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Ms. Asha Riley Lewis River Academy 800 Third Street Woodland, WA 98674

Dear Ms. Riley:

The Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction is pleased to inform you that Lewis River Academy has earned approval as a Multidistrict Online School Program in Washington State. For more information about what it means to be an approved provider, please visit the Approved Providers page on our Web site: http://digitallearning.k12.wa.us/approval/providers/.

Posting of your approved status will appear on the Digital Learning Department (DLD) Web site no later than June 1, after the appeals processes for the spring 2013 cycle have been completed. We ask that you please refrain from publicizing your approved status until then.

Your approval goes into effect for the 2013–14 school year and will expire at the end of the 2016–17 school year. Your organization should seek renewal of approval no later than the spring 2017 approval cycle. For more information about approval timelines, please visit our Web site: http://digitallearning.k12.wa.us/approval/process/timeline.php.

Newly approved providers are required to participate in an orientation (in person or via Webinar) hosted by DLD staff. The session will cover such topics as, but not limited to, compliance with online learning rules and statutes; what it means to be an approved provider in Washington State; and your responsibilities for upholding your approved status. Additionally, DLD staff would appreciate the opportunity to gain a personal familiarity with your program and welcomes each provider to present an overview of its program model. Please submit a meeting request to the DLD with a date and time that works best for you.

Finally, the attached document contains feedback gathered from the committee members who conducted your reviews. We hope you find this helpful.

Thank you for your participation in the approval process. We look forward to working with you as a partner in providing high quality online learning options to students in Washington State.

If you have questions, please contact our staff at 206.616.9940 or dldinfo@k12.wa.us.

Sincerely,

Randy I. Dorn State Superintendent

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