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Novatel Wireless to Report Third Quarter Results and Host Investor Conference Call on October 24, 2006

SAN DIEGO, Oct 11, 2006 (BUSINESS WIRE) -- Novatel Wireless, Inc. (Nasdaq:NVTL), a leading provider of wireless broadband access solutions, today announced that it will report its third quarter financial results on Tuesday, October 24, 2006 after the market close.

The Company will host a live conference call for equity analysts and investors to discuss its quarterly results at 4:30 p.m. ET. The conference call may be accessed by dialing 800-257-1836 for domestic callers and +1-303-262-2142 for international callers. The conference call will be webcast live on the Novatel Wireless website at www.novatelwireless.com, under the "Investor Relations" section. Following the live webcast, an archived version will be available on the Novatel Wireless website. A telephonic replay of the conference call will also be available approximately two hours after the call and will be accessible for two business days. To hear the replay, parties in the United States and Canada should call 800-405-2236 and enter pass code 11073577. International parties should call +1-303-590-3000 and enter pass code 11073577.

ABOUT NOVATEL WIRELESS

Novatel Wireless (Nasdaq:NVTL) is revolutionizing wireless communications. The San Diego-based Company is a leader in the design and development of innovative wireless broadband access solutions based on 3G WCDMA (HSDPA & UMTS), CDMA and GSM technologies. Novatel Wireless' Merlin(TM) PC Cards, Expedite(R) Embedded Modules, MobiLink(TM) Communications Software Suite, Ovation(TM) 3G Multimedia Application Consoles and Conversa(TM) Software Suite enable high-speed wireless access. The Company delivers innovative 3G solutions to operators, distributors and vertical markets worldwide. For more information, please visit www.novatelwireless.com. (NVTLE)

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