

Rialto Theatre

Tacoma, Washington



The Rialto Theatre, which originally opened in the fall of 1918, was renovated and re-opened in the fall of 1991 as the new home for the Tacoma Youth Symphony. Care was taken to recreate the original character while bringing the structure up to modern code. Its original features, both interior and exterior, were fully restored, and the theatre is a key element in Tacoma's Broadway Theatre District.

Design Awards:
Award of Merit, Washington Trust for
Historic Preservation, 1992
AIA Special Citation, Southwest
Washington Chapter, 1990

Design Awards:
Project of the Year "Renovation /
Restoration," Associated Builders
and Contractors, 1991
Merit Award, Associated Builders
and Contractors, 1992