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NEWS RELEASE - For Immediate Release North West Company Fund (NWF) Second Quarter Results Conference Call

Winnipeg, September 1, 2009:

North West Company Fund (the "Fund") will release its second quarter results on Thursday, September 10, 2009. In conjunction with the release, The North West Company will host a conference call.

Event: North West Company Fund 2009

Second Quarter Results Conference Call

When: Thursday, September 10, 2009

at 12:00 p.m. Central (1:00 p.m. Eastern)

How: To access the call, please dial 1-866-225-6564 or

416-641-6136 a few minutes in advance.
The conference call will be archived and can be accessed by dialing 1-800-408-3053

or 416-695-5800, Pass Code 4010144. This archive will be available until

September 17, 2009. The conference call will also be archived at www.northwest.ca

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 $The \ units \ of the \ Fund \ trade \ on the \ Toronto \ Stock \ Exchange \ under the \ symbol \ "NWF.UN".$









