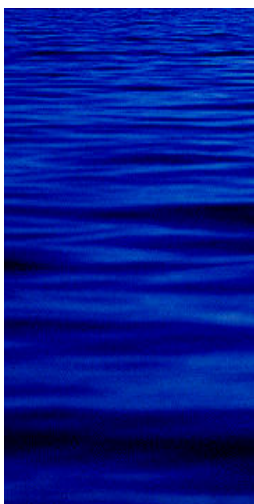
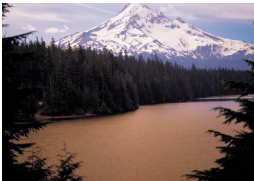
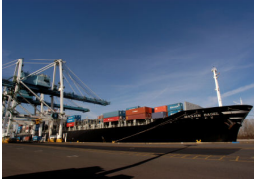




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As PNWA's Executive Director, Kristin Meira leads the association's work with Congress, federal agencies and regional decision makers on transportation, trade, tourism, energy and environmental policy to enhance economic and environmental sustainability in the Pacific Northwest. She serves on the Board of Directors of the National Waterways Conference (NWC), the Harbors & Navigation Committee of the American Association of Port Authorities (AAPA), the Inland Water Transportation Committee of the Transportation Research Board (TRB) of the National Academy of Sciences, the City of Portland's Freight Transportation Committee, and the Oregon Freight Advisory Committee.



Kristin spent five years on Capitol Hill in Washington DC, working for U.S. Senator Patty Murray and U.S. Senator Bill Bradley. Kristin's political experience also includes work as a legislative assistant for a N.J. State Assemblyman, briefing aide to N.J. Governor Jim Florio, and work on several state-wide campaigns around the nation. Prior to joining PNWA in 2002, she worked for several high tech and Internet firms in the Northwest.

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Page Phillips joined PNWA in October 2011 as its new Government Relations Director. Page will represent the association in the Pacific Northwest and in Washington, DC before federal and regional agencies, Congress and the media. Prior to joining PNWA, Page was the SW Washington Director for U.S. Senator Patty Murray. In addition to working for Senator Murray, Page has worked for numerous Members of Congress in Washington, Oregon, California, Colorado, and Washington, DC.



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