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Fred Decosimo is a principal with Decosimo's Chattanooga office and has more than 30 years of experience in both public accounting and consulting services.

Fred's extensive experience includes private equity capital formation and assisting clients in obtaining both private and public funding. His corporate finance experience encompasses bank debt negotiations, due diligence preceding acquisitions and mergers, litigation support, structuring limited partnerships joint ventures and equity investments. His industry experience covers the medical, manufacturing, real estate, bulk vending and distribution fields. Fred has consulted and/or arranged the debt and equity financing of numerous multi-family and single-family residential projects, retail projects, resort properties and mixed use properties throughout the Southeast. He also has extensive investor and principal development experience.

Fred works extensively with family-owned businesses and counsels them on ownership alternatives, management and organizational structure.

His consulting experience includes assistance from start-up through initial public offerings and later stage offerings of companies in medical services and manufacturing.

Fred is an active community leader and serves on numerous civic boards. In 2002, he served as chairman of the United Way of Greater Chattanooga campaign.

Fred received a Bachelor of Business Administration degree with honors from the University of Georgia and a Master of Business Administration degree from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill's Kenan-Flagler Business School. He was awarded the Certified Public Accountant (CPA) designation in 1978.