SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

(Amendment No. 15)

Wheeler Real Estate Investment Trust, Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, $0.01 par value per share

(Title of Class of Securities)

963025721

(CUSIP Number)

09/30/2026

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

- [x] Rule 13d-1(b)
- [ ] Rule 13d-1(c)
- [ ] Rule 13d-1(d)

SCHEDULE 13G

CUSIP Number(s):	963025721

1	**Names of Reporting Persons** Magnetar Financial LLC
2	**Check the appropriate box if a member of a Group (see instructions)** ☐ (a) ☐ (b)
3	**Sec Use Only**
4	**Citizenship or Place of Organization**

	DELAWARE	
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With:	5	**Sole Voting Power** 0.00
	6	**Shared Voting Power** 986,553.00
	7	**Sole Dispositive Power** 0.00
	8	**Shared Dispositive Power** 986,553.00
9	**Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person** 986,553.00	
10	**Check box if the aggregate amount in row (9) excludes certain shares (See Instructions)** ☐	
11	**Percent of class represented by amount in row (9)** 40.3 %	
12	**Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)** IA, OO	

Comment for Type of Reporting Person: The 986,553 share figure in Rows 6, 8 and 9 is equal to the number of shares of Common Stock obtainable upon conversion in full of $4,770,575 aggregate principal amount of the Notes (as defined in Item 2(a) of this Schedule 13G), 115,706 shares of the Series D Preferred Stock (as defined in Item 2(a) of this Schedule 13G) and 218,512 shares of Series B Preferred Stock (as defined in Item 2(a) of this Schedule 13G) held by the Magnetar Vehicles (as defined in Item 2(a) of this Schedule 13G), assuming conversion prices in respect of the Notes, the Series D Preferred Stock and the Series B Preferred Stock as set forth under Item 4(b) below. The percentage in Row 11 is based on the calculation set forth in Item 4(b) below.

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1	**Names of Reporting Persons** Magnetar Capital Partners LP	
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3	**Sec Use Only**	
4	**Citizenship or Place of Organization** DELAWARE	
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12	**Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)** HC, PN	

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1	**Names of Reporting Persons** Supernova Management LLC	
2	**Check the appropriate box if a member of a Group (see instructions)** ☐ (a) ☐ (b)	
3	**Sec Use Only**	
4	**Citizenship or Place of Organization** DELAWARE	
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With:	5	**Sole Voting Power** 0.00
	6	**Shared Voting Power** 986,553.00
	7	**Sole Dispositive Power** 0.00
	8	**Shared Dispositive Power** 986,553.00
9	**Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person** 986,553.00	
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11	**Percent of class represented by amount in row (9)** 40.3 %	

12	**Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)** OO, HC

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1	**Names of Reporting Persons** Snyderman David J.	
2	**Check the appropriate box if a member of a Group (see instructions)** ☐ (a) ☐ (b)	
3	**Sec Use Only**	
4	**Citizenship or Place of Organization** UNITED STATES	
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With:	5	**Sole Voting Power** 0.00
	6	**Shared Voting Power** 986,553.00
	7	**Sole Dispositive Power** 0.00
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Item 1.

(a) Name of issuer:

Wheeler Real Estate Investment Trust, Inc.

(b) Address of issuer's principal executive offices:

2529 Virginia Beach Boulevard, Virginia Beach, Virginia 23452

Item 2.

(a) Name of person filing:

This Amendment No. 15 (the "Amendment No. 15") relates to the Statement of Beneficial Ownership on Schedule 13G filed jointly by Magnetar Financial LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Magnetar Financial"), Magnetar Capital Partners LP, a Delaware limited partnership ("Magnetar Capital Partners"), Supernova Management LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Supernova Management"), and Alec N. Litowitz ("Mr. Litowitz") with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") on September 10, 2021, as amended by Amendment No. 1 filed with the SEC on February 14, 2022, Amendment No. 2 filed with the SEC on November 10, 2022, Amendment No. 3 filed with the SEC on January 31, 2023, Amendment No. 4 filed with the SEC on November 13, 2023, Amendment No. 5 filed with the SEC on February 14, 2024, Amendment No. 6 filed with the SEC on November 14, 2024, Amendment No. 7 filed with the SEC on February 14, 2025, Amendment No. 8 filed with the SEC on May 15, 2025, Amendment No. 9 filed with the SEC on August 14, 2025, Amendment No. 10 filed with the SEC on November 14, 2025, Amendment No. 11 filed with the SEC on February 17, 2026, Amendment No. 12 filed with the SEC on March 3, 2026, Amendment No. 13 filed with the SEC on May 15, 2026, and Amendment No. 14 filed with the SEC on August 14, 2026, by Magnetar Financial, Magnetar Capital Partners, Supernova Management and David J. Snyderman ("Mr. Snyderman").

