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Dear Ms. Bladholm,

Thank you for taking the initiative to explore the feasibility of launching a water ferry service, connecting the City of Portland to the City of Vancouver and/or the City of Lake Oswego, among other potential stops. Given that Portland has experienced exponential growth, the residents and visitors to Portland are experiencing traffic congestion which a river taxi service may help mitigate.

Your concept plan for the Frog Ferry that outlines key goals, challenges, benefits, and approach principles is well defined. Pacific NW Experience expresses its support for your next step to create a feasibility study, which, among other deliverables outlined, would articulate the operational requirements, costs, passenger research, public-private partnership construct, and vessel specification.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Leslie Wangler". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Leslie Wangler

President, Pacific NW Experience