

Reach Your Audit's "Finish Line" with Audit Ease™ from CMF



OVERVIEW

CMF's financial and operational management consulting services are built to help middle-market and small cap company owners and executives manage complex business projects, facilitate successful business transformation, and prepare for growth.

Our **Audit Ease™** service provides expert financial/accounting and project management resources to ensure proper preparation for and completion of financial audits necessary for the next phase in your company's progression. The service involves working with your finance team and external auditors to conclude annual audits, as well as transaction-related back-year and opening balance sheet audits, quickly.

THE CMF DIFFERENCE

- **We function as an independent resource for navigating complex audits**

An audit's increasing regulatory complexity can strain your accounting department's time and skill set — and post-SOX independence issues prevent audit firms from actively helping your team prepare. CMF's solution bridges internal resource or time gaps, preparing schedules and reports on your behalf while maintaining the required independence for the audit firm.

- **We have worked audit issues through with all of the Big 4 national offices**

CMF's dedicated Audit Ease team is comprised of seasoned Big 4 alums and middle-market financial management veterans. Our informed experience enables us to pragmatically approach the audit and keep it moving in the right direction — while maintaining sensitivity to your time and operations issues. We have worked with the all Big 4 national offices to resolve issues for clients like you.

- **Our complete audit management support keeps you focused on operations**

With CMF providing project management for your audit, your team can focus on finance operations and internal reporting issues, and you can take time to address EBITDA-enhancing activities. In addition, we mentor and teach your team, transferring our valuable skills and establishing repeatable processes to improve ongoing accounting operations.

SERVICE DETAILS

CMF's Audit Ease service includes the following activities:

- Audit preparation and project management
- Management of audit schedule preparation
- Documentation of process control narratives, system flow charts and control matrices
- Completion of tax provision
- Completion of first draft of financial statement, including footnotes

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