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# CASE STUDY

## **CLOUD SOLUTION SUCCESS**

Law firm achieves secure, compliant remote work through strategic cloud migration and upgrades.

# OVERVIEW

This law firm was constrained by an aging on-premise IT system. Staff were tied to their desks, unable to work effectively from home or on the go. They needed a flexible, remote-friendly solution – fast.



## CLIENT SNAPSHOT

**Industry:** Law Firm

**Location:** Colorado

**Size:** 16-person legal team

**IT Team:** No internal IT; relied on aging legacy systems.

**Services:** Cloud migration, secure remote access, document management, compliance-driven IT support.

**Challenges:** Outdated systems made it difficult to manage documents, share files securely, and stay compliant with legal confidentiality standards.

**Outcome:** A streamlined, cloud-based IT setup that enables secure collaboration, faster case workflows, and strong alignment with legal compliance standards.

“Our attorneys can now respond to clients faster – even when out of the office or traveling. SkyTide’s solution has completely changed how we work.” - Senior Partner

# OUR PROCESS

**Email & Document Migration:** Seamless transfer to Microsoft 365 for email and file storage in SharePoint.

**Cloud Collaboration Tools:** Deployment of Teams for real-time messaging and meetings.

**Security Hardening:** Activation of multi-factor authentication (MFA), Microsoft 365 Cloud App Security, mobile device management, and data encryption.

**Compliance Readiness:** Enabled audit logs for document access, secure file sharing controls, and encryption-at-rest to meet legal confidentiality and data protection standards.

**Custom Onboarding:** We created a standardized onboarding process to ensure new attorneys and staff are trained on secure cloud use from day one.

## Why This Matters

Cloud migration isn't just a tech upgrade — it allows law firms to meet court deadlines remotely, serve clients more responsively, and ensure airtight confidentiality, all while staying compliant.

# THE RESULTS

The law firm now has a secure, scalable remote IT setup, giving staff access to everything they need from anywhere—without sacrificing security or productivity.

## **Secure Remote Access**

Microsoft 365's robust security model protects sensitive legal data across all endpoints.

## **Flexible Work Environment**

Attorneys and staff can work from home or in court with equal ease.

## **Reduced IT Burden**

Automatic updates and remote management eliminate the need for ongoing server maintenance.

## **Compliance Confidence**

Audit trails, encryption, and granular access controls help the firm remain compliant with legal standards.

## **Faster Case Handling**

Searchable document libraries and remote tools improved response times to client and court requests.



# AT A GLANCE



## Cloud Migration Completed

Email, documents, and collaboration tools fully transitioned to a secure cloud environment.



## Secure Remote Access

Attorneys and staff can work from anywhere — court, home, or office.



## Improved Compliance

Built-in audit trails, encryption, and access controls meet legal and data privacy standards.



## Document Management

Moved decades of paper documents to the cloud where they could be accessed securely.



## Future-Ready IT Foundation

Scalable, low-maintenance infrastructure that supports firm growth and hybrid work models.



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