



## Newpark Resources Announces Fourth Quarter and Year-End 2011 Earnings Release and Conference Call Schedule

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THE WOODLANDS, Texas, Jan. 9, 2012 /PRNewswire/ -- Newpark Resources, Inc. (NYSE: NR) announced today that it will release its fourth quarter and year-end 2011 results on Thursday, February 16, 2012 after the market closes. In conjunction with the release, the Company has scheduled a conference call, which will be broadcast live over the Internet, for Friday, February 17, 2012 at 10:00 a.m. Eastern / 9:00 a.m. Central.

What:	Newpark Resources Fourth Quarter 2011 Earnings Conference Call
When:	Friday, February 17, 2012 at 10:00 a.m. Eastern / 9:00 a.m. Central
How:	Live via phone -- By dialing 480-629-9771 and asking for the
	Newpark Resources call at least 10 minutes prior to the start time, or
	Live over the Internet -- By logging onto the web at the address below
Where:	<a href="http://www.newpark.com/">http://www.newpark.com/</a>

For those who cannot listen to the live call, a replay will be available through February 24, 2012 and may be accessed by dialing (303) 590-3030 and using pass code 4503222#. Also, an archive of the webcast will be available shortly after the call at <http://www.newpark.com/> for 90 days.

Newpark Resources, Inc. is a worldwide provider of drilling fluids, temporary worksites and access roads for oilfield and other commercial markets, and environmental waste treatment solutions. For more information, visit our website at <http://www.newpark.com/>.

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