



## COLUMBIA HOSPITALITY ADDS TACOMA'S NORTH SHORE GOLF COURSE TO GROWING GOLF PORTFOLIO

*55-year-old Tacoma golf course announces ownership change along with new management partner*

**Tacoma, Wash.** (October 11, 2016) – Seattle-based hospitality management and consulting company Columbia Hospitality announces an exclusive management and operational agreement with North Shore Golf Course, a celebrated public golf course in northeast Tacoma. North Shore was recently acquired by the Puyallup Tribe and Marine View Ventures (MVV), the economic development arm of the Puyallup Tribe, one of the largest Indian Tribes in the Pacific Northwest.

“Expanding our golf portfolio has been a major area of focus for Columbia Hospitality the past two years and North Shore Golf Club is the ideal partner for us,” said Columbia Hospitality founder and CEO John Oppenheimer. “Our team will continue to honor the course’s motto and ensure that it is always ‘A Great Day at North Shore,’ as we move forward together to enhance and improve each golfer’s experience on and off the course.”

North Shore Golf Course offers a classic Northwest golf experience featuring lakes and Sequoia and Douglas fir tree-lined fairways. The par-71 course includes 50 bunkers – the perfect challenge for the avid golfer. On the Greens Restaurant is a great spot for a quick snack or casual dining, featuring seating indoors as well as an outside patio overlooking the putting greens.

North Shore has been serving golfers and their families for 55 years and has a strong presence in Pierce County. The Puyallup Tribe will be making significant capital improvements to the course and facilities, remaining a vital contributor to the greater Tacoma area.

### **About North Shore Golf Course**

*Celebrating 55 years as a public golf course in historic northeast Tacoma, Wash., North Shore Golf Course features a fun yet challenging 18-hole course, along with a covered and open real grass driving range facility, golfing lessons for all ages, and multiple practice greens. On the Greens Restaurant is a perfect option for a pre or post-round meal or your next private event. Featuring a diverse menu of American fare, enjoy a quick snack or casual dining indoors or on the outside patio overlooking the putting greens. For more information on North Shore Golf Course or to schedule a tee time, visit <http://www.northshoregc.net>.*

### **About Columbia Hospitality**

*Columbia Hospitality (Columbia) is a Seattle-based hospitality management and consulting company that was established in 1995 by founder and CEO John Oppenheimer. Columbia's growing portfolio includes award-winning hotels, public and private golf facilities, conference centers, distinctive venues and residential properties. Columbia creates exceptional experiences for guests and team members while achieving phenomenal results for property owners. With over 20 years of proven success in management, Columbia has also consulted on over 100 hospitality projects worldwide, delivering a high level of customized service to partners and investors. For more information about Columbia and to view the entire portfolio visit [www.columbiahospitality.com](http://www.columbiahospitality.com).*

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