

WASHINGTON PRIME GROUP™

Washington Prime Group Announces Tax Reporting Information for 2018 Distributions

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COLUMBUS, Ohio, Jan. 18, 2019 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Washington Prime Group Inc. (NYSE:WPG) today announced the 2018 tax reporting information (Federal Form 1099) for distributions as shown below. The distributions relate to its common shares, Series H Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Shares of Beneficial Interest and Series I Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Shares of Beneficial Interest.

Amounts reported to Dividend Reinvestment and Stock Purchase Plan participants will differ due to administrative costs. Participants should refer to their Form 1099 which will be mailed no later than January 31, 2019. The taxability of the 2018 common stock distributions and the 2018 preferred stock distributions are not indicative of the taxability of future distributions.

Common Stock - Ticker Symbol: WPG

Record Date	Payable Date	Type of Distribution	CUSIP Number	Total Distribution Per Share	Ordinary Dividends	Qualified Dividends	L-T Capital Gains	Non-Dividend Distributions	Liquidated Distributions	Section 199A Dividends
03/05/2018	03/15/2018	Cash	93964W108	\$0.250000	\$0.250000	\$0.010533	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.239467
06/01/2018	06/15/2018	Cash	93964W108	\$0.250000	\$0.250000	\$0.010533	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.239467
09/04/2018	09/17/2018	Cash	93964W108	\$0.250000	\$0.250000	\$0.010533	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.239467
12/03/2018	12/17/2018	Cash	93964W108	\$0.250000	\$0.250000	\$0.010533	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.239467
			TOTAL	\$1.000000	\$1.000000	\$0.042132	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.957868

Preferred Stock - 7.5% Series H Preferred Shares - Ticker Symbol: WPG-H

Record Date	Payable Date	Type of Distribution	CUSIP Number	Total Distribution Per Share	Ordinary Dividends	Qualified Dividends	L-T Capital Gains	Non-Dividend Distributions	Liquidated Distributions	Section 199A Dividends
03/29/2018	04/16/2018	Cash	93964W207	\$0.468800	\$0.468800	\$0.019752	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.449048
06/29/2018	07/16/2018	Cash	93964W207	\$0.468800	\$0.468800	\$0.019752	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.449048
09/28/2018	10/15/2018	Cash	93964W207	\$0.468800	\$0.468800	\$0.019752	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.449048
12/31/2018	01/15/2019	Cash	93964W207	\$0.468800	\$0.468800	\$0.019752	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.449048
			TOTAL	\$1.875200	\$1.875200	\$0.079008	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$1.796192

Preferred Stock - 6.875% Series I Preferred Shares - Ticker Symbol: WPG-I

Record Date	Payable Date	Type of Distribution	CUSIP Number	Total Distribution Per Share	Ordinary Dividends	Qualified Dividends	L-T Capital Gains	Non-Dividend Distributions	Liquidated Distributions	Section 199A Dividends
03/29/2018	04/16/2018	Cash	93964W306	\$0.429700	\$0.429700	\$0.018105	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.411595
06/29/2018	07/16/2018	Cash	93964W306	\$0.429700	\$0.429700	\$0.018105	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.411595
09/28/2018	10/15/2018	Cash	93964W306	\$0.429700	\$0.429700	\$0.018105	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.411595
12/31/2018	01/15/2019	Cash	93964W306	\$0.429700	\$0.429700	\$0.018105	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.411595
			TOTAL	\$1.718800	\$1.718800	\$0.072420	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	\$1.646380

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About Washington Prime Group

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