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**CMIT SOLUTIONS:** CMIT Solutions of Denver is among a growing number of IT service providers that have begun marketing more affordable state-of-the-art disaster protection solutions to small and mid-size businesses (SMBs).

Phil and Debi Bush, owners of CMIT, work with area companies that include Bayaud Industries, Cover Colorado, the Fitzsimons Redevelopment Authority, Event Rents and the Association of Surgical Technologists, among others.



Underscoring the need for the type of services the Bush's provide, seven out of 10 small- to mid-sized companies go out of business within a year if they cannot recover their data due to a major loss.

Unlike big companies that rely on sophisticated backup and recovery systems (spending upwards of \$10,000 a year), SMBs traditionally have relied only on tape drives to back up their servers, leaving them at risk of losing all their critical information should a disaster strike — such as a fire, flood, theft or even the meltdown of an older server's motherboard.

A recent Microsoft report noted that in 2007, 42 percent of attempted recoveries from tape backup failed.

The Bushes, who won CMIT's "Franchisee of the Year" award in 2007, can talk to you about how they're helping these companies protect their valuable data and are able to do so at a reasonable cost.

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