



Windstream President and CEO Jeff Gardner to speak at Citi Conference

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 3, 2011 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Jeff Gardner, president and chief executive officer of Windstream Corp. (Nasdaq: WIN), will speak at 5:55 p.m. CST on Wednesday, Jan. 5 at the 21st Annual Citi Global Entertainment, Media & Telecommunications Conference in Phoenix.

A live webcast of the event will be available at www.windstream.com/investors on the day of the conference. The webcast will be archived on the website for 30 days.

About Windstream

Windstream Corp. (Nasdaq: WIN), headquartered in Little Rock, Ark., is an S&P 500 communications and technology company with operations in 29 states and the District of Columbia and about \$4 billion in annual revenues. Windstream provides IP-based voice and data services, MPLS networking, data center and managed hosting services and communication systems to businesses and government agencies. The company also delivers broadband, digital phone and high-definition TV services to residential customers primarily located in rural areas and operates a local and long-haul fiber network spanning approximately 60,000 route miles. For more information about Windstream, visit www.windstream.com.

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