June 12, 2025

Subject: Support for Frog Ferry in HB 2025 – A Youth- and Community-Centered Investment

Dear Legislators,

On behalf of Life2Launch, we strongly support funding Frog Ferry in the 2025 Transportation Package (HB 2025).

As a youth- and community-centered organization, we believe Frog Ferry is a vital project that advances equitable access, placemaking, and community connectivity especially for young people navigating their lives in and around Portland. It offers an inspiring opportunity to activate our waterfront as a shared public space, connect communities through accessible and sustainable transit, and foster deeper relationships with our region's history, ecology, and future.

Frog Ferry represents the kind of regenerative infrastructure Oregon needs one rooted in inclusion, innovation, and place-based resilience.

Thank you for supporting a future-forward vision that puts people and planet first.

In partnership,

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