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Highwoods Properties to Release First Quarter Results on May 2

Conference Call on Tuesday, May 3, at 12:00 p.m.

Raleigh, NC – March 29, 2011 - Highwoods Properties, Inc. (NYSE: HIW), one of the largest owners and operators of office properties in the Southeast, today announced that it will release results for the first quarter of 2011 on Monday, May 2, after the market closes.

A conference call will be held the next day, Tuesday, May 3, at 12:00 p.m. Eastern time.

For US/Canada callers, dial (800) 708-4508. A live, listen-only Web cast can be accessed through the Company's Web site at www.highwoods.com under the "Investor Relations" section.

A replay of the call will be available on the Investor Relations section of Highwoods web site at www.highwoods.com.

About Highwoods Properties

Highwoods Properties, headquartered in Raleigh, North Carolina, is a publicly traded (NYSE:HIW) real estate investment trust ("REIT") and a member of the S&P MidCap 400 Index. The Company is one of the largest owners and operators of office properties in the Southeast and provides leasing, management, development, construction and other customer-related services for its properties and for third parties. At December 31, 2010, Highwoods owned or had an interest in 330 in-service office, industrial and retail properties encompassing approximately 32.4 million square feet and owned 611 acres of development land. The Company's properties and development land are located in Florida, Georgia, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia. For more information about Highwoods Properties, please visit our web site at www.highwoods.com.