

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**Raul Mastrapa Joins Ross & Baruzzini as Assistant Director of Mechanical Engineering**

Miami, Florida – June 17, 2010 – Ross & Baruzzini, a globally recognized engineering planning, design and consulting firm, has announced the appointment of Raul S. Mastrapa, PE, as Assistant Director of Mechanical Engineering for the firm's Miami office. Mastrapa will provide project management for the mechanical engineering group and will be actively involved in the day-to-day operational tasks associated with projects including assessments, cost estimating, negotiations and construction management.

Mastrapa brings more than 34 years experience in design, construction, construction administration and project management in mechanical, plumbing and fire-protection engineering for government, institutional, transportation, healthcare, commercial and industrial facilities. Prior to his position at Ross & Baruzzini, he served as Associate Principal for Meinhardt Consulting Engineers in Ft. Lauderdale and as Associate/Senior Mechanical Engineer for TLC Engineering for Architecture in Miami.

"We're excited to add Raul to the already excellent team working in our Miami location," commented Saeed Fatemian, Director of Operations for Ross & Baruzzini's Miami office. "Raul is committed to providing our clients with exceptional engineering services and to helping expand our current portfolio in both the private and public sectors."

Raul is a registered Professional Engineer and a U.S. Green Building Council LEED Accredited Professional.

About Ross & Baruzzini, Inc.

Ross & Baruzzini (www.rossbar.com) specializes in providing consulting and engineering design for facilities and infrastructure in healthcare, higher education, government, transportation and mission critical facilities requiring 24/7 operations. The firm approaches each new project with a detailed understanding of business processes, facilities and technology requirements to ensure that personnel, equipment, communications and procedures are fully integrated for maximum efficiency and effectiveness. Founded in 1953, Ross & Baruzzini is continually ranked as one of the top engineering firms in the nation. The company has regional offices in Miami, Indianapolis, Chicago, and New York and corporate headquarters in St. Louis.

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