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## **QUICK BITES**

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**Zazios** (34977 Woodward Ave., Birmingham, 248.530.6400) welcomed Executive Chef Jamie Kalmus as new Executive Chef and Alex Lucier as Sous Chef. Kalmus is late of Northern Lakes Seafood, Bloomfield Hills, where he was Executive Chef for six years.

Restaurants earn 2011 Wine Spectator Award of Excellence: among them are **Big Rock Chop House** (245 S. Eton St., Birmingham); **Cameron's Steakhouse** (115 Willits St., Birmingham); **Fleming's Prime Steakhouse & Wine Bar** (323 N. Old Woodward, Birmingham); **Northern Lakes Seafood** (39495 N. Woodward, Bloomfield Hills); **Streetside Seafood** (273 Pierce St., Birmingham); and **Zazios** (34977 Woodward Ave., Birmingham).

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