

Port of Skagitit

For the Greater Good

*Evaluating the return on investment
to your Port and community*

Port Commissioner Kevin Ware

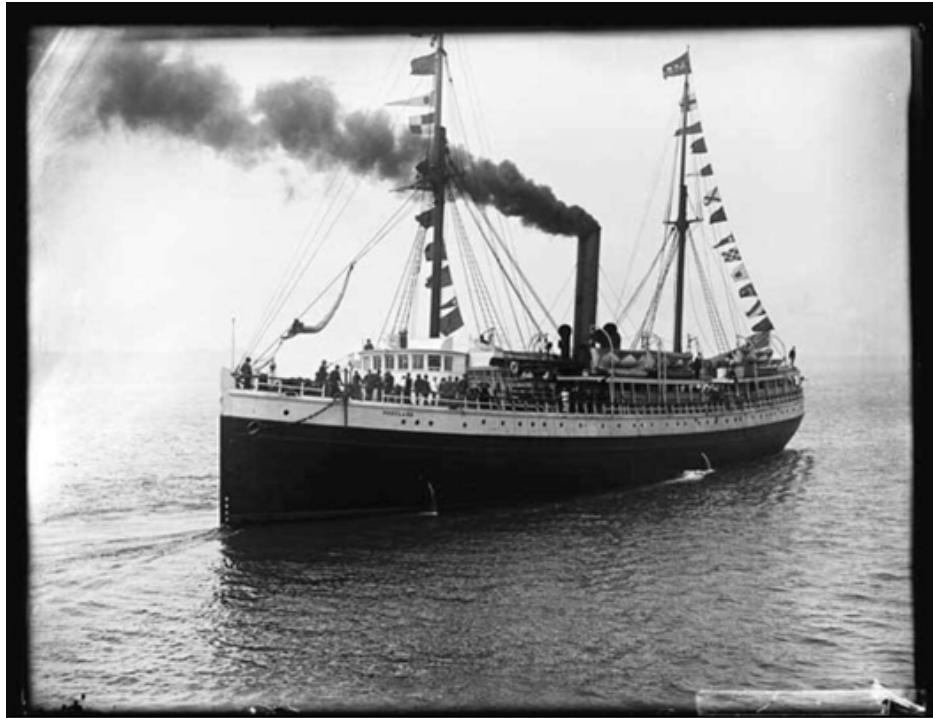
Executive Director Sara Young



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Port History



Property of Museum of History & Industry, Seattle

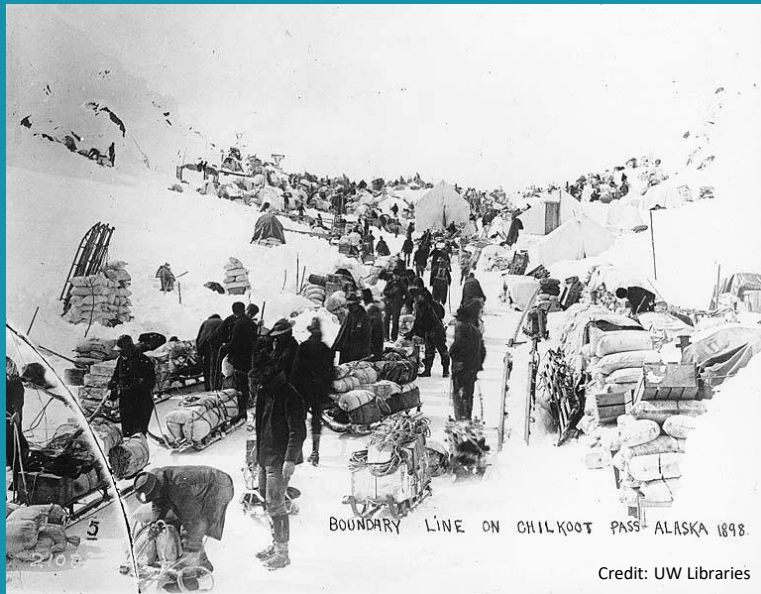
USS Portland



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First Avenue South, Seattle 1897

