

September 13, 2011

Mr. Henry Hewitt 900 SW 5th Avenue, Suite 2600 Portland, OR 97204

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Councilor Jeanne Harris PO Box 1995 Vancouver, WA 98668

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Director Matthew Garrett 355 Capitol Street NE, Suite 135 Salem, OR 97301

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Secretary Paula Hammond PO Box 47300 Olympia, WA 98504

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