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Ayres Hotels Acquires Olympic Lodge at the Gateway to Olympic National Park, Washington

New Destination Lodge Expands the Ayres Collection of Hotels and Resorts

Beyond California

October 18, 2021 (Costa Mesa, CA) – <u>Ayres Hotels</u> announced it has expanded its collection of boutique hotels and resorts to include <u>Olympic Lodge</u> in Port Angeles, Washington. The fifth generation of the Ayres family continues its legendary tradition of impeccable hospitality and commitment to the communities that are home to their 24 lodging properties. The acquisition is the first destination lodge outside of Ayres home base in California.

"Our family was immediately taken by the natural beauty of Port Angeles and the warmth of its people. The Olympic Lodge is a high quality property with many attributes that fit perfectly in our collection of accommodations," said Principal, Chase Ayres.

Olympic Lodge is located at the gateway to <u>Olympic National Park</u>, consistently in the top ten most visited National Parks in the US. The park boasts nearly a million acres of protected wilderness and distinctly diverse ecosystems that include old-growth rain forests, glaciers, and over 70 miles of pristine coastline. With over 2.5 million visitors to the park last year, Olympic Lodge is perfectly positioned to host guests seeking comfort as they explore the National Park and surrounding area. The planned direct flights from Seattle-Tacoma International Airport (SeaTac) on <u>Dash Air Shuttle</u>, which services the Pacific Northwest, will facilitate quick access to the pristine hamlet. Dash intends to

serve the Port Angeles-Seattle market with four daily flights for key flight connections at SeaTac.

Olympic Lodge is where rustic meets luxury. The lodge features 105 guest rooms and honeymoon suite, complimentary breakfast service, meeting rooms and business facilities, a 24-hour fitness center, a heated outdoor pool and hot tub, and exceptional landscaped grounds to take in the natural beauty.

"The prior owner's history and values are very similar to that of our family, making for a smooth transition for everyone involved. We are thrilled to have the Olympic Lodge in our collection of boutique hotels and resorts," said Ayres.

ABOUT THE AYRES GROUP

Five generations strong, the Ayres Group has a legacy of entrepreneurial visionaries and thought leaders in design, development, construction, and hospitality industries. The legacy began when Frank H. Ayres, who traveled to Southern California from Ohio in 1905, established Frank H. Ayres & Son, a land development company in Los Angeles County. Since then, the Ayres family has met ever-changing real estate needs with master planning, residential subdivisions, commercial development, and the creation of 24 upscale boutique hotels and resorts for the leisure and business traveler in the western U.S. As the Ayres Group continues to expand their footprint, they lean on their proud history, exceptional reputation, and commitment to service. The Ayres Group corporate office is located at 355 Bristol St Costa Mesa, CA, 92626-7922. For more information about its hotels and resorts, please visit ayreshotels.com, or call 714-540-6060. For information regarding construction and development, please visit ayresconstructioncompany.com, or call 714.465.4340.

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