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# Washington Real Estate Investment Trust Announces 4th Quarter 2016 and 2017 Earnings Release Dates and Conference Call Information

WASHINGTON, Jan. 06, 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 4th Quarter 2016 earnings in a press release to be issued on Thursday, February 16, 2017, after the market close.

The Conference Call for 4th Quarter 2016 earnings is scheduled for Friday, February 17, 2017, at 11:00 a.m. Eastern Time. Conference Call access information is as follows:

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

Instant replay of the Conference Call will be available until Friday, March 3, 2017, at 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time. Instant replay access information is as follows:

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| USA Toll Free Number: | 1-877-481-4010 |
| International Toll Number: | 1-919-882-2331 |
| Conference ID: | 10048 |

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.

**2017 Quarterly Earnings Release Dates and Conference Call Information**

**First Quarter 2017: Please Note Conference Call Date Change**

Earnings Release Date and Time: Wednesday, April 26, 2017 after U.S. market close.

Conference Call Date and Time: Thursday, April 27, 2017 at 11:00 a.m. Eastern Time

Telephone Number (within the U.S.): 877-407-9205

Telephone Number (outside the U.S.): 201-689-8054

A replay of this call will be available beginning Thursday, April 27 at 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time through Thursday, May 11 at 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time. To access the replay within the

United States please call 1-877-481-4010 and to access the replay outside the United States please call 1-919-882-2331. Replay conference ID 10049.

**Second Quarter 2017:**

Earnings Release Date and Time: Thursday, July 27, 2017 after U.S. market close.

Conference Call Date and Time: Friday, July 28, 2017 at 11:00 a.m. Eastern Time

Telephone Number (within the U.S.): 877-407-9205

Telephone Number (outside the U.S.): 201-689-8054

A replay of this call will be available beginning Friday, July 28 at 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time through Friday, August 11, at 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time. To access the replay within the United States please call 1-877-481-4010 and to access the replay outside the United States please call 1-919-882-2331. Replay conference ID 10050.

**Third Quarter 2017:**

Earnings Release Date and Time: Thursday, October 26, 2017 after U.S. market close.

Conference Call Date and Time: Friday, October 27, 2017 at 11:00 a.m. Eastern Time

Telephone Number (within the U.S.): 877-407-9205

Telephone Number (outside the U.S.): 201-689-8054

A replay of this call will be available beginning Friday, October 27 at 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time through Friday, November 10, at 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time. To access the replay within the United States please call 1-877-481-4010 and to access the replay outside the United States please call 1-919-882-2331. Replay conference ID 10051.

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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