

HOUSTON, April 26, 2017 /PRNewswire/ -- [Gastar Exploration Inc.](#) (NYSE MKT: GST) ("Gastar") announced today that it will release its first quarter 2017 results on Thursday, May 4, 2017 after the market closes. In conjunction with the release, Gastar has scheduled a conference call for 11:00 a.m. Eastern Time (10:00 a.m. Central Time) on Friday, May 5, 2017. Investors may participate in the call either by phone or by audio webcast.

By Phone:	Dial 1-412-902-0030 at least 10 minutes before the call. A telephone replay will be available through May 12 by dialing 1-201-612-7415 and using the conference ID: 13661036.
By Webcast:	Visit the Investor Relations page of Gastar's website at www.gastar.com under "Events & Presentations." Please log in 10 minutes in advance to register and download any necessary software. A replay will be available shortly after the call.

For more information, please contact Donna Washburn at Dennard-Lascar Associates at 713-529-6600 or e-mail dwashburn@dennardlascar.com.

About Gastar Exploration

[Gastar Exploration Inc.](#) is a pure play Mid-Continent independent energy company engaged in the exploration, development and production of oil, condensate, natural gas and natural gas liquids. Gastar's principal business activities include the identification, acquisition, and subsequent exploration and development of oil and natural gas properties with an emphasis on unconventional reserves, such as shale gas resource plays. Gastar holds a concentrated acreage position in what is believed to be the core of the STACK Play, an area of central Oklahoma which is home to multiple oil and natural gas-rich reservoirs including the Meramec, Oswego, Osage, Woodford and Hunt formations. For more information, visit Gastar's website at www.gastar.com.

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