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Maximizing Tax Time Seminar Planned

SCRANTON, PA, December 20, 2006—On January 1st do you start dreading tax time? Does the thought of sifting through papers and receipts, trying to find everything your accountant needs, make you cringe?

Tax preparation can get very confusing, very fast if your records aren't in order. Not to mention the deductions! Are you getting all that you deserve? There isn't one perfect way for you to organization your tax records, but there are things you can be doing all year long to make the entire process a lot less painful – for you and your accountant.

You can't afford to miss this Small Business Institute Lunch & Learn seminar! The seminar is sponsored by Community Bank and Trust Co. and Bold Gold Media Group. The Small Business Institute program is hosted by MetroAction, Inc., the community development arm of the Chamber. David Walter of AAA Accounting and Tax Services will present this informative seminar. Anyone who files taxes can benefit from this seminar!

The seminar will be held on Wednesday, January 17, 2007 from noon through 2:00 PM at the Chamber. The registration fee is \$35 per person and a box lunch may be purchased for an additional \$10. The deadline for registrations is January 12. Seating is limited!

The Small Business Institute Lunch & Learn seminar series features various topics that will keep businesses of all sizes competitive in today's business environment. These seminars are open to all business owners and professionals. Box lunches can be purchased for a small fee.

For more information on the Small Business Institute Lunch & Learn seminar series visit www.MetroAction.org or contact Christina Hitchcock, 570.342.7711, e-mail chitchcock@scrantonchamber.com. For secure registration to this Small Business Institute Lunch & Learn seminar and other upcoming Chamber events, visit www.scrantonchamber.com.

MetroAction, Inc. is a non-profit community development organization that provides small business financing and training. Over the past nine years, MetroAction has provided more than \$2 million in small business loans to more than 140 businesses throughout Northeastern PA.

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