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I ♥ Mac & Cheese is Coming to Shoppes at Deerfield



(November 20, 2018) – Weingarten Realty (NYSE: WRI) announced that I ♥ Mac & Cheese has leased at 1,600 SF in Shoppes at Deerfield at West Hillsboro Boulevard and Powerline Road in Deerfield Beach, Florida.

I ♥ mac & cheese - A fast-casual restaurant, based in Fort Lauderdale, FL that specializes in macaroni and cheese, grilled cheese sandwiches.

There are currently seven locations across South Florida; plus a food truck, three locations in New York and one in Oklahoma. The Deerfield Beach location plans to open for business Q2 2019, which will be their eighth in Florida.

Customers get to create their own combination of mac & cheese, grilled cheese and tater tots topped with nine different proteins and seven kinds of cheese. There are additional items such as salads and desserts on the menu as well.

Broker, Tony DePierro, with The DePierro Group represented the tenant and Leasing Executive, <u>Nicole Townsend</u> represented <u>Weingarten Realty.</u>

About Weingarten Realty Investors

Weingarten Realty Investors (NYSE: WRI) is a shopping center owner, manager and developer. At September 30, 2018, the Company owned or operated under long-term leases, either directly or through its interest in real estate joint ventures or partnerships, a total of 185 properties which are located in 17 states spanning the country from coast to coast. These properties represent approximately 37.4 million square feet of which our interests in these

properties aggregated approximately 24.1 million square feet of leasable area. To learn more about the Company's operations and growth strategies, please visit www.weingarten.com.	