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Vanessa Latimer
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Dear Vanessa Latimer:

On Wednesday, January 22, the *Wolfe Islander III* ferry (WI3) will be undergoing planned maintenance to one of its engines. To complete this work, ferry service between Kingston and Wolfe Island will not operate from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. that day. The last trip will leave Wolfe Island at 8:30 a.m. and will return to service from Kingston at 2 p.m.

We recognize the impact this interruption may have on ferry users. In planning this maintenance, the ministry explored available options to minimize service disruption. Completing this preventive maintenance is a necessary step to ensure the ongoing reliability of the WI3 and reduce the chance of a future, unplanned service outage.

The ministry has coordinated with the Coast Guard and emergency services to ensure that emergency response remains available to Wolfe Island, if needed, during this period.

We thank you for your understanding while we complete this necessary work.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Franca Sacchetti". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Franca Sacchetti
Regional Director, East Region

- c. Judy Greenwood-Speers, Mayor, Township of Frontenac Islands
- Bill Saunders, Deputy Mayor, Township of Frontenac Islands
- Colin Simons, Director, Transportation User Services Branch, Ministry of Transportation