

# What's new on the business scene for March 12

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**Bank staff earns recognition** — TEG Federal Credit Union, Poughkeepsie, recently announced that two staff members were selected as recipients of the Dutchess County Regional Chamber of Commerce's Forty Under 40 Award.

**Keith Kurman**, vice president of sales, service & branch operations and James Lentz, Beekman branch manager, will be honored with the Shaker Award. The award is given annually to 40 people under the age of 40 who have displayed a commitment to making a difference in the Hudson Valley community.

**Kurman** is responsible for overseeing the daily operations of TEG's seven countywide locations and local call center. He has served on the board of directors for the Mid-Hudson Children's Museum and currently serves as vice president. In the past, Kurman served on the stewardship board of the Walden United Methodist Church. He also volunteers and participates in community and charitable events including the Rhinebeck Relay for Life, Go Red Day for the American Heart Association, ShopRite's Bagging for Hunger campaign and charity golf tournaments.

Lentz began his career at TEG in 2008 as a teller. He currently serves as secretary & treasurer of the Poughkeepsie-based business and industry chapter, "Referral Exchange." He is also co-chair of the membership committee for the Hudson Valley Young Professionals' advisory committee. Lentz is a 2013 graduate of the Dutchess County Regional Chamber of Commerce's Leadership Dutchess program, where he was the recipient of the Commitment Award. He previously served a two-year term as an associate board member of the Dutchess County Regional Chamber of Commerce.

The award ceremony will take place Thursday, April 28 at the Changepoint Theatre, Poughkeepsie.

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