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Metabolix to Conduct a Webcast of Its Fourth Quarter and Fiscal Year 2011 Earnings Call

CAMBRIDGE, Mass.--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- February 21, 2012-- Metabolix, Inc. (NASDAQ:MBLX), a bioscience company focused on bringing clean, sustainable solutions to the plastics, chemicals and energy industries, announced today that it will be releasing its fourth quarter and fiscal 2011 financial results after the market close on Tuesday, March 6, 2012. The full text of the earnings release will also be available on the Company's website at www.metabolix.com.

Richard Eno, the Company's President and CEO, Joseph Hill, CFO, and Oliver Peoples, Co-founder and CSO, will host a conference call on the same day at 4:30 p.m. (Eastern) to discuss the results of the fourth quarter and fiscal year ended December 31, 2011. The Company will also provide an update on the business and answer questions from the investment community. To participate, dial toll-free 1-888-500-6970 or 1-719-325-2419 (international). The pass code is 2602945. The conference call will also be webcast and can be accessed from the Company's website at www.metabolix.com in the investor relations section.

To listen to a telephonic replay of the conference call, dial toll-free 1-877-870-5176 or 1-858-384-5517 (international) and enter pass code 2602945. The replay will be available beginning at 7:30 p.m. (Eastern) on Tuesday, March 6, 2012 and will last through 11:59 PM (Eastern) March 20, 2012. In addition, the webcast will be archived on the Company's website in the investor relations section.

About Metabolix

Founded in 1992, Metabolix, Inc. is an innovation-driven bioscience company focused on providing sustainable solutions for the world's needs for plastics, chemicals and energy. The Company is taking a systems approach, from gene to end product, integrating sophisticated biotechnology with advanced industrial practice. Metabolix is developing biosourced industrial chemicals and plastics, as well as a proprietary platform technology for co-producing plastics, chemicals and energy, from crops such as switchgrass, oilseeds and sugarcane.

For more information, please visit www.metabolix.com.

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