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## Letter of Recommendation for Frog Ferry

To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing to wholeheartedly recommend the Friends of Frog Ferry, a non-profit grassroots initiative dedicated to bringing a world-class passenger ferry service to the Portland metro region. This initiative is spearheaded by an impressive team of nine volunteer committees comprised of 200 industry experts, a transit-savvy board, and supported by over 2,000 stakeholders and supporters.

The vision and dedication of Frog Ferry to enhance Portland's transportation infrastructure are truly commendable. Under the leadership of Susan Bladholm, Frog Ferry has demonstrated exceptional organizational skills, strategic planning, and community engagement. Susan's recent presentation to the Metropolitan Business Association (MBA) was a testament to the group's professionalism and their compelling vision for the future of the Portland metro region.

Friends of Frog Ferry has shown remarkable tenacity in advocating for a sustainable and efficient transportation solution that promises to benefit the entire community. Their collaborative spirit, coupled with the expertise of their diverse team, inspires confidence that they will achieve their goal of creating a passenger ferry service that meets the highest standards of excellence.

I have no doubt that Frog Ferry will significantly enhance the quality of life in the Portland metro region by providing a reliable, eco-friendly, and innovative mode of transportation. I fully endorse their efforts and encourage others to support this visionary initiative.

Sincerely,

David Chapman Head of MBA Program Committee