Group's people—from the firm's leaders to the staff accountants—care personally about our wellbeing. They really have a passion for what they do and provide an incredible level of service to their clients. CST Group has a tremendous depth of expertise and resources, yet they maintain the right personal touch with a level of responsiveness that is second-to-none. Our clients who have worked with CST Group have had a unanimously positive experience."

~ Christopher Krell, Principal, Cassaday & Company

"CST Group's team has an unmatched depth of experience. Their team of CPAs has a diverse talent pool to assist in all areas of accounting. Not only are they extremely responsive, but they have taken the time to get to know each division of our company and each division's individual needs and issues. They are well-connected in the community and have been instrumental in helping us build relationships with key banking and financial institutions as well."

~Jon Bucklaw, President, MedForce, Inc.



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CST Group has not only served as our firm's CPA but over the tenure of our longstanding relationship, we've referred many individuals who have become mutual clients. We have tremendous confidence in their abilities both in terms of meeting our law firm's accounting needs as well as the income tax and other accounting needs of the clients we refer. I know when I refer clients to CST Group that they will receive responsive service and great advice.

~Donna Fincher, Principal, Vaughan, Fincher & Sotelo PC

