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ECO ORO ANNOUNCES 2012 YEAR-END FINANCIAL RESULTS CONFERENCE CALL

Vancouver, BC, Canada – March 26, 2013 – Eco Oro Minerals Corp. ("Eco Oro" or the "Company") (TSX: EOM) announces that the Company is expecting to release its year-end 2012 financial and operational results on Tuesday, March 26, 2013. A conference call will follow on Wednesday, March 27, 2013 at 11:00 am PDT (2:00 pm EDT) for management to discuss the results. This discussion will be followed by a question and answer period with investors.

Live dial-in information:

Toronto and International: 416-764-8609 North America Toll-Free: 1-888-390-0605

A slide presentation to accompany the conference call will be available on March 27, 2013 prior to the call and can be downloaded from the Company's website at http://www.eco-oro.com/s/Presentations.asp.

Replay call information:

Toronto and International: 416-764-8677 – PIN 269104 North America Toll-Free: 1-888-390-0541 – PIN 269104

The conference call replay will be available from 2:00 pm PDT on March 27, 2013 until 11:59 pm PDT on April 3, 2013.

The 2012 year-end financial statements will be available on the Company's website at http://www.eco-oro.com/s/FinancialReports.asp.

Company Profile

Eco Oro Minerals Corp. is a publicly-traded precious metals exploration and development company with a portfolio of projects in Colombia. Eco Oro has been focused on its wholly-owned, multi-million ounce Angostura gold-silver deposit, located in northeastern Colombia, for over 15 years during which time it has invested over \$200 million in the project's development and in that of the surrounding communities. Eco Oro is committed to further advancing the Angostura Underground Project in a socially and environmentally responsible manner that will be beneficial for all stakeholders.

For more information please visit the Company's website at www.eco-oro.com or contact

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