



Oregon Board of Accountancy

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The mission of the Board of Accountancy is to protect Oregon consumers by ensuring only qualified licensees practice public accountancy in accordance with established professional standards and promulgated rules.

**BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY – LAWS AND RULES COMMITTEE (LRC)
NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING / JOINT OSCPA/LRC TOWN HALL
AUGUST 1, 2023
9:00 A.M. TO 11:00 AM**

LOCATION: OSCPA, 10206 SW Laurel Rd, Beaverton, OR 97005 and via ZOOM

Note: The Town Hall is being hosted by OSCPA and is free to all. Registration for either in-person attendance or Zoom attendance is required through www.orcpa.org to assist with capacity management.

- 1. CALL TO ORDER / ANNOUNCE RECORDING OF MEETING / ROLL CALL OF LRC MEMBERS
(Sherri McPherson, IOM, CAE, OSCPA President/CEO, LRC member)**
- 2. PRESENTATION ON POTENTIAL LAWS AND RULES INITIATIVES UNDER LRC/BOARD CONSIDERATION
(Ray Johnson, LRC Chair, CPA-retired)**
- 3. PUBLIC QUESTION & ANSWER OPPORTUNITY
Moderators:
Ray Johnson, LRC Chair, CPA-retired
Martin Pittioni, Executive Director, Oregon Board of Accountancy**
- 4. CLOSING REMARKS AND ADJOURNMENT
(Sherri McPherson, IOM, CAE, OSCPA President/CEO, LRC member)**

Members of the public may attend the meeting in person or by Zoom. The meeting location is accessible to persons with disabilities. Upon request, arrangements can be made for attendance of all or part of the meeting by telephone. A request for an interpreter for the hearing impaired or for other accommodations for persons with disabilities should be made at least 48 hours before the meeting at 503.378.4181 or boa.info@boa.oregon.gov.

ORS 673.015 Statement of public interest in regulating practice of accountancy

The public interest requires:

- (1) The promotion of reliable information used for guidance in financial transactions and accounting for, or assessing the financial status or performance of, commercial, noncommercial and governmental enterprises;*
- (2) That persons professing special competence in accountancy or offering assurance as to the reliability or fairness of presentation of such information demonstrate their qualifications to do so, and that persons who have not demonstrated and maintained such qualifications, including public accountancy professionals not in public practice, not be permitted to hold themselves out as having special competence or to offer such assurance; and*
- (3) That the conduct of persons licensed as having special competence in accountancy be regulated in all aspects of their professional work and that the use of titles relating to the practice of public accountancy that have the capacity or tendency to mislead or deceive the public as to the status or competence of the persons using the titles be prohibited.*