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## **BiggsKofford and McNew & Associates form Alliance**

We are proud to announce a newly formed strategic alliance with McNew & Associates, a local government contracting consulting business. McNew & Associates (McNew) will be joining the office of BiggsKofford and allowing for the specialty areas of expertise from both companies to help clients involved in government contracting with not only accounting, tax and financial consulting, but also government contract management services. McNew will continue to have a stand-alone office in the Colorado Springs Technology Incubator.

“We are excited about this alignment with McNew and Associates,” said Chris Blee, CEO of BiggsKofford. “No other CPA firm in Colorado has developed a specialty niche in government contracting like this, and we are glad to expand our service offerings with McNew & Associates through joint consulting in this industry. After the Federal Government passed several spending bills, many companies have seen the positive impact of moving into government contracting to generate revenue. We want to be able to assist these companies with the specialized accounting and contract administration that is expected from the government. With this alliance, we are able to truly offer a great balance of professional services to these government contractors.”

In similar news, one of BiggsKofford’s directors, Michael McDevitt serves as the Chairman of the Board for the newly formed Procurement Technical Assistance Center (PTAC), a non-profit entity supported by the US Department of Defense and the State of Colorado to assist Colorado companies that want to do business with the federal, state and local governments. BiggsKofford was instrumental in negotiating with State and Federal officials to locate Colorado’s only PTAC office, located in Colorado Springs.

### **About McNew & Associates:**

With clients across the United States, McNew & Associates offers experienced consultants in the areas of Government Cost Accounting, Proposal Management & Pricing, Contract/Subcontract Administration, and DCAA Compliance & Other Advisory services. The McNew & Associates team also has a staff of consultants who have worked for the Defense Contract Audit Agency (DCAA), which enables them to help businesses navigate through and succeed in government contracting.

### **About BiggsKofford:**

Founded in 1982, Colorado Springs-based BiggsKofford currently employs more than 25 people. BiggsKofford offers integrated business solutions, including tax, accounting, merger and acquisitions, outsourced CFO services, business valuation and litigation support.