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PRESS RELEASE

Woods Hole Group Awarded United States Army Corps of Engineers New England District Contract

Woods Hole Group to Provide Environmental Planning and Consulting Services for Projects in the North Atlantic

Falmouth, MA, December 3, 2008—Woods Hole Group, Inc. an international, environmental, scientific, and engineering consulting organization, has been awarded a contract by the United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) New England District to provide environmental planning and consulting services for various projects located throughout the 14 northeastern states from Maine to Virginia and the nation's capital. The contract can extend for up to five years, with an estimated budget of $15 million.

"The USACE contract represents a significant building block for Woods Hole Group and the organization's strategic plan," said Bob Hamilton, Vice President for Business Development and Coastal Engineer at Woods Hole Group. "We are fortunate to secure a contract of this type in these economic times, as it will allow the company to utilize its strengths in the areas of environmental, coastal and oceanographic consulting services. The relationship between Woods Hole Group and the USACE will also present exciting opportunities to make a difference in our local environment while benefiting various public works projects."

The scope of work will cover the USACE's North Atlantic Division mission area, which includes the New England District, as well as USACE Districts in New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Norfolk, VA. The North Atlantic Division is one of eight Army Corps of Engineers regional business centers. As a regional business center, the division designs, builds and maintains projects to support the military, develop and protect the nation's water resources, and restore, protect and enhance the environment.

For Woods Hole Group's contract, project locations may include New Bedford Harbor, Long Island Sound, Milford Pond, Green Harbor, Mystic River, and many others.

The work will be diverse and include the following:

- Environmental impact reports/statements
- Dredging/dredge material management
- Multi-disciplinary environmental measurements and monitoring
- Oceanography

- Risk assessments
- Hazardous and toxic waste site monitoring and remediation planning
- Other specialized studies

For more information, please contact Bob Hamilton at bhamilton@whgrp.com or (508) 540-8080.

Woods Hole Group is an international, environmental, scientific, and engineering consulting organization headquartered in Falmouth, Massachusetts. With its breadth of vision and emphasis on a sustainable future global environmental, Woods Hole Group provides premier integrated solutions to meet the challenge of environmental problems worldwide. As a leader in environmental sciences and engineering, Woods Hole Group's expertise includes environmental impact and risk assessment, measurement systems for real-time operational guidance, oceanography, and coastal sciences, engineering and planning. Woods Hole Group was founded in 1986 by Dr. David Aubrey.

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