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**BAYTEX TO PRESENT AT THE BMO CAPITAL MARKETS UNCONVENTIONAL  
RESOURCE CONFERENCE**

CALGARY, ALBERTA (January 5, 2012) – Baytex Energy Corp. (TSX, NYSE: BTE) is pleased to announce that Anthony Marino, President and Chief Executive Officer, will be presenting at the BMO Capital Markets Unconventional Resource Conference on Tuesday, January 10, 2012 at 2:15pm EST (12:15pm MST) in New York City, New York. Interested parties can listen to a live audiocast and view the presentation slides via the following URL:

<https://www.bmocm.com/conferences/unconventionalresource2012/webcast/>

A replay will be available on the Baytex website, [www.baytex.ab.ca](http://www.baytex.ab.ca), for six months following the presentation.

The common shares of Baytex Energy Corp. are traded on the Toronto Stock Exchange and the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol BTE.

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