



# Oregon

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## Ocean Policy Advisory Council

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To whom it may concern:

The Ocean Policy Advisory Council (OPAC) in partnership with the Office of the Governor, is seeking qualified applicants to serve on the Council in open positions listed below:

- Elected City Official
- Statewide Public-at-large
- Ports, Marine Transportation or Navigation
- Statewide Conservation/Environmental Organization Representative
- South Coast Sport/Recreational Fishing
- South Coast Government
- South Coast Commercial Fisheries (reappointment possible)
- North Coast Commercial Fisheries (reappointment possible)

The Oregon Ocean Policy Advisory Council (OPAC) is a legislatively mandated marine policy advisory body to provide, among other statutory charges, advice to the Governor, state agencies and local governments on ocean policy and resource management matters ([ORS 196.433](http://ORS196.433)). OPAC membership is diverse and made up of representatives from coastal community interests, state agencies, conservation interests and the general public. The membership of OPAC is defined by [ORS 196.438](http://ORS196.438). To learn more about OPAC and the council's responsibilities visit [www.Oregonocean.info/OPAC](http://www.Oregonocean.info/OPAC).

OPAC members meet bi-annually with all members volunteering their time and commitment. Travel support to attend meetings and workshop is available.

Interested individuals must submit a cover letter outlining their interest and qualifications, as well as a resume, and completed [Executive Appointment Interest](#) form by **April 30, 2021** to be considered by the Office of the Governor and ultimately confirmed by the Oregon Senate.

Send all application materials to:

**Mail:** Executive Appointments, Office of the Governor  
900 Court St. NE, Room 254, Salem, OR 97301-4075

**Do Not Send Information in a Zip File**

**Email a scanned copy to:** [executive.appointments@oregon.gov](mailto:executive.appointments@oregon.gov)

**Note:** This application is subject to the Public Records Act and may be disclosed upon request. Personal information will be redacted. If you have any questions feel free to call the Executive Appointments office at: (503) 378-2317.

Thank you for your interest,

Chair Walter Chuck and Vice-Chair Jena Carter  
The Ocean Policy Advisory Council