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STERLING CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULES 2016 FOURTH QUARTER AND FULL YEAR RELEASE AND CONFERENCE CALL FOR THURSDAY, MARCH 9TH

THE WOODLANDS, TX – February 27, 2017 – Sterling Construction Company, Inc. (NasdaqGS: STRL), ("Sterling" or the "Company") today announced that it plans to issue its financial results for the fourth quarter and year ended December 31, 2016 on Thursday, March 9, 2017 before the stock market opens.

Sterling's management will host a conference call on Thursday, March 9, 2017, at 9:00 am ET/8:00 am CT to discuss the fourth quarter results as well as recent corporate developments. Interested parties may participate in the call by dialing (201) 493-6744 or (877) 445-9755. Please call in 10 minutes before the conference call is scheduled to begin and ask for the Sterling Construction call. Following management's opening remarks, there will be a question and answer session. Questions may be asked during the live call, or alternatively, you may e-mail questions in advance to Jennifer.Maxwell@strlco.com.

To listen to a webcast of the call, please go to the Company's website at www.strlco.com at least 15 minutes early to download and install any necessary audio software. If you are unable to listen live, the conference call webcast will be archived on the Company's website for thirty days.

Sterling is a leading heavy civil construction company that specializes in building and reconstruction of transportation and water infrastructure projects in Texas, Utah, Nevada, Colorado, Arizona, California, Hawaii, and other states where there are construction opportunities. Its transportation infrastructure projects include highways, roads, bridges, airfields, ports and light rail. Its water infrastructure projects include water, wastewater and storm drainage systems.

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