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via e-mail: mail@bcferrycoalition.com

Jef Keighley
BC Ferry Coalition

Dear Mr. Keighley:

Re: Support for BC Ferry Coalition's Fiscal Fairness Campaign

In support of the BC Ferry Coalition's action January 18 and its work to connect ferry-dependent communities on the coast, yesterday we adopted this resolution:

"That Islands Trust Council's Executive Committee express support for the BC Ferry Coalition's Fiscal Fairness campaign, as its goals align with Islands Trust Council's position that coastal communities depend on affordable fares and reliable service levels, that 25% fare rollbacks are needed to revitalize coastal economies, and that the Province should recognize the coastal ferry service as an essential and integral part of BC's transportation infrastructure and fund it accordingly."

Thank you for your work to bring coastal communities together on this vital issue.

Yours sincerely,

Sheila Malcolmson
Chair, Islands Trust Council

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