

## **Department of State Lands**

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State Land Board

Tina Kotek Governor

September 16, 2024 TO: Interested Party FROM: Oregon Department of State Lands RE: Approved DSL State Lands Quitclaim Deed Exchange

LaVonne Griffin-Valade Secretary of State

> Tobias Read State Treasurer

The Department has entered into an agreement with The Port of Portland to clarify ownership through the exchange of quitclaim deeds on West Hayden Island in Multnomah County.

The parcel's legal locations are:

- Township 2 North, Range 1 East, Sections 19, 28, 29 and 30
- Township 2 North, Range 1 West, Section 24.

The transaction number for this quitclaim deed exchange is 55904-LE.

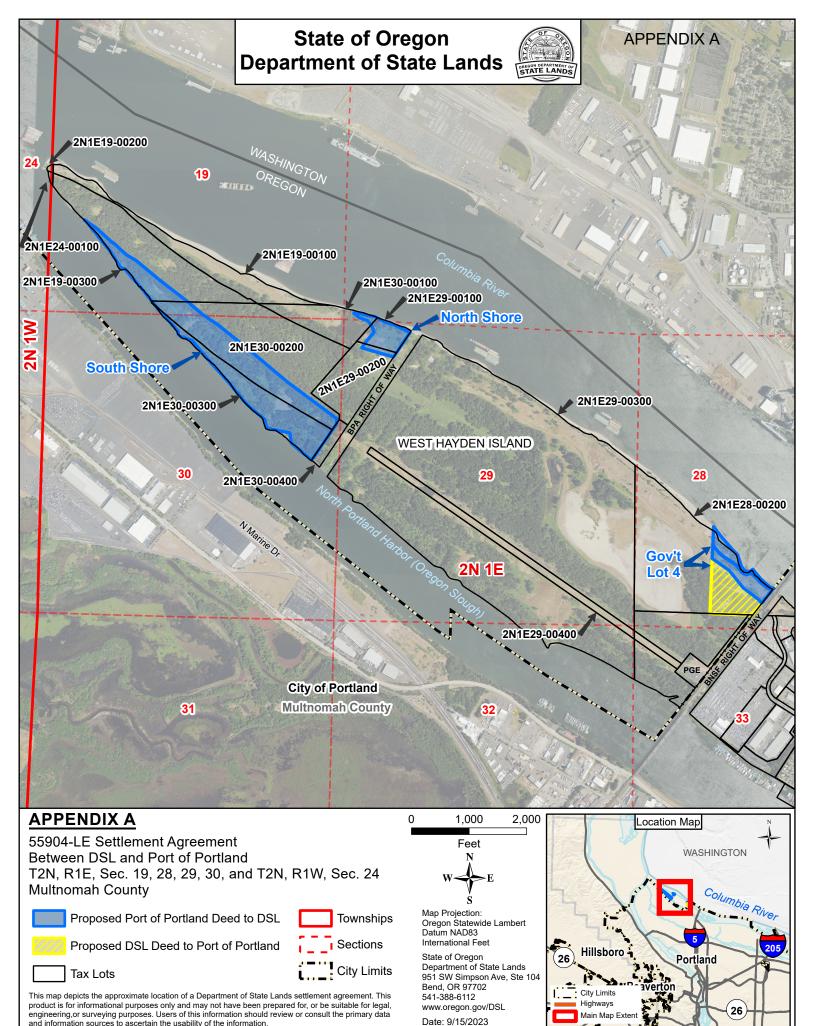
The parcel is classified as *historically filled lands*, land that was created prior to May 28, 1963, by filling or depositing material in a state-owned waterway.

## Additional Background

The Oregon State Land Board approved the exchange on October 10, 2023. Following thorough reviews of historical ownership by both DSL and The Port of Portland, the parties decided to settle ownership disputes by entering into a settlement agreement and exchanging quitclaim deeds. This will formally establish a line where the Ports ownership ends, and DSL's ownership begins on West Hayden Island. Additionally, both parties will grant each other access easements to their respective properties, allowing uninterrupted continuation of land management. The public comment period for this exchange was held from April 19, 2023, to May 19, 2023. Learn more at: https://www.oregon.gov/dsl/Land/Pages/Sales.aspx

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**About the State Land Board and the Department of State Lands:** The State Land Board consists of Governor Tina Kotek, Secretary of State LaVonne Griffin-Valade, and State Treasurer Tobias Read. Established by the Oregon Constitution in 1859, the Land Board oversees the state's Common School Fund. The Department of State Lands is the Land Board's administrative agency, managing the lands and resources that help fund Oregon's public schools and protecting the state's waterways and wetlands for the many benefits they provide.



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