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**WINDERMERE COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE JOINS NAI GLOBAL
TEAM AND MOVES TO RICHLAND'S RIVER WALK VILLAGE**

Kennewick, WA (May 12, 2009) The announcement was released today that local real estate firm Windermere Commercial has changed its management affiliation to NAI Global and as a result has changed its name to NAI Tri-Cities. Although the name is new those affiliated with the organization are not. Agents involved in the transition came from the existing Windermere Commercial team. In addition to changing firm names NAI Tri-Cities will be relocating from their current location on Steptoe Ave. in Kennewick to the River Walk Village located at 400 Bradley in Richland by late May or early June 2009.

Along with transitioning to a new name the firm also has a new ownership structure, which has grown from two managing partners to six. Those involved include former owners of Windermere Commercial, Jeff Thompson and Dave Retter, as well as agents Greg Vierra, Lance Bacon, Gary Earp and Kevin O'Rorke. According to Greg Vierra, "Our team remains dedicated to serving the commercial clients here in the Tri-Cities. This new affiliation with NAI allows us to connect our strong local commercial real estate knowledge with a worldwide network and tap into the vast market resources of NAI Global. In the end this change will allow us to more effectively meet the needs of our clients locally and from outside the community."

NAI Global is one of the largest commercial real estate providers worldwide with a managed network of 5,000 professionals and 325 offices in 55 countries through the world. As the world's only managed network of commercial real estate firms, NAI Global completes over \$45 billion in business annually and manages over 200 million square feet of commercial space.

For more information about the NAI Tri-Cities please call 627-1680. For more information about NAI Global please go to www.naiglobal.com.

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