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GLIMCHER SCHEDULES THIRD QUARTER 2009 CONFERENCE CALL

COLUMBUS, Ohio—September 24, 2009—Glimcher Realty Trust (NYSE: GRT) announced today that the financial and operating results for the 2009 third quarter will be released after the close of trading on the New York Stock Exchange on Thursday, October 29, 2009. The company will hold a conference call on Friday, October 30, 2009, at 10:00 a.m. (ET) to discuss these results. The live webcast and conference call will be available in listen-only mode to investors and interested parties via:

Teleconference: (866) 783.2146 Passcode: 45198197

Internet webcast: www.glimcher.com

To participate, please dial-in/logon at least 5 minutes prior to the scheduled start time in order to download and install any necessary audio software and/or to register for the call.

A replay will be available through midnight November 13, 2009 by dialing (888) 286.8010, passcode 35587981, or via the webcast replay on the Investor Relations page of the website.

About Glimcher Realty Trust

Glimcher Realty Trust, a real estate investment trust, is a recognized leader in the ownership, management, acquisition and development of malls, which includes enclosed regional malls and open-air lifestyle centers as well as community centers.

Glimcher Realty Trust's common shares are listed on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol "GRT." Glimcher Realty Trust's Series F and Series G preferred shares are listed on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbols "GRT-F" and "GRT-G," respectively. Glimcher Realty Trust is a component of both the Russell 2000[®] Index, representing small cap stocks, and the Russell 3000[®] Index, representing the broader market.

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