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Oregon State Marine Board Boat Oregon



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Marine Board Meeting June 18, 19 in Salem

The Oregon State Marine Board will meet on June 18 and 19, 2019 at the Marine Board office, 435 Commercial St. NE, Suite 400, in Salem. On June 18, the meeting will begin at 1 pm and on June 19; the meeting will begin at 8:30 am.

During the June 18 meeting, the Marine Board will consider 21, Cycle One boating facility grant requests. Cycle One has \$1.9 million available with nearly \$8 million being requested by applicants.

The following agenda items will be discussed on June 19:

- Chapter 250 – Division 010, Division 014, Division 016 and Division 018; pertaining to legislative bills passed during the 2019 session;
- Possible rulemaking via petition to repeal rules that went into effect February 1, 2019 involving wake surfing and restriction zones in the Newberg Pool on the Willamette River;
- Consideration of rulemaking for Boat Operations on the Willamette River in Clackamas County to establish seasonal closures in the area near the Sportcraft Marina dock in Oregon City as requested by the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife.
- Rules briefing on rule advisory committee recommendations and feedback from Portland Waterways Listening Sessions.

The Board will also enter into executive session per ORS 192.660(2)(i).

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*The Marine Board is funded by registration, title fees and marine fuel taxes paid by motorized boaters. **No lottery, general fund tax dollars or local facility parking fees** are used to support the agency or its programs. Boater-paid fees go back to boaters in the form of boating safety services (on-the-water enforcement, training, and equipment), education/outreach materials, and boating access facility grants (boat ramps, docks, parking, restrooms, and construction and maintenance). The Aquatic Invasive Species Prevention Permit program is dedicated funding to pay for border inspection stations, decontamination equipment, inspectors, and signage/outreach materials. The Mandatory Education Program is self-supporting and revenue helps pay for education materials and boater education cards. For more information about the Marine Board and its programs, visit www.boatoregon.com.*