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## Shari's Restaurants Open 98<sup>th</sup> Location

(Tualatin, Oregon – 6/8/06) – Shari's Family Restaurants opened their doors this week in Tualatin, Oregon, a bustling suburban community southwest of Portland. It is the 98<sup>th</sup> location in the Shari's chain, and will be the 43<sup>rd</sup> location in the state of Oregon.



“We’re very excited about the potential of our new Tualatin restaurant,” said Larry Curtis, CEO and President of Shari's Management Corporation. “Growth in the area is exploding. We’re across the street from one of the busiest Fred Meyers in their chain, plus with the addition of the Bridgeport Village retail center and additional shopping centers under construction, the city of Tualatin has become a destination location.”

Customers will notice a departure from Shari's patented six-sided buildings, as the Tualatin location was a retrofit of a defunct pizzeria. It is one of the largest buildings in the Shari's chain, with seating capacity topping out at 150 guests. One entire side of the building is built in an elevated solarium that overlooks a small pond and waterfall.

“The loyalty of Shari's customers is evident at Tualatin,” according to Craig Kessler, Shari's Senior Vice-President of Operations. “I’ve already noticed several guests in here every day since we’ve opened, and many others have expressed gratitude that Shari's has finally opened in their community.”

The Tualatin Shari's is open 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. The General Manager is Leslie Hewitt, who has been with Shari's for over six years. This is the second new store opening team that she has managed.

Shari's Management Corporation is currently looking for additional prime sites throughout the Northwest for continued expansion.

**About Shari's Restaurants:** Shari's ([www.sharis.com](http://www.sharis.com)) is the largest full-service restaurant chain based in the Pacific Northwest. Founded in 1978 and operated by Shari's Management Corporation of Beaverton, Oregon, Shari's Restaurants provide customers high quality, reasonably-priced meals 24-hours a day in a comfortable surrounding. Shari's menu features a full selection of breakfasts, salads, gourmet sandwiches, hamburgers, dinner entrees, desserts and pies. With nearly 4,500 employees, the chain currently has 98 locations throughout Oregon, Washington, California, Wyoming, Idaho, and Nebraska.