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Washington Real Estate Investment Trust Announces 1st Quarter 2017 Earnings Release Date and Conference Call Information

WASHINGTON, March 15, 2017 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Washington REIT (Washington Real Estate Investment Trust) (NYSE:WRE), a leading owner of commercial and multifamily properties in the Washington, DC area, will announce 1st Quarter 2017 earnings in a press release to be issued on Wednesday, April 26, 2017, after the market close.

The Conference Call for 1st Quarter 2017 earnings is scheduled for Thursday, April 27, 2017, at 11:00 a.m. Eastern Time. Conference Call access information is as follows:

USA Toll Free Number:	877-407-9205
International Toll Number:	201-689-8054

Instant replay of the Conference Call will be available until Thursday, May 11, 2017, at 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time. Instant replay access information is as follows:

USA Toll Free Number:	1-877-481-4010
International Toll Number:	1-919-882-2331
Conference ID:	10049

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

Washington REIT is a self-administered, self-managed, equity real estate investment trust investing in income-producing properties in the greater Washington metro region. Washington REIT owns a diversified portfolio of 49 properties totaling approximately 6.0 million square feet of commercial space and 4,480 residential units, and land held for development. These 49 properties consist of 19 office properties, 16 retail centers and 14 multifamily properties. Washington REIT shares are publicly traded on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE:WRE).

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