

WELD, RILEY, PRENN & RICCI, S.C.
ELECTS NEW SHAREHOLDERS

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EAU CLAIRE – The law firm of Weld, Riley, Prenn and Ricci, S.C. is pleased to announce attorneys Pamela M. Macal, William J. Spangler, and Andrea M. Voelker have been elected Shareholders by the firm, effective July 1, 2008.

Andrea M. Voelker is a member of the firm's Labor Section and represents school districts, municipalities and private employers regarding labor and employment matters. She assists employers in building and stabilizing effective labor relations. Her experience and knowledge helps her clients manage labor issues proactively, through training, policy and collective bargaining.

Andrea has been with the firm since 2006. She graduated with distinction from the University of Wisconsin-Madison with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Behavioral Science and Law and received her law degree, cum laude, from the University of Wisconsin Law School. She is married and resides with her husband in Hudson.

Pamela M. Macal is a member of the firm's Labor Section and provides public and private labor clients with a variety of benefit issues including, ESOP plans, stock bonus plans, COBRA, health and dental plans and personnel policies. She keeps up-to-date with benefit issues and emerging legal trends. Her experience and knowledge helps provide clients with practical solutions to benefit and compensation challenges.

Pamela has been with the firm since 2003. She graduated and received her Bachelor's Degree in Economics from Pomona College. She received her law degree from the University of Wisconsin Law School. She is married and resides with her husband and two children in Eau Claire.

William J. Spangler is a member of the firm's Business, Real Estate and Estate Planning Section and represents clients with business formation and business acquisition, commercial and residential real estate and estate planning. His representation of a wide variety of business entities and individuals in diverse situations has prepared Bill to approach complicated transactions with a practical understanding of business and business law. Bill also serves as council president for the City of Altoona.

Bill has been with the firm since May 2003. He graduated with distinction from the University of Wisconsin-Madison with degrees in History and Political Science and received his law degree, cum laude, from Hamline University School of Law. He is married and resides with his wife and daughter in Altoona.

The Weld, Riley, Prenn and Ricci firm was formed in 1991 and has grown to 31 full-time attorneys. The firm practices in all major areas of the law and is comprised of a Litigation, Labor and Employment, Business and Real Estate and Government Relations Sections. The firm employs 62 people and is the largest law firm in the Chippewa Valley.