

Completion of share buyback program 2022

Wienerberger generates further shareholder value through successful share buyback program

Wienerberger AG successfully completed its share buyback program, which began in March 2022, on Friday, September 23, 2022. As part of the extensive program, a total of 7.7% of the share capital or 8,830,000 shares were repurchased for an equivalent value of approximately € 212 million. With the completion of this buyback program, the maximum amount of 8% of the share capital of Wienerberger AG permitted by the resolution of the Annual General Meeting in May 2022 was reached.

Wienerberger AG will soon cancel treasury shares in the amount of 3% of share capital in accordance with regulatory requirements, which will lead to a further increase in earnings per share. In this way, Wienerberger will again return a substantial amount of capital to its shareholders. In line with our growth strategy, the remaining treasury shares will be retained for the time being as transaction currency for potential value-creating acquisitions.

As a result of the current situation on financial markets and the very strong performance of Wienerberger, management intends to continue the share buyback program up to the maximum permitted level in the not too distant future.