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***Granite's Boston Marathon Fundraising Exceeds \$20,000
Nine Granite Employees Run 26.2 Miles to Benefit Several Charities***

(April 22, 2014)-Quincy, MA—Through several fundraising initiatives, Granite Telecommunications, LLC a provider of communications solutions to businesses, and Granite teammates raised over \$20,000 for several area charities associated with this year's Boston Marathon. The company had nine teammates who ran and completed this year's race. In so doing, Kristen Lupo and Kelsey Doran raised over \$13,000 for the Boston Celtics Shamrock Foundation. Steve Iannacone, Bruce Rosendahl, Nicole Santulli, Jenna Kent, David Montoya, Mark Ward, and Julie Haskell raised over \$7,000 for Boston Children's Hospital.

Granite also sponsored a pair of company-wide fundraising initiatives. Last week, Granite teammates and a matching donation from the company, Granite donated \$3,178.50 to benefit the fundraising efforts of Granite's Marathon runners.

To commemorate Marathon Monday, CEO Rob Hale called for another Jeans Day, this time to benefit the One Fund, which is expected to raise at least \$3,000 to support survivors of the Boston Marathon bombings.

"We are extremely grateful of Kelsey, Kristen and Granite Telecommunications' support on behalf of the Shamrock Foundation," Shamrock Foundation Director Cindy Brennan said.

About Granite

Granite provides voice, data and other related communications products and services to multi-location businesses throughout the United States and Canada. Granite furnishes services to more than two-thirds of the Fortune 100 companies in the United States, and 1.3 million phone lines under management. Granite employs over 1,150 people at the company's headquarters in Quincy, MA and offices in Atlanta, GA, Miami, FL, New York, NY and Providence, RI. For more information, visit www.granitenet.com.



Members of Granite's Boston Marathon team (left to right): Jenna Kent, Nicole Santulli, Steve Iannacone, Bruce Rosendahl, Mark Ward, David Montoya

About Jeans Day

Through weekly Jeans Days, held every Friday, Granite employees have the option to wear business casual attire or jeans with a donation of \$3 to the selected charity. Each week, the Granite Cares Committee, comprised of Granite employees, chooses a qualifying nonprofit organization nominated by other employees. Granite then matches the amount raised by employees.