Rep. Derek Kilmer Available for One-on-One Discussions during "Conversations with Kilmer" Tour

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PORT ANGELES, Wash. - Congressman Derek Kilmer today announced a tour of the region with a series of public events and office hours where he will be available to meet one-on-one with constituents. Called the Conversations with Kilmer Tour, the tour is part of Representative Kilmer’s ongoing effort to hear directly from the people he represents. The Conversations with Kilmer Tour follows a listening tour in January, a series of community town halls in May, two telephone town halls, a Twitter town hall, as well as numerous meetings with constituents since taking office. Over the next two weeks, Representative Kilmer will be available to discuss issues with constituents during his office hours at locations throughout the district, at farmers’ markets, at Kilmer on Your Dock events at ferry terminals, and during other public events. “In order to be accountable to the people I represent, I’ve made an effort to regularly hold town halls and public events,” said Representative Kilmer. “In addition to public forums, it’s important for folks to have the opportunity to have one-on-one conversations with their Representative, so I hope everyone will have the chance to come out to one of our events, say hello, and tell me what’s on their minds.” In addition to the scheduled meetings below, Representative Kilmer will also attend over a dozen public meetings including Rotary, Chamber of Commerce, or Kilmer at Your Company events where he will discuss issues with constituents and take their questions.

The schedule for the Conversations with Kilmer Tour follows: **Healthy Forest Field Panel in Port Angeles***Representative Kilmer will hold a field panel to discuss and receive testimony on collaborative forest harvest agreements. Friday, August 16, 201310:00am - 11:30am Port Angeles City Hall321 East 5th StreetPort Angeles, WA*Open to the public but space is limited. Please RSVP to joe.dacca@mail.house.gov. **Office Hours in Port Angeles**Friday, August 16, 2013 11:45am – 1:45pm 332 E 5th StPort Angeles, WA **Jefferson County Farmers Market & Uptown Street Fair**Saturday, August 17, 20139:00am – 1:00pm Lawrence StreetPort Townsend, WA **Bremerton Farmers Market**Sunday, August 18, 201310:30am Bremerton Ferry Terminal211 1st StBremerton, WA **Puget Sound Caucus Recovery Field Hearing in Tacoma***Tuesday, August 20, 20131:00pm – 3:00pm Urban Waters326 E D StreetTacoma, WA*Open to the public but space is limited. Please RSVP to andrea.roper@mail.house.gov. **Office Hours in Tacoma**Wednesday, August 21, 20138:00am – 10:00am Knapp’s Restaurant2707 N Proctor StreetTacoma, WA 98466 **Office Hours in Amanda Park**Thursday, August 22, 20131:45pm – 3:45pm Amanda Park Timberland Library6118 101Amanda Park, WA **Kilmer on Your Dock – Bainbridge Island** Friday, August 23, 20136:30am – 8:00am Bainbridge Ferry Terminal270 Olympic Drive SE Bainbridge Island **Office Hours in Poulsbo**Friday, August 23, 20131:00pm – 3:00pm Poulsbo City Hall200 NE Moe StPoulsbo, WA **Kilmer on Your Dock – Kingston**Friday, August 23, 20134:00pm – 6:00pm Kingston Ferry Terminal11264 State Route 104Kingston, WA 98346 **Kilmer at the Park – Service Project and Availability at Olympic National Park***Representative Kilmer will be working along with Olympic National Park Superintendent Sarah

Creachbaum in removing exotic weeds on August 24th from 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM along Peabody Creek between the Visitor Center and the Administrative Office. From 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM Representative Kilmer will be available to meet with constituents outside the ONP Administrative Office at the picnic tables. Saturday, August 24, 2013Service Project (RSVP required*): 10:00am – 1:00pmKilmer availability (open to all): 1:00pm – 2:00pm Meet at picnic tables on the south side of the ONP Administrative Office300 E. ParkPort Angeles, WA *Open to the public but there is limited availability to participate in the service project portion. Please RSVP to Judith Morris at Judith.morris@mail.house.gov or call (360) 797-3623 by August 20, 2013. For questions about any of these events, please call Representative Kilmer’s office in Tacoma at (253) 272-3515, in Bremerton at (360) 373-9725, or in Port Angeles at (360) 797-3623.