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OMNIFLIGHT HELICOPTERS, INC.'S NATIVE AIR DIVISION TO HOST CEREMONY MARKING 10th ANNIVERSARY OF GLOBE HELICOPTER BASE

Celebration to Honor Local EMS Professionals, Healthcare Administrators and Law Enforcement Officials

- WHO:** Omniflight Helicopters, Inc.'s Native Air Division, which provides air medical services throughout Arizona
- WHAT:** Native Air to host honorary celebration to mark 10-year anniversary of its air medical services helicopter base, which serves patients of Cobre Valley Community Hospital in Globe, Ariz.
- WHEN:** **THURSDAY, APRIL 3, 2008 at 10 A.M.**
- WHERE:** Cobre Valley Community Hospital
5880 S. Hospital Drive, Globe, Arizona 85501
- WHY:** For the past 10 years, Native Air has been transporting patients in need of air medical support and services within the Globe, Ariz. area as well throughout local surrounding communities, spanning about a 75-mile radius. Native Air's 10-year anniversary celebration of the helicopter's operations will be marked by a ceremony to honor local emergency medical services professionals, hospital administrators and law enforcement officers, all of whom have played a key role in serving the community's medical needs. The agencies to be represented at the ceremony will include: Cobre Valley Community Hospital, Tri-City Fire Department, Globe Fire Department, Superior Fire Department, Globe Police Department, Gila County Sheriff's Office, Department of Public Safety of Arizona, San Carlos EMS and Canyon Fire Department.

Representatives of each these organizations will be present and bestowed with an appreciation award from Native Air in recognition of their commitment to the delivery of patient care and service and their dedication to helping others.

OTHER INFO: Mesa, Ariz.-based Native Air is a division of Omniflight Helicopters, Inc. of Addison, Tex. Native Air provides air medical services throughout the Arizona. The Native Air helicopter and airplane bases in Arizona include those in Mesa, Chandler, Casa Grande, Buckeye, Lake Havasu, Prescott, Prescott Valley, Show Low, Payson, Globe, Kearny and Deer Valley. In addition, the company's western regional offices are based in Mesa.

Omniflight is a leading provider of air medical services throughout the U.S. The company operates 100 aircraft nationally, and operates from 72 bases in 17 states, with a strong presence across the Southwest, Midwest, and Southeast regions. Its focus is primarily on inter-facility

transport and on-site emergency scene response using both rotor wing and fixed wing aircraft. For more information, visit www.omniflight.com.

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