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Approach Resources Inc. to Participate in Upcoming Conference

Fort Worth, Texas, August 8, 2011 – Approach Resources Inc. (NASDAQ: AREX) today announced that the Company will participate in EnerCom, Inc.'s The Oil & Gas Conference(R) 16 in Denver, Colorado, on Wednesday, August 17, 2011, at 10:05 AM MT. The presentation for the event will be available under the Investor Relations section of the Company's website, *www.approachresources.com*, before the assigned presentation time. Additionally, the live presentation will be webcast and can be accessed through the Company's website.

Approach Resources Inc. is an independent oil and gas company with core operations, production and reserves located in the Permian Basin in West Texas. The Company targets multiple oil and liquids-rich formations in the Permian Basin, where the Company operates approximately 140,400 net acres. The Company's estimated proved reserves total 66.8 million Boe, comprised of 55% oil and NGLs and 45% natural gas. For more information about the Company, please visit *www.approachresources.com.* Please note that the Company routinely posts important information about the Company under the Investor Relations section of its website.

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