

## **Aprio Expands in Southern California with the Addition of Audit Partner Joseph Ventura**

**LOS ANGELES**— November 2, 2023 – [Aprio, LLP](#), the No. 1 fastest-growing business advisory and accounting firm in the U.S., is thrilled to welcome [Joseph Ventura](#) as an Audit Partner based in Los Angeles, California.

Joseph joins Aprio with more than 15 years of experience delivering audit and advisory services to closely-held development stage startups to established multinational corporations and companies in the manufacturing and distribution, real estate, technology and entertainment industries. He specializes in performing financial statement audits, reviews and compilations, and consulting services relating to complex accounting matters including business combinations, stock-based compensation and other equity transactions.

With established locations in San Francisco and Walnut Creek, CA, Aprio is excited to establish a presence in Los Angeles with Joseph's addition. He will play a pivotal role in elevating Aprio's presence and growth potential across Southern California.

"With Joseph joining the Aprio team, we will achieve greater success and enhance our service to clients with operations on the West Coast and beyond," states [Tom Neff](#), West Region Managing Partner. "Joseph's ability to help clients stay ahead of the curve and adapt quickly will help position them for sustainable growth. His addition will accelerate the growth of our audit services and expansion of the manufacturing, real estate and technology practices."

Prior to joining Aprio, Joseph served as an audit and assurance partner at Citrin Cooperman. He is a CPA and a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and the California Society of CPAs. He received a bachelor's degree in business management and economics from the University of California, Santa Cruz.

"As a trusted business advisor, I strive to develop strong connections with our clients, making insightful recommendations that not only enhance the efficiency and accuracy of their financial reporting but help them prepare for tomorrow. With Aprio, I look forward to expanding our reach, cultivating even better relationships, and driving growth in this region," said Ventura.

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Aprio is a premier, full-service business advisory and accounting firm that advises clients and associates on how to achieve what's next. Aprio's associates work as integrated teams across advisory, audit, tax, outsourcing, talent solutions and private client services, bringing the best thinking and personal commitment to each client. Across practices, Aprio brings together proven expertise, deep understanding and strategic foresight for industries including Manufacturing and Distribution; Non-Profit and Education; Professional Services; Real Estate; Construction; Retail, Franchise and Hospitality; Government Contracting, and Technology and Blockchain. Aprio has grown to over 1,800 team members, serving clients wherever life or business may take them. Aprio's teams speak more than 60 languages and work with clients in over 50 countries. For more, visit [www.aprio.com](http://www.aprio.com).

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