

THALHIMER Tives TOULBOOK



## For Immediate Release

# Through Thalhimer Gives, Cushman & Wakefield | Thalhimer **Establishes Meaningful Partnership with Richmond Community ToolBank**

RICHMOND, VIRGINIA, November 5, 2019 - Cushman & Wakefield | Thalhimer partnered with Richmond Community ToolBank for the months of September and October through their Thalhimer Gives program, a company initiative focused on community involvement and charitable giving. Through Thalhimer Gives, associates actively engage in the community by donating financially, providing much-needed supplies, and giving generously of their time to local non-profit organizations.

- **Donating financially** 
  - Thalhimer associates raised \$1,482 for the Richmond Community ToolBank through "Friday Jeans" and the company contributed a \$1,000 match for a total donation of \$2,482. "Friday Jeans" allows Thalhimer associates to wear jeans every Friday by making a \$5 donation to the Thalhimer Gives partner organization.

## **Providing much-needed supplies**

Thalhimer associates donated tools accessories, paint, shop rags and other construction-type materials to  $\circ$ benefit the ToolBank's lending program that provides not-for-profit organizations an inventory of tools for use in volunteer projects and for facility and grounds maintenance.

## Giving generously of their time

- Thalhimer partnered with Richmond Community ToolBank for two volunteer opportunities on September 18, 0 as well as October 24, and provided associates paid time off to give back.
  - Thalhimer associates worked alongside ToolBank staff to help organize and label donation items, build shelves, inspect and patch canopy tents, brand items with the ToolBank logo, and helped prepare a large tool order for a major off-site event.
  - Thalhimer associates assisted the ToolBank staff with decorating and gearing up for their 4<sup>th</sup> annual fundraising event, Hammers and Ales, which was held on October 26th.

"The Richmond ToolBank is a young and lean nonprofit that has empowered nearly 300 nonprofits and 80,000 volunteers with the tools and equipment that they need to complete about 5,000 transformational projects around the Richmond region in just the last few years. But the fact is, the only way we're able to equip the entire nonprofit and volunteer sector here is through the generosity of partners like Cushman & Wakefield | Thalhimer. Over the past two months, their whole team has contributed to our mission through financial contributions, supply donations and volunteer service which has given us a tremendous boost in our ability to help make Richmond safer, healthier, more beautiful and equitable for all of us. We're just

For Further Information Contact:

Lee Warfield President & CEO +1 804 697 3487 lee.warfield@thalhimer.com



THALHIMER Tives Torchand community



so humbled by the support and generosity we've received from the Cushman & Wakefield | Thalhimer team and grateful to them for their support," said Toby Vernon, Executive Director at the Richmond Community ToolBank.

"The Richmond Community ToolBank is a very unique organization that adds tremendous value to our community. They provide tools and resources to numerous RVA nonprofits, enabling those nonprofits to execute on their individual missions to serve our community. Our Thalhimer associates enthusiastically donated their time and money to help ToolBank. In doing so, it was great to know that we had a positive impact on many local charitable groups that are supported by the ToolBank," Lee Warfield, President & CEO of Thalhimer.





Tives THALHIMER



Pictured left to right: Lee Warfield (Cushman & Wakefield | Thalhimer), Toby Vernon (Richmond Community ToolBank), Connie Jordan Nielsen (Cushman & Wakefield | Thalhimer)

### About the Richmond Community ToolBank

The Richmond Community ToolBank is a nonprofit tool lending program that provides fellow not-for-profit organizations with year-round access to an inventory of tools for use in volunteer projects and for facility and grounds maintenance. We provide tools to enhance the charitable sector's capacity to serve, facilitating hands-on volunteerism in the greater Richmond area. The Richmond ToolBank maintains an 10,000 sq.ft. warehouse in Scott's Addition and an inventory comprised of more than 200 different types of tools and equipment in volumes large enough to equip thousands of volunteers at a time. Access to ToolBank tools eliminates the need for agencies to incur the expense of purchasing, repairing, and storing tools, reducing the costs associated with service projects and allowing these agencies to focus more of their resources on their mission. For more information visit https://www.richmondtoolbank.org/.

### About Cushman & Wakefield | Thalhimer

Thalhimer was founded in 1913 and currently has offices in Richmond, Newport News, Virginia Beach, Fredericksburg, Roanoke, Charlottesville, and Lynchburg, VA; and Charleston, Columbia, and Greenville, SC. The company has over 100 broker professionals and employs over 400 associates. Thalhimer represents, on behalf of its clients, a property portfolio of over 56 million leasable square feet, and management of over 30 million square feet of commercial property, and over 8,000 multifamily units. In 2018 Thalhimer completed nearly 2,000 transactions with a transactional volume over \$1.3 billion. Thalhimer is the region's leading provider of comprehensive commercial real estate services. The firm offers comprehensive commercial real estate services including corporate services, investment sales, tenant representation, project management, asset management, and the sale and leasing of office, industrial and retail properties. To learn more, visit www.thalhimer.com or follow @Thalhimer on Twitter.

Independently Owned and Operated / A Member of the Cushman & Wakefield Alliance

#### About Cushman & Wakefield

Cushman & Wakefield (NYSE: CWK) is a leading global real estate services firm that delivers exceptional value for real estate occupiers and owners. Cushman & Wakefield is among the largest real estate services firms with approximately 51,000 employees in 400 offices and 70 countries. In 2018, the firm had revenue of \$8.2 billion across core services of property, facilities and project management, leasing, capital markets, valuation and other services. To learn more, visit www.cushmanwakefield.com or follow @CushWake on Twitter.

-END-