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Washington Real Estate Investment Trust Announces 2nd Quarter 2008 Earnings Release Date and Conference Call Information

ROCKVILLE, Md.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--

Washington Real Estate Investment Trust (WRIT) (NYSE:WRE) will announce 2nd Quarter 2008 Earnings in a Press Release to be issued on Thursday, July 24, 2008, after the market close.

The Conference Call for 2nd Quarter Earnings is scheduled for Friday, July 25, 2008 at 2:00 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time. Conference Call access information is as follows:

USA Toll Free Number: 1-877-407-9205

International Toll Number: 1-201-689-8054

Instant replay of the Conference Call will be available until August 8, 2008 at 11:59 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time. Instant replay access information is as follows:

USA Toll Free Number: 1-877-660-6853

International Toll Number: 1-201-612-7415

Account: 286

Conference ID: 289430

The live on-demand webcast of the Conference Call will be available on the investor section of WRIT's website at <http://www.writ.com>. On-line playback of the webcast will be available for two weeks following the Conference Call.

WRIT is a self-administered, self-managed, equity real estate investment trust investing in income-producing properties in the greater Washington metro region. WRIT's dividends have increased every year for 38 consecutive years. WRIT's FFO per share has increased every year for 35 consecutive years. WRIT owns a diversified portfolio of 90 properties consisting of 14 retail centers, 26 office properties, 17 medical office properties, 22 industrial/flex properties, 11 multi-family properties and land for development. WRIT shares are publicly traded on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE:WRE).

Certain statements in this press release are "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Such statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties, and other factors that may cause actual results to differ materially. Such risks, uncertainties and other factors include, but are not limited to, fluctuations in interest rates, availability of raw materials and labor costs, levels of competition, the effect of government regulation, the availability of capital, weather conditions, the timing and pricing of lease transactions, and changes in general and local economic and real estate market conditions.

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