

### **Farr Law Firm Welcomes A New Attorney To Its Team**

Punta Gorda (October 10, 2008) –The law firm of Farr, Farr, Emerich, Hackett and Carr, P.A. is pleased to announce that Eric M. Decker recently joined the firm as an associate in the firm's Punta Gorda office. Mr. Decker was sworn in as a member of The Florida Bar by the Honorable Keith R. Kyle, 20<sup>th</sup> Circuit Judge, on October 1, 2008 at the Charlotte County Courthouse.

Mr. Decker earned his law degree from the University of Florida Levin College of Law. There he received an honors designation in Appellate Advocacy and participated in the William C. Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot. In addition, Mr. Decker worked as a certified legal intern at the Office of the Public Defender for the Eighth Judicial Circuit where he represented clients in a variety of criminal matters.

Prior to law school, Mr. Decker served 5 years in the United States Marine Corps as an aerial navigator on KC-130 aircraft. During this time he deployed in support of operations in Kosovo, Colombia and Iraq. He was honorably discharged at the rank of Sergeant.

Mr. Decker practices civil litigation in the firm's Punta Gorda office.