This statement is filed on behalf of each of the following persons (collectively, the "Reporting Persons"):

i) Magnetar Financial LLC ("Magnetar Financial");

ii) Magnetar Capital Partners LP ("Magnetar Capital Partners");

iii) Supernova Management LLC ("Supernova Management"); and

iv) David J. Snyderman ("Mr. Snyderman").

This statement relates to shares of Common Stock, par value $0.01 per share ("Common Stock"), of the Issuer issuable to the Magnetar Vehicles (as defined below) (and thus beneficially owned by the Reporting Persons) upon (a) the potential conversion of the Issuer's 7.00% Senior Subordinated Convertible Notes Due 2031 (the "Notes") held by the Magnetar Vehicles; (b) the potential conversion of shares of the Issuer's 8.75% Series D Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock (the "Series D Preferred Stock") held by the Magnetar Vehicles; and/or (c) the potential conversion of shares of the Issuer's 9% Series B Convertible Preferred Stock (the "Series B Preferred Stock") held by the Magnetar Vehicles. Although the Magnetar Vehicles are subject to the Investor Excepted Holder Limits as described in the following paragraph, those Investor Excepted Holder Limits did not operate to reduce the Magnetar Vehicles' beneficial ownership as reported herein as of September 30, 2026, because the Magnetar Vehicles did not beneficially own shares of Common Stock of the Issuer in excess of those Investor Excepted Holder Limits on that date.

On February 19, 2026, the Issuer and the Magnetar Vehicles entered into an Excepted Holder Agreement pursuant to which the Issuer exempted the Magnetar Vehicles from (i) the Common Stock Ownership Limit (contained and defined in the Issuer's Charter) of not more than 9.8% (in value or number of shares, whichever is more restrictive) of the aggregate of the outstanding shares of Common Stock and (ii) the Aggregate Stock Ownership Limit (contained and defined in the Issuer's Charter) of not more than 9.8% in value of the aggregate of the total outstanding shares of capital stock of the Issuer. Instead, under the terms of the Excepted Holder Agreement, the conversion of the Notes, Series D Preferred Stock and Series B Preferred Stock is subject to (higher) limits that permit the Reporting Persons to beneficially own up to (i) 45% (in value or number of shares, whichever is more restrictive) of the aggregate of the outstanding shares of the Common Stock (as calculated under the definition of Common Stock Ownership Limit in the Issuer's Charter) and (ii) 19% in value of the aggregate of the total outstanding shares of capital stock of the Issuer (as calculated under the definition of Aggregate Stock Ownership Limit in the Issuer's Charter). We refer to these (higher) limits permitted under the Excepted Holder Agreement, together, as the "Investor Excepted Holder Limits".

Until such time as the Investor Excepted Holder Limits terminate pursuant to Section 6.4 of the Excepted Holder Agreement, the limits in the Excepted Holder Agreement apply in place of the lower limits that would otherwise apply pursuant to the Issuer's Charter. After such termination, unless the Issuer's board of directors grants an additional exception therefrom, the lower limits in the Issuer's Charter will apply and become the new ownership limits applicable to the Magnetar Vehicles and the Reporting Persons for purposes of the disclosures within this Schedule 13G.

The Notes, Series D Preferred Stock and Series B Preferred Stock are held by Magnetar Structured Credit Fund, LP ("Structured Credit Fund") and Magnetar Longhorn Fund LP ("Longhorn Fund"), both Delaware limited partnerships; and Magnetar Lake Credit Fund LLC ("Lake Credit Fund"), Purpose Alternative Credit Fund - F LLC ("Alternative Fund F") and Purpose Alternative Credit Fund - T LLC ("Alternative Fund T"), all Delaware limited liability companies. In this Schedule 13G, we refer to the foregoing holders collectively as the "Magnetar Vehicles".

Magnetar Financial serves as (i) the investment manager to Longhorn Fund, Alternative Fund F and Alternative Fund T, (ii) general partner of Structured Credit Fund and (iii) manager of Lake Credit Fund. As such, Magnetar Financial exercises voting and investment power over securities held by the Magnetar Vehicles.

Magnetar Capital Partners is the sole member and parent holding company of Magnetar Financial.

Supernova Management is the general partner of Magnetar Capital Partners.

The Administrative Manager of Supernova Management is currently Mr. Snyderman.

(b) Address or principal business office or, if none, residence:

The address of the principal business office of each of Magnetar Financial, Magnetar Capital Partners, Supernova Management and Mr. Snyderman is 1603 Orrington Avenue, 13th Floor, Evanston, Illinois 60201.

(c) Citizenship:

i) Magnetar Financial is a Delaware limited liability company;

ii) Magnetar Capital Partners is a Delaware limited partnership;

iii) Supernova Management is a Delaware limited liability company; and

iv) Mr. Snyderman is a citizen of the United States of America.

(d) Title of class of securities:

Common Stock, $0.01 par value per share

(e) CUSIP No.:

963025721

Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to §§ 240.13d-1(b) or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:

(a) ☐ **Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78o);**

(b) ☐ **Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);**

(c) ☐ **Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);**

(d) ☐ **Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8);**

(e) ☑ **An investment adviser in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);**

(f) ☐ **An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);**

(g) ☑ **A parent holding company or control person in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);**

(h) ☐ **A savings associations as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);**

(i) ☐ **A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);**

(j) ☐ **A non-U.S. institution in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J). If filing as a non-U.S. institution in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J), please specify the type of institution:**

(k) ☐ **Group, in accordance with Rule 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(K).**

Item 4. Ownership

(a) Amount beneficially owned:

As of September 30, 2026, each of the Reporting Persons may be deemed to beneficially own approximately 986,553 shares of Common Stock. The Reporting Persons describe the calculation of this share figure in Item 4(b) below.

(b) Percent of class:

As of September 30, 2026, each of the Reporting Persons may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of approximately 40.3% of the total number of shares of Common Stock then outstanding.

This percentage is calculated based on (i) 1,460,796 shares of Common Stock outstanding as of September 30, 2026 (which figure is based on the Issuer's outstanding share figure for its Common Stock as reported in its quarterly report on Form 10-Q filed with the SEC on November 5, 2026, without taking into account the one-for-six reverse stock split the Issuer effected on October 29, 2026), (ii) 986,553 shares of Common Stock that the Magnetar Vehicles have the right to acquire upon conversion in full of $4,770,575 aggregate principal amount of the Notes held by the Magnetar Vehicles, assuming a conversion price thereof of approximately $4.84 per share of Common Stock, which shares have been added to the shares of Common Stock outstanding in the preceding clause (i) in accordance with Rule 13d-3(d)(1)(i) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, (iii) zero shares of Common Stock that the Magnetar Vehicles have the right to acquire upon conversion in full of 115,706 shares of Series D Preferred Stock held by the Magnetar Vehicles, assuming a conversion price thereof of approximately $1,107,800,064,000 per share of Common Stock (without taking into account the one-for-six reverse stock split the Issuer effected on October 29, 2026), and (iv) zero shares of Common Stock that the Magnetar Vehicles have the right to acquire upon conversion in full of 218,512 shares of Series B Preferred Stock held by the Magnetar Vehicles, assuming a conversion price thereof of approximately $2,612,736,000,000 per share of Common Stock (without taking into account the one-for-six reverse stock split the Issuer effected on October 29, 2026).

These assumed conversion prices for the Notes, the Series D Preferred Stock and the Series B Preferred Stock are based on information provided by the Issuer in its Form 8-K filed with the SEC on September 17, 2026.

(c) Number of shares as to which the person has:

(i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote:

Magnetar Financial, Magnetar Capital Partners, Supernova Management and Mr. Snyderman: 0

(ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote:

Magnetar Financial, Magnetar Capital Partners, Supernova Management and Mr. Snyderman: 986,553

(iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:

Magnetar Financial, Magnetar Capital Partners, Supernova Management and Mr. Snyderman: 0

(iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:

Magnetar Financial, Magnetar Capital Partners, Supernova Management and Mr. Snyderman: 986,553

Item 5. Ownership of 5 Percent or Less of a Class.

Not Applicable

Item 6. Ownership of more than 5 Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

Not Applicable

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company or Control Person.

If a parent holding company has filed this schedule, pursuant to Rule 13d-1(b)(ii)(G), so indicate under Item 3(g) and attach an exhibit stating the identity and the Item 3 classification of the relevant subsidiary. If a parent holding company has filed this schedule pursuant to Rule 13d-1(c) or Rule 13d-1(d), attach an exhibit stating the identification of the relevant subsidiary.

Magnetar Financial is an investment adviser registered under Section 203 of the Investment Advisors Act of 1940 and serves as (i) the investment manager to Longhorn Fund, Alternative Fund F and Alternative Fund T, (ii) general partner of Structured Credit Fund and (iii) manager of Lake Credit Fund. As such, Magnetar Financial exercises voting and investment power over the Magnetar Vehicles.

Magnetar Capital Partners is the sole member and parent holding company of Magnetar Financial.

Supernova Management is the general partner of Magnetar Capital Partners.

The current Administrative Manager of Supernova Management is Mr. Snyderman.

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

Not Applicable

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Not Applicable

Item 10. Certifications:

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect, other than activities solely in connection with a nomination under § 240.14a-11.

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Magnetar Financial LLC

Signature: **/s/ Hayley A. Stein**

Name/Title: **Hayley A. Stein, Attorney-in-fact for David J. Snyderman, Admin Mgr of Supernova Management LLC, GP of Magnetar Capital Partners LP, its Sole Member**

Date: **11/16/2026**

Magnetar Capital Partners LP

Signature: **/s/ Hayley A. Stein**

Name/Title: **Hayley A. Stein, Attorney-in-fact for David J. Snyderman, Administrative Manager of Supernova Management LLC, its General Partner**

Date: **11/16/2026**

Supernova Management LLC

Signature: /s/ Hayley A. Stein
Name/Title: Hayley A. Stein, Attorney-in-fact for David J. Snyderman, Administrative Manager of Supernova Management LLC
Date: 11/16/2026

Snyderman David J.

Signature: /s/ Hayley A. Stein
Name/Title: Hayley A. Stein, Attorney-in-fact for David J. Snyderman
Date: 11/16/2026

Exhibit Information

Exhibit A - Joint Filing Agreement, dated November 16, 2026, by and among the Reporting Persons
Exhibit B - Power of Attorney, dated December 22, 2022

Exhibit A

JOINT FILING AGREEMENT

In accordance with Rule 13d-1(k), as promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the persons named below agree to the joint filing on behalf of each of them a Statement on Schedule 13G (including amendments thereto) with regard to the common stock of Wheeler Real Estate Investment Trust, Inc., and further agree that this Joint Filing Agreement be included as an Exhibit to such joint filings. In evidence thereof, the undersigned, being duly authorized, hereby execute this Joint Filing Agreement as of November 16, 2026.

Date: November 16, 2026

MAGNETAR FINANCIAL LLC

By: Magnetar Capital Partners LP, its Sole Member
By: Supernova Management LLC, its General Partner

By: /s/ Hayley A. Stein
Name: Hayley A. Stein
Title: Attorney-in-fact for David J. Snyderman, Administrative Manager of Supernova Management LLC

Date: November 16, 2026

MAGNETAR CAPITAL PARTNERS LP

By: Supernova Management LLC, its General Partner

By: /s/ Hayley A. Stein
Name: Hayley A. Stein
Title: Attorney-in-fact for David J. Snyderman, Administrative Manager of Supernova Management LLC

Date: November 16, 2026

SUPERNOVA MANAGEMENT LLC

By: /s/ Hayley A. Stein
Name: Hayley A. Stein
Title: Attorney-in-fact for David J. Snyderman, Administrative Manager of Supernova Management LLC

Date: November 16, 2026

DAVID J. SNYDERMAN

By: /s/ Hayley A. Stein
Name: Hayley A. Stein
Title: Attorney-in-fact for David J. Snyderman

Exhibit B

LIMITED POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all by these present, that I, David J. Snyderman, hereby make, constitute and appoint each of Michael Turro, Karl Wachter and Hayley A. Stein, or any of them acting individually, and with full power of substitution, as my true and lawful attorney-in-fact for the purpose of executing in my name, (a) in my personal capacity or (b) in my capacity as Administrative Manager or in other capacities of Supernova Management LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, and each of its affiliates or entities advised or controlled by me or Supernova Management LLC, all documents, certificates, instruments, statements, filings and agreements ("documents") to be filed with or delivered to the United States Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") pursuant to the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act"), and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, including, without limitation, all documents relating to the beneficial ownership of securities required to be filed with the SEC pursuant to Section 13(d) or Section 16(a) of the Act, including, without limitation: (a) any acquisition statements on Schedule 13D or Schedule 13G and any amendments thereto, (b) any joint filing agreements pursuant to Rule 13d-1(k) under the Act, and (c) any initial statements of, or statements of changes in, beneficial ownership of securities on Form 3, Form 4 or Form 5.

All past acts of the attorney-in-fact in furtherance of the foregoing are hereby ratified and confirmed.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the earlier of it being (a) revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorney-in-fact or (b) superseded by a new power of attorney regarding the purposes outlined herein as of a later date.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 22 day of December, 2022.

/s/ David J. Snyderman
Signature

David J. Snyderman
Print Name