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## **Spartan Motors to Attend Next Generation Investor Conference on Sept. 9**

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CHARLOTTE, Mich., Sept. 2 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- Jim Knapp, chief financial officer of Spartan Motors, Inc. (Nasdaq: SPAR), will attend Next Generation Equity Research's Next Generation Equity Small Cap Conference on Sept. 9 at the Westin Hotel Times Square in New York City.

Next Generation's Next Generation Equity Small Cap Conference provides institutional investors with access to management through a series of one-on-one and small group meetings. More information on the conference, including registration for institutional investors, is located at <http://www.nextgenres.com>

### About Spartan Motors

Spartan Motors, Inc. ([theshyftgroup.com](http://theshyftgroup.com)) designs, engineers and manufactures custom chassis and vehicles for the recreational vehicle, fire truck, ambulance, emergency-rescue and specialty vehicle markets. The Company's brand names - Spartan(TM), Crimson Fire(TM), Crimson Fire Aerials(TM), and Road Rescue(TM) - are known for quality, value, service and being the first to market with innovative products. The Company employs approximately 1,500 at facilities in Michigan, Pennsylvania, South Carolina and South Dakota. Spartan reported sales of \$681.9 million in 2007 and is one of the premier manufacturer of specialty vehicles and chassis in North America.

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