

Aqua America Chairman to Present at Emerald Asset Management Ground Hog Day Conference

BRYN MAWR, Pa., Jan 27, 2005 (BUSINESS WIRE) -- Aqua America, Inc. (NYSE:WTR) Chairman and President Nicholas DeBenedictis will present at the Emerald Asset Management Ground Hog Day Conference on February 3, 2005 at 1:45 p.m. EST at The Wyndham Franklin Plaza Hotel in Philadelphia. DeBenedictis will provide an overview of Aqua America and the water industry.

DeBenedictis' presentation will be webcast live from the investor relations section of the company's Web site at www.aquaamerica.com. The presentation will be archived on the site for 30 days following the event.

Aqua America, Inc. is the largest U.S.-based publicly-traded water utility, serving more than 2.5 million residents in Pennsylvania, Ohio, North Carolina, Illinois, Texas, Florida, New Jersey, Indiana, Virginia, Maine, Missouri, New York, and South Carolina. Aqua America is listed on both the New York and Philadelphia Stock Exchanges under the ticker symbol WTR.

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