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# Commission International Travel

## January 1 – June 30, 2024

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Port of Tacoma Commission Meeting

Date: December 19, 2023



Request semi-annual approval for  
Commission international travel from  
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# Proposed International Travel



EVENT	VENUE(S)	DATES
<p><b>1. ASIA CUSTOMER VISITS</b></p> <p><b>Purpose:</b> Meet with current and potential customers in the Asia Pacific trade route. Countries to visit could include Vietnam, Singapore, Taipei, etc.</p> <p><b>Estimated Cost:</b> \$22,000</p>	Asia Pacific	January 13-20
<p><b>2. Wind Europe Conference</b></p> <p><b>Purpose:</b> Attend Wind Europe Offshore Wind (OSW) energy event to learn more about offshore wind technology, innovation, logistics support, etc. to help understand the POT's potential role in supporting the U.S. OSW industry.</p> <p><b>Estimated Cost:</b> \$10,000</p>	Balboa, Spain	March 20-22

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<p><b>3. Asia Customer Visits</b></p> <p><b>Purpose:</b> Meet with current and potential customers in the Asia Pacific trade route. Countries to visit could include China, Vietnam, Taipei, etc.</p> <p><b>Estimated Cost:</b> \$22,000</p>	Asia Pacific	April
<p><b>4. Copenhagen / Malmo Ports</b></p> <p><b>Purpose:</b> Meet with key executives in the Copenhagen / Malmo ports to share best practices around Port supply chain technology, freight and cargo services and workforce development.</p> <p><b>Estimated Cost:</b> \$25,000</p>	Denmark	April 5-13

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<p><b>5. International Leadership Mission to South Korea</b></p> <p><b>Purpose:</b> Seattle Metro Chamber and greater Seattle Partner's International Leadership Mission to engage South Korean cities to gain insights to lessons learned on thriving economies, explore business-related opportunities, and other such workforce development / education system learning and partnership opportunities.</p> <p><b>Estimated Cost:</b> \$12,000</p>	South Korea	April 13-20
<p><b>6. Europe Customer Visits</b></p> <p><b>Purpose:</b> Meet with current and potential new customers operating out of Europe's busiest ports.</p> <p><b>Estimated Cost:</b> \$17,000</p>	Europe	June

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# Thank You

## Questions & Discussion



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