



# CITY OF STEVENSON

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7121 E Loop Road, PO Box 371, Stevenson, WA 98648

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Dale Robins  
Regional Transportation Council  
P.O. Box 1366  
Vancouver, Washington 98666-1366


Dear Mr. Robins,

Please accept this letter in support of the Port of Skamania County's application to the 2017 Transportation Alternatives Program to fund the construction of a new, accessible bike-pedestrian trail paralleling the Columbia River in Stevenson, WA. This project will greatly enhance public access and public safety at the waterfront and has the potential to increase tourism and spur economic growth in our community.

The waterfront is a vital asset to this community. Residents consistently express that one of the highest priorities for their quality of life is to improve connectivity between the waterfront and the rest of the town. This project will help accomplish that.

The City of Stevenson fully supports the efforts of the Port of Skamania County to construct a new waterfront trail. We look forward to the opportunities this project will bring to both residents and businesses of Skamania County.

Sincerely,

  
Frank Cox  
Mayor, City of Stevenson