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From: Leathers, Kathryn [Leathers.Kathryn@leg.wa.gov]
Sent: Thursday, April 23, 2009 4:12 PM
To: Paananen, Ron
Subject: Tunnel - emergency exit question

Ron,

I received a question from a member regarding escape/exit routes in the tunnel. Will they be accessible by persons with disabilities? In other words, if a passenger/driver cannot walk, will s/he be able to get out of the tunnel through one of the emergency exits in a wheelchair? I assume there must be some accommodation made for this, but wasn't sure how it is addressed in the plan for the deep bore tunnel.

Thanks,
Kathryn