



Communications Update

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Information

- Just sent out our 5th newsletter on November 20th!
- Sent to an average of 2,578 subscribers with a 26.6% average open rate.
- The newsletter has information on:
 - Press Releases sent out during the month
 - Important announcements and information from the department
 - Updates on on-going and completed construction. These link to other gov deliveries sent for further information.
 - A COAR grant highlight or information on COAR
 - And the on-going maintenance that is occurring throughout the state.

The next newsletter will be released the week of December 22nd.



November Newsletter

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News & Important Information



Press Release: Oregon Department of Aviation Completes Runