



THE WHITE HOUSE

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Mr. Gary Johnson
Chinook Tribal Chairman
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Dear Mr. Johnson,

My thanks to you and the Chinook Tribe for the hand-carved model canoe and the bead necklace – wonderful examples of Chinook craftsmanship.

I am delighted that you were able to attend the Lewis and Clark event at the White House, and I will enjoy your gifts as reminders of that event and of your generosity.

With best wishes,