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On behalf of the City of Port Alberni I am very pleased to welcome you all to the Alberni Valley for the inaugural BC Bike Race – The Pacific Traverse.

This is an exciting event and we are proud that our community has been selected to play an important role in welcoming mountain bikers and visitors alike from across Canada and around the world. We welcome the opportunity to showcase the breathtaking beauty of the Alberni Valley and would like to thank the organizing committee for promoting Port Alberni as part of this world class event.

Coordination of an event of this magnitude takes a considerable amount of organization, dedication and commitment. We would like to acknowledge and thank the organizing committee and countless volunteers involved in planning and promoting the first ever BC Bike Race.

We hope you will have time to look around the Alberni Valley during your visit and experience some of the many local attractions.

Best wishes to all the competitors.

Enjoy your stay with us.

Yours truly,
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