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## HIGHWOODS PROPERTIES TO PRESENT AT CITI 2013 GLOBAL PROPERTY CEO CONFERENCE

Tuesday, March 5 at 4:55 PM

Raleigh, NC – March 4, 2013 - Highwoods Properties, Inc. (NYSE:HIW) today announced that Ed Fritsch, President and Chief Executive Officer, and Terry Stevens, Chief Financial Officer, will

participate in a company roundtable discussion at the CITI 2013 Global Property CEO Conference. Highwoods presentation is scheduled for Tuesday, March 5, 2013 at 4:55 p.m. Eastern time and will be approximately 35 minutes in length.

The roundtable discussion can be heard live by dialing (646) 490-2858 and entering the Passcode 9603090374.

## **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 a fully integrated, self-administered REIT that provides leasing, management, development, construction and other customer-related services for its properties and for third parties. At December 31, 2012, Highwoods owned or had an interest in 333 in-service office, industrial and retail properties encompassing approximately 34.6 million square feet and owned 649 acres of development land. The Company's properties and development land are located in Florida, Georgia, Missouri, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia. For more information about Highwoods Properties, please visit our website at www.highwoods.com.

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