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Toner Real Estate Solutions and Northwest Costume to Host "One Last Costume Party" After November Fire

Tacoma, WA – Toner Real Estate Solutions announced today that in partnership with the owners of Northwest Costume, they will host "One Last Costume Party," a community event and tour of the building (2315 6th Avenue, Tacoma, WA 98403) on May 11, 2018 from 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm. This event will be an opportunity to "re-open" the building to the community and announce its availability for sale. This "invite only" event will include 6th Ave business owners, the City of Tacoma's economic department, potential buyers, and other select attendees. The public is welcome to attend if they contact Toner Real Estate Solutions to be added to the guest list.

Shortly after the November fire that destroyed the business and damaged the building, the Johnsons engaged Joe Toner of <u>Toner</u> <u>Real Estate Solutions</u> to represent them for the sale of the building.

"We are thrilled to help our longtime friends with the sale of this landmark building," said Joe Toner, Designated Broker Principal at Toner Real Estate Solutions. "Northwest Costume and Tom and Mary are truly one of a kind. They are community builders and have a love for the theater. To honor and pay homage to them and the building, we thought it would be a new and exciting idea to plan an extraordinary event to highlight the historical importance of the building and at the same time celebrate Tom and Mary's longstanding contribution to the community."

Local Tacoma businesses will support the event which will double as a fundraiser for the American Cancer Society (ACS). <u>TREE</u> will stage the event with custom furniture while the <u>Tacoma Weekly</u> and <u>512 Apparel</u> will provide items for various raffles to benefit the ACS.

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About Toner Real Estate Solutions

Toner Real Estate Solutions was founded with a simple mission: "to provide clients with the personal and professional guidance they need to make confident decisions in purchasing, selling or investing in real estate" Toner Real Estate Solutions specializes in private lending, real estate development, and buying and selling homes throughout Tacoma, Pierce County, and surrounding areas.

About Northwest Costume

Since 1982, Northwest Costume has provided quality costumes, makeup, and event supplies to the Pacific Northwest. Over three decades ago, Mary Johnson started Northwest Costume as a way to provide Halloween costumes to her immediate community. Hundreds of plays, musicals, fundraisers, auctions, dances, and weddings later, and the little costume shop grew into a Tacoma institution, providing dazzling ensembles to the South Sound, and greater Seattle area.