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MEDIA ADVISORY: Wittman to Host Small Business Roundtable

Will Provide Forum to Discuss Incentives for Small Businesses and Job Creation

Fredericksburg, VA – This Friday, Congressman Rob Wittman will host a small business roundtable discussion with area business leaders and regional chamber of commerce members. The roundtable is a forum to hear directly from employers and job creators on what steps government can take to incentivize real growth. Small businesses account for 70% of the new jobs created each year, and Wittman is committed to ensuring they have the tools they need to continue to be the engine of the American economy.

Date: Friday, February 19, 2010

Time: 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

Location: Germanna Community College, Room 105-A, 10000 Germanna Point Drive, Fredericksburg, VA

Schedule:

- I. Welcome and Opening Remarks - Congressman Rob Wittman
- II. Jobs
- III. Taxes and Regulation
- IV. Access to Capital and Loans
- V. Cost and Availability of Health Insurance
- VI. The Employee Free Choice Act
- VII. Attracting and Maintaining a Quality Workforce
- VIII. Wrap-up

Attendees as of 2/16/2010:

Tom Reger, The Reger Group
Laurie Newman, Task Force Staffing
Jim Bradford, Washington Square Associates, Inc.
Jennifer Michalcoe, Spotsy Community Gov.
Francis Halpern, TD Bank
Dave Rababy, Rababy Assoc.
Candie Newman, Middle Peninsula District Planning Commission

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Cheryl Sweet, A&A Precision Machining
Paul Gelhausen, Avida Aerospace
Ron Dalton, MTCSC
Jorge Lozano, Condortech Svcs.
Bill Dawn, NY Life Securities
Melissa Schneider, Athena Construction
Rob Burke, Rappahannock Economic Development Corp.
Karen Alexander, Northern VA Computer Systems
Tim Alexander, Northern VA Computer Systems
Paul Delagrance
Jeff Bochnok, IP Keys, Inc.
Dorothy Bayford + 1, Water Pro Inc.
Patrick Duffeler, Williamsburg Winery
John Biagas, Bay Electric
Cleveland White, Global Aviation Services
Andrea Hickman
Roxanne Milstead, Chancellors' Village + 1
Joe Syslo, Mathews Chamber of Commerce
Stacey Horn
Jeff Rouse, Redco
Bobby Blackwell +1, GS-5, LLC
Mark Crews
Donald Messmer, Wessex Group
Stan Paviloda, Century 21 Realty
Douglas Lemke, Northumberland County Chamber of Commerce

Congressman Rob Wittman represents the First District of Virginia. He was elected to his first full term in November 2008 and serves on the Natural Resources Committee and the Armed Services Committee where he is the Ranking Member of the Oversight and Investigations Subcommittee.

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