FARO Invites You to Join Its Third Quarter 2011 Conference Call

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FARO Technologies, Inc. (Nasdaq: FARO) announced that after the market closes on November 2, 2011, it will release its financial results for the third quarter ended October 1, 2011. In conjunction with FARO's third quarter earnings release, you are invited to listen to its conference call that will be broadcast live over the Internet on November 3, 2011, at 11:00 a.m. ET with the Company's President and CEO, Jay Freeland, and CFO, Keith Bair.

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What: FARO Technologies Third Quarter 2011 Earnings Release Conference Call When: Thursday, November 3, 2011 at 11:00 a.m. ET How:<u>www.faro.com/CCQ3-1111</u> Dial-in Numbers: (800) 894-5910 or (785) 424-1052 Conference ID: FARO

Alternately, one may access the call via FARO's web site <u>www.faro.com</u>, then click "Investor Relations", "Conference Calls", then click the relevant date.

If you are unable to participate during the live web cast, the call will be archived on <u>www.faro.com</u>. Conference Call Replay is also available until January 3, 2012, by calling, (800) 688-9445 (domestic) or (402) 220-1371 (international). No code is required.

FARO Technologies, Inc. designs, develops, and markets portable, computerized measurement devices and software used to create digital models or to perform evaluation and analysis against an existing model - for anything requiring highly detailed 3-D measurements, including part and assembly inspection, factory planning and asset documentation, as well as specialized applications ranging from surveying, recreating accident sites and crime scenes to digitally preserving historical sites.

FARO's technology increases productivity by dramatically reducing the amount of on-site measuring time, and the various industry-specific software packages enable users to process and present their results quickly and more effectively.

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