Chilkoot Trail





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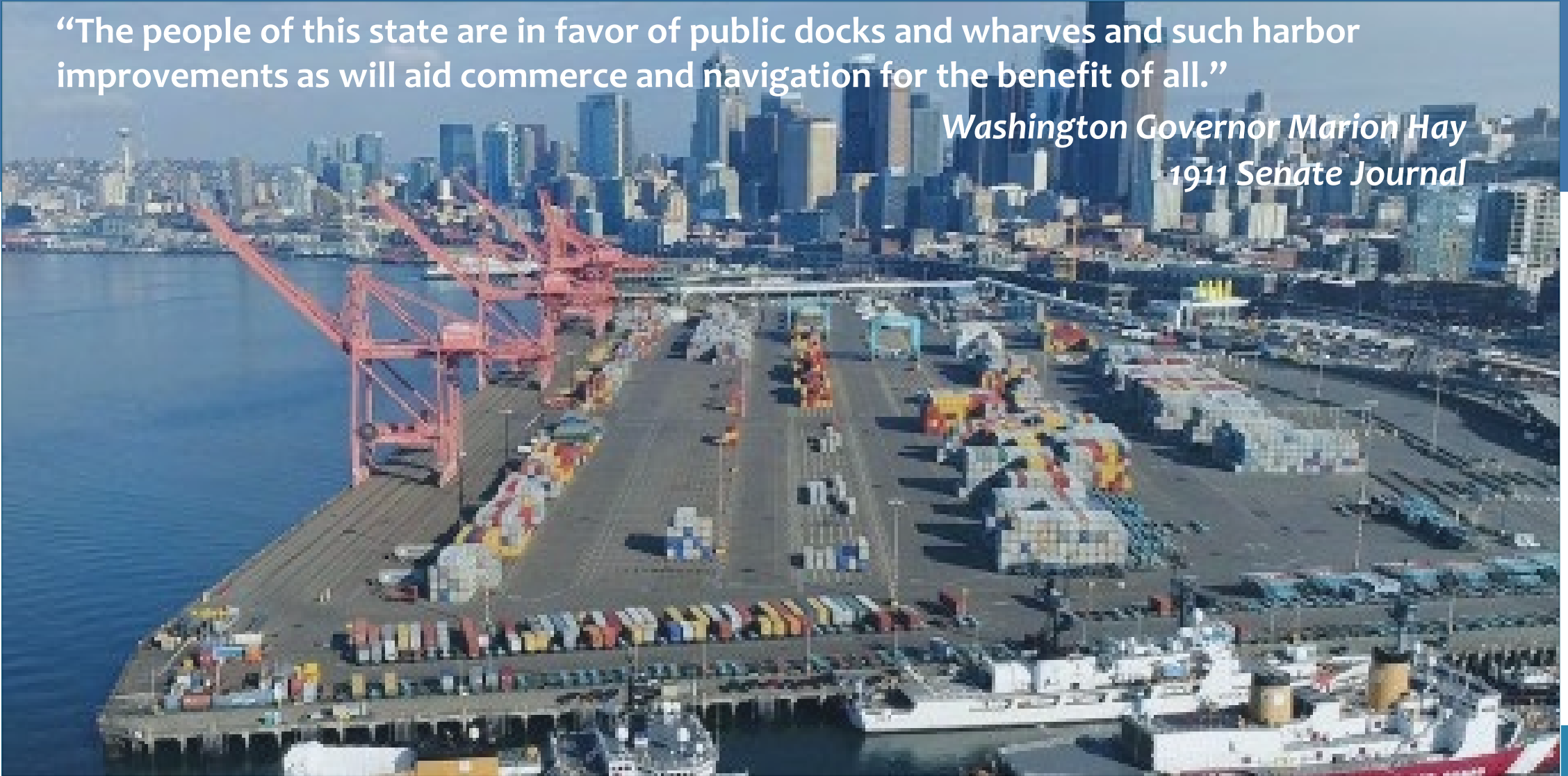
Seattle Waterfront

1898

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“The people of this state are in favor of public docks and wharves and such harbor improvements as will aid commerce and navigation for the benefit of all.”

*Washington Governor Marion Hay
1911 Senate Journal*



Today's Work at the Port of Skagit



Skagit Regional Airport

Business Aviation: Determining the Highest and Best Use of a Public Asset





Cairnspring Mills

Value-Added Agriculture: Finding the Sweet Spot between Mission and Margin



La Conner Marina

*Repurposing Aging Infrastructure:
Taking the Long View*

Redevelopment Goals:

- *Plan space for marine trades*
- *Improve public access*
- *Improve pedestrian and vehicle circulation to reduce conflict*
- *Consider housing or hotel uses compatible with community vision*
- *Generate capital needed to initiate basin redevelopment*

