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Dear Friends:



On behalf of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, I send warm greetings as you gather for the 10th Annual Island Youth Leadership Summit for Sustainable Development on Martha's Vineyard.

The Summit presents a tremendous opportunity for young people to develop their leadership potential and learn from each other's experiences and backgrounds.

I commend all of this year's delegates for their commitment to making their communities more sustainable and wish them luck as they prepare to develop their action plans. I am proud to know that the Commonwealth is host to such a bright and diverse group of young leaders!

Please accept my best wishes for a productive and enjoyable summit.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Deval Patrick". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "D" and "P".