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In a special community meeting held today the returns on the vessel purchase ballot were counted and the measure passed with a 94% margin. The Island will buy *Expeditions 3* to replace *Holiday*.

Voter turn out was over 50%.

She will be shipped to Seattle via Aloha Transport Company on a ocean going barge, moved to Everett, dry docked for repainting and minor refitting and her USCG inspection. At this time we expect to stay well within the \$250,000 authorized by the ballot.

Our Goal is to have her in service for the Memorial Day weekend.

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