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## **THE ENGINEERING GROUPE TAKES A PLUNGE**

*TEAM OF NINE SUPPORTS THE SPECIAL OLYMPICS VIRGINIA IN FREEZIN' FOR A REASON*

**Woodbridge, VA** — Nine employees, family members and friends from The Engineering Groupe braved the cold waters of the Potomac River at the 2011 Tim's Rivershore Polar Plunge Festival in Dumfries this past Saturday. Tim's Rivershore Restaurant and Crabhouse has held this event for nine years with donations benefitting Special Olympics Virginia.

Special Olympics Virginia is a program that provides year-round sports training and athletic competitions for children and adults with intellectual disabilities. The Virginia program serves more than 10,000 athletes and is able to provide the activities complimentary to participants due to the large network of volunteers and generous partners and events like the Polar Plunge events that are held throughout the Commonwealth.

"The Engineering Groupe is always excited to participate in great events like Tim's Rivershore Polar Plunge," said John S. "Skip" Groupe, IV, President of the Engineering Groupe, Inc. "Doing our part to help the participants of Special Olympics Virginia is very dear to us and we look forward to continuing to support this important cause."

A special thanks to the brave and generous Engineering Groupe employees and friends of "The Groupe" that took the frosty plunge for such a great cause! The team was lead by Ned Marshall, Captain and included Travis Brown, Nolan Gilbert, Natalie Gilbert, Frank Jett, Steve Paska, Christine Fulgencio, Stacy Holst, and Dominic Ciavarro.

### **About The Engineering Groupe:**

The Engineering Groupe is a premiere Virginia consulting firm offering a full range of professional services in engineering, planning, surveying and environmental services to prestigious clients. Established in 1990, The Engineering Groupe is celebrating 20 years of providing consulting services to a broad range of clients from national homebuilders and commercial developers to municipal agencies.

The company is headquartered in Woodbridge, Virginia, with an additional office in Fredericksburg. The Engineering Groupe, Inc. has been ranked among the top 25 Engineering Firms in the Metropolitan area by Washington Business Journal. For additional information, please visit [www.enggroupe.com](http://www.enggroupe.com).

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