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Fastenal Company Announces Conference Call to Review 2013 Annual and Fourth Quarter Earnings

WINONA, Minn., Jan. 8, 2014 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Fastenal Company (Nasdaq:FAST) announced the date and time for their conference call to review 2013 annual and fourth quarter results, as well as current operations. The conference call will be broadcast live over the Internet on Wednesday, January 15, 2014 at 9:00 a.m. Central Time.

To access the call, please visit the following Web address:

<http://investor.fastenal.com/events.cfm>

An online archive of the broadcast will be available within one hour of the conclusion of the call and will be available until March 1, 2014. Participants must have a soundcard and speakers to listen to the online broadcast.

Fastenal sells different types of industrial and construction supplies in the following product categories: threaded fasteners and miscellaneous supplies; tools; metal cutting tool blades and abrasives; fluid transfer components and accessories for hydraulic and pneumatic power; material handling; storage and packaging products; janitorial, chemical and paint products; electrical supplies; welding supplies; safety supplies; metals, alloys and materials; and office supplies.

Fastenal operates approximately 2,700 stores located primarily in North America with additional locations in Asia, Europe, and Central and South America. The Company operates 14 distribution centers; eleven in the United States - Minnesota, Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Texas, Georgia, Washington, California, Utah, North Carolina and Kansas, and three outside the United States - Ontario, Canada; Alberta, Canada; and Nuevo Leon, Mexico.

Additional information regarding Fastenal is available on the Fastenal Company website at www.fastenal.com.

Fastenal Company publishes on the "Investor Relations" page of this website both its monthly and consolidated net sales figures and certain quarterly supplemental sales information. Fastenal expects to publish the consolidated net sales figures for each month, other than the third month of a quarter, at 6:00 a.m. (central time) on the third business day of the following month. Fastenal expects to publish the consolidated net sales figures for the third month of each quarter and the supplemental sales information for each quarter at 6:00 a.m. (central time) on the date the company's earnings announcement for such quarter is publicly released. FAST-G

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