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## **Spartan Motors Announces Webcast of First Quarter Conference Call on April 26**

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Spartan Motors, Inc. (Nasdaq:SPAR) will announce its first quarter 2011 results prior to the market opening on April 26, 2011. The Company will also host a webcast of its conference call on the same day at 10 a.m. ET to discuss its financial results with analysts and institutional investors:

What: Spartan Motors, Inc. Announces First Quarter 2011 Results  
When: April 26 at 10:00 a.m. ET  
Where: [theshyftgroup.com](http://theshyftgroup.com) (Click on "Shareholders," then "Webcasts")  
How: Live over the Internet -- Simply log on to the web at the address above

If you are unable to participate during the live webcast, the call will be archived at <https://theshyftgroup.com> (Click on "Shareholders," then "Webcasts").

### About Spartan Motors, Inc.

Spartan Motors, Inc. designs, engineers and manufactures specialty chassis, specialty vehicles, truck bodies and aftermarket parts for the recreational vehicle (RV) emergency-response, government services, defense, and service and delivery, markets. The Company's brand names -- Spartan(TM), Crimson Fire(TM), Crimson Fire Aerials(TM), and Utilimaster(R) - are known for quality, value, service and first-to-market innovation. The Company employs approximately 1,600 at facilities in Michigan, Pennsylvania, South Dakota, Indiana, Florida and Texas. Spartan reported sales of \$481 million in 2010 and is focused on becoming a global leader in the design, engineering and manufacture of specialty vehicles and chassis. Visit Spartan Motors at [theshyftgroup.com](http://theshyftgroup.com).

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