

## Newpark Resources to Present at the Raymond James Annual Institutional Investors Conference

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THE WOODLANDS, Texas, March 7, 2011 /PRNewswire via COMTEX/ -- Newpark Resources, Inc. (NYSE: NR) announced today that Paul Howes, President and Chief Executive Officer, will present at the Raymond James 32nd Annual Institutional Investors Conference to be held on March 6 - 9, 2011 at the JW Marriott Grande Lakes in Orlando, Florida.

Newpark's presentation will take place on Wednesday, March 9, 2011 at 8:05 a.m. Eastern Time (7:05 a.m. Central Time) and will be broadcast live over the Internet. The live audio webcast will be available on the Company's website at <a href="http://www.newpark.com/">http://www.newpark.com/</a>. A replay of the webcast will be available on Newpark's website shortly after the presentation is concluded and will be archived for replay on the website.

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 <a href="http://www.newpark.com/">http://www.newpark.com/</a>.

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