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DARTON GROUP Consulting is Named to the Charlotte Business Journal's 2013 Fast 50 List as one of Charlotte's Fastest-Growing Private Companies

Consulting Firm Ranks No. 12 on Annual List with Three-Year Average Sales Growth of 110.82%

CHARLOTTE, NC (December 5, 2013) – **DARTON GROUP Consulting (DARTON)**, a boutique project management, finance and accounting consulting firm, announced today that it has been ranked number 12 on the *Charlotte Business Journal's* fifth annual Fast 50, an exclusive ranking of the Charlotte region's fastest-growing private companies. **DARTON's** ranking was based on average revenue growth of 110.82% from 2010 to 2012.

This marks the second year in a row that **DARTON** has been honored as a Fast 50 company by the *Charlotte Business Journal*. Making the list the first year eligible to apply, **DARTON** was ranked number 6 on the 2012 Fast 50 ranking.

"As entrepreneurs, we founded the firm in mid-2008 at the onset of the great recession" said Rochelle Rivas, President of **DARTON**. "We are honored to be recognized for our fast rate of growth given the exceptionally challenging economic environment in which we launched the firm" she said.

"Our business model, which is uniquely centered on building rewarding careers for the Charlotte region's top-tier consultants, is a dominant driver behind our revenue growth" said Rivas.

The 2013 Fast 50 is ranked according to average revenue growth from 2010 to 2012. To qualify, companies must have had revenue of at least \$1 million in 2012. They had to be headquartered in the Charlotte area and privately held.

About DARTON GROUP

DARTON GROUP (DARTON) specializes in providing highly-experienced project management, finance and accounting professionals for contract consulting engagements and interim roles. **DARTON** focuses on problem-solving and engages top-tier consulting professionals with great companies to create rewarding partnerships. Locally-owned and operated, **DARTON** is a nationally-certified Women's Business Enterprise (WBE) and serves businesses and project professionals across the greater Charlotte, NC region. For more information, visit www.dartongroup.com or call (704) 525-9378.

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