

The Oregon State Police Social Media- Terms of Use Policy

The Oregon State Police (OSP) social media sites and online forums were created to provide people with information and accessibility to OSP. These platforms are monitored and managed by the Oregon State Police's Communications office. If you want to interact with OSP using these platforms, we ask that you follow our posting policy here. If you don't comply, your message will be removed. OSP manages this page as a limited public forum and therefore the following conditions apply.

- A posting/commenting on these pages constitutes acceptance of these terms.
- In case of emergency, or if you need police assistance, dial 911.
- Do not use these pages to report a crime.
- If you post information related to a crime on this page, you may be placing yourself in the position of becoming a witness to a crime and subject to subpoena and in certain situations endangering yourself or others.
- "Friending" of "Following" between OSP and a citizen, organizations, or public officials does not indicate endorsement of that person's actions or comments.
- Comments posted by others on the OSP's page are not to be considered the opinion of the OSP; nor does OSP endorse any third-party comments on this page.
- OSP reserves the right to remove and/or block anyone who posts inappropriate material as determined by OSP.
- OSP does not allow the direct posting of photos or videos by anyone other than members of the OSP communications office. If you have photos or videos you'd like to share on this page, email: ospsocial@state.or.us
- OSP reserves the right to remove any comments that are inappropriate or offensive, including comments that: defame, abuse, harass, stalk, threaten or violate the legal rights of others; including racism, hatred, slander, threats, obscenity, violence, vulgarity sexual content or links to sexual content; spam or advertise; could harm the safety or well-being of one of our employees, including personal attacks; are off-topic; have personal information about another person or that violate a person's privacy; including copyrighted material that belongs to another person; contains a link to inappropriate websites.

If you are looking for more information about the Oregon State Police, please visit our website at <https://www.oregon.gov/osp/pages/index.aspx>

This comment policy is subject to modification at any time. Thank you for taking the time to read our comment policy. We hope you'll check back with us often for news and information. Please direct questions or concerns to the [Oregon State Police's Communications Office](#).