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Troutdale, Oregon 97060

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Dear Governor Kulongowski,

The West Columbia Gorge Chamber of Commerce, which represents the communities of Fairview, Wood Village, Troutdale, Springdale, Corbett, Multnomah Falls and Cascade Locks is writing this letter in support of siting the casino in Cascade Locks. The city, businesses and community all consider this an important economic development opportunity for their area and we are in agreement with that assessment.

We feel that it fits well with both the economic development and tourism priorities that the state of Oregon has outlined as important components for economic recovery for the communities in our state.

We thank you for your consideration and we hope that you will approve the casino location in Cascade Locks.

Sincerely,

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