PORT OF TACOMA COMMISSION ACTION ITEM MEMO



Item No: 6H

Meeting: 5/23/2023

DATE: May 8, 2023

TO: Port of Tacoma Commission

FROM: Eric Johnson, Executive Director

Project Manager: Alisa Praskovich, Chief, Strategic Projects & Commission Relations

SUBJECT: Commission International Travel: July 1 – December 31, 2023

A. ACTION REQUESTED

Request semi-annual approval for Commission international travel from July 1 through December 31, 2023.

B. BACKGROUND - POSSIBLE TRAVEL INCLUDES:

EVENT	VENUE	DATES
1. EUROPE Customer Visits		
Purpose: Meet with current and potential new customers operating out of Europe's busiest ports of Hamburg, Rotterdam and Geneva.	Europe	June 24 to 30
Estimated Cost: \$15,000		

C. SOURCE OF FUNDS:

The 2023 Commission Travel Budget provides funds for Commission international travel for July 1 through December 31, 2023.

D. NEXT STEPS

The Commission will vote to authorize their approved international trips. Authorization of a trip does not guarantee that a commissioner(s) will participate in it.