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Main Street Capital Announces Third Quarter 2009 Earnings Release and Conference Call Schedule

HOUSTON, Oct. 19 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- Main Street Capital Corporation (Nasdaq: MAIN) ("Main Street") today announced it will release third quarter 2009 financial results on Thursday, November 5, 2009, after the financial markets close. In conjunction with the third quarter 2009 earnings release, Main Street has scheduled a conference call for Friday, November 6, 2009 at 10:00 a.m. Eastern Time.

What: Main Street Capital Third Quarter 2009 Earnings Conference Call
When: Friday, November 6, 2009 - 10:00 a.m. Eastern Time
How: Live via phone - By dialing 480-629-9723 or 877-941-2332 and quote conference ID #4173091 at least 10 minutes prior to the start time or via simultaneous webcast by logging into the investor relations section of the company's web address below
Where: <http://www.mainstcapital.com>

A telephonic replay of the conference call will be available through Friday, November 13, 2009 and may be accessed by dialing 303-590-3030 and using the passcode ID #4173091. An audio archive will also be available on the investor relations section of the company's website at <http://www.mainstcapital.com> shortly after the call and will be accessible for approximately 90 days. For more information, please contact Gus Okwu with DRG&E at 404-532-0086 or email gokwu@drq-e.com.

ABOUT MAIN STREET CAPITAL CORPORATION

Main Street (www.mainstcapital.com) is a principal investment firm that provides long-term debt and equity capital to lower middle market companies. Main Street's investments are made to support management buyouts, recapitalizations, growth financings and acquisitions of companies that operate in diverse industry sectors and generally have annual revenues ranging from \$10 million to \$100 million. Main Street seeks to partner with entrepreneurs, business owners and management teams and generally provides "one stop" financing alternatives to its portfolio companies.

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