

Smoke Management Advisory Committee

Statement of Interest for Position to Represent the General Public

Due: 5 p.m., May 1, 2024

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Oregon Department of Forestry, Smoke Management, 2600 State Street, Salem, OR 97310.

Mission/Vision Statement of the Smoke Management Advisory Committee

To assist and advise the State Forester, or designated representative, in the development and implementation of the Smoke Management program.

Purpose/Objectives

- Advise the Oregon Department of Forestry in collecting information about prescribed burning operations.
- Advise Oregon Department of Forestry on the collection, analysis and distribution of information regarding: burning alternatives, distribution of information to Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) on progress toward meeting federal and state air quality standards (National Ambient Air Quality Standards as part of the Clean Air Act), aerial monitoring, and emissions from wildfires for comparison with prescribed burning.

Meetings

- A minimum of twice a year in late January/early February and late June, following the fall and spring burn seasons. Meetings last from 4 to 6 hours and are held in Salem OR. Some meetings may be attended virtually. Additional meetings may be held as necessary.

ODF is seeking to fill the public committee member vacancy. Committee members are appointed by the State Forester and serve a two-year term. Term may be renewed.

The next meeting will be held mid-July in Salem OR
