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How a Community Bank Simplified IT, Cut Costs, and Improved Customer Service

A bank burdened by vendor sprawl and rising IT costs found a partner that simplified everything.

Executive Summary

A bank facing rising IT costs, redundant contracts, and a tangle of vendors needed a partner to bring order and reliability. Whitehat Virtual Technologies delivered 24/7 support, consolidated vendors, closed redundant contracts, and renegotiated agreements. The result was a simpler IT environment, lower costs, and a stronger ability to serve customers.

Challenges

- Rising and inefficient IT costs strained the budget without delivering clear operational value.
- Redundant contracts created waste and drained resources that could be better spent elsewhere.
- Vendor sprawl made the IT environment complex and difficult to manage day to day.
- Unoptimized vendor agreements locked the bank into unfavorable, costly terms.
- Support and availability gaps threatened uptime and the ability to serve customers reliably.

Solutions

- Ongoing 24/7 support model delivering dependable coverage and faster problem resolution.
- Vendor consolidation that reduced complexity and streamlined day to day IT operations.
- Contract cleanup that removed redundancy and freed budget for higher value priorities.
- Contract renegotiation as a cost optimization lever across the vendor landscape.
- A simplified overall IT environment aligned to the bank's operational goals.



“Whitehat always finds a way to solve whatever problem we have. They've provided 24/7 support, reduced IT costs, closed out redundant contracts, consolidated vendors and helped renegotiate other vendor contracts. Whitehat has been instrumental in simplifying our IT and improving our ability to serve customers.”

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Security State Bank and Trust

Whitehat Virtual Technologies's Approach

Key Actions:

- Established continuous 24/7 IT support to close availability gaps and ensure reliable coverage.
- Reviewed the full portfolio of existing IT contracts to identify waste and overlap.
- Identified and closed out redundant contracts to eliminate unnecessary spending.
- Consolidated multiple vendors into a simpler, easier to manage arrangement.
- Renegotiated remaining vendor contracts on the bank's behalf to secure better terms.

Results

- Reduced IT costs through eliminated redundancies and renegotiated vendor agreements.
- Fewer vendors and a consolidated base that made IT far easier to manage.
- Redundant contracts eliminated, removing waste and unnecessary recurring spend.
- A simplified IT environment with reliable, continuous 24/7 support in place.
- Improved ability to serve customers with fewer distractions and greater stability.

Simplify Your IT and Cut Costs

Discover how Whitehat can consolidate vendors, reduce costs, and deliver reliable 24/7 support for your business.

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