National Fuel Gas Company

TELECONFERENCE ANNOUNCEMENT

You are invited to participate in a teleconference to review National Fuel Gas Company's (NYSE:NFG) 2nd Quarter Fiscal 2012 results and hear an update on the Company and its operations. The teleconference will be held on:

Friday, May 4, 2012, at 11 a.m. (ET)

Representing management will be David F. Smith, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer; Ronald J. Tanski, President and Chief Operating Officer; Matthew D. Cabell, Senior Vice President of National Fuel Gas Company and President of Seneca Resources Corporation; and David P. Bauer, Treasurer and Principal Financial Officer. Prepared remarks are planned for approximately 20 minutes with ample time for questions and answers.

Dial-in teleconference number: 866-831-6162
Passcode: 73317573

Teleconference replay number: 888-286-8010
Passcode: 11631131

This teleconference will be simultaneously broadcast over the Internet in a "listen only" mode. Go to our Investor Relations home page at investor.nationalfuelgas.com, click on the link to the conference call and "agree" to the terms of the safe-harbor disclaimer to proceed to the call. The telephone and website replays begin approximately at 2 p.m. following the call on Friday, May 4, 2012, and play until the close of business on Friday, May 11, 2012.

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We appreciate your interest in National Fuel and look forward to your participation in our teleconference.