

**NEXTERRA APPOINTS MIKE SCOTT AS NEW PRESIDENT AND CEO**

**Vancouver, BC – October 12, 2011**– Nexterra Systems Corp. announced today that it has promoted Mike Scott to the role of President and Chief Executive Officer. Mr. Scott, formerly Nexterra's Senior Vice President Corporate Development, replaces Jonathan Rhone who served as President and CEO of Nexterra since the company was founded in 2003.

"We'd like to thank Jonathan for his vision, years of hard work and dedication in building Nexterra while creating a solid foundation for future growth," said Nexterra Chairman of the Board, Brian Boulanger.

"We look forward to working with Mike as Nexterra builds on its strong foundation and maintains its leadership in the global bioenergy market. We believe there are tremendous opportunities to expand on the range of biomass feedstocks Nexterra's gasification technology can process as well as opportunities to leverage the "green gas" expertise the company has developed with its gasification-to-internal combustion engine program."

"I am very excited to be taking on this new role with Nexterra," said Mr. Scott. "We have a world class team, strong partners and a proven technology platform. I look forward to making a contribution to Nexterra's future success."

Mr. Scott has had a distinguished 20 year career as a senior executive and lawyer. He began his career as a corporate and securities lawyer with McCarthy Tétrault. In 1998, he joined Raymond James Canada, one of Canada's leading independent investment banks. In his eight years there, he held a number of senior roles including Executive Vice President - Head of Capital Markets. As Senior Vice President of Corporate Development at Nexterra, he was involved in all of the company's major transactions and initiatives.

He is a Chartered Business Valuator and a member of the Law Society of British Columbia. Mr. Scott is also actively involved in his local community both as a youth soccer and baseball coach and as a volunteer for the United Way.

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**About Nexterra Systems Corp.** – Nexterra Systems is a leading supplier of biomass gasification solutions that generate renewable heat, power and syngas for institutional and industrial customers. Working to the highest standards with world leading partners, such as General Electric, Nexterra has successfully supplied commercial gasification systems for projects at the US Department of Energy, University of South Carolina, Dockside Green, Kruger Products, the University of Northern BC and Tolko Industries. [www.nexterra.ca](http://www.nexterra.ca)

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