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Hotel FIVE, Seattle, Washington

A former Ramada Inn from the late 70s is today's Hotel FIVE. Today, a Pineapple Hospitality property, the whimsical, even capricious approach to design belies the original hotel's commitment to corporate conformity popular among hotel chains of the time. Now, guests find a lobby comparable to your bachelor uncle's rumpus room gone wild. Guest rooms are awash with lively color from the wall treatments to the art. Located in the thick of the Belltown neighborhood, you are surrounded by some of the best restaurants in the city and can walk to nearly everything downtown Seattle has to offer. When booking, check the website for hot packages and promos. hotelfiveseattle.com, visitseattle.org

Hotel Rose, Portland, Oregon

Another relic motor inn from the 60s, downtown Portland's Hotel Rose exudes modern style and comfort. Recently acquired by Pineapple Hospitality, the hotel has their signature vibrant atmosphere. Downtown convenience makes it perfect for business travelers, and the location right across from the Tom McCall Waterfront Park makes it a popular destination for leisure travelers. You can't beat the Willamette River view from the rooms facing the park. While staying at the Hotel

Rose, join the throngs of Portlanders who've taken to pedal power and take advantage of their complimentary bicycles. https://doi.org/10.2016/join.com/ travelportland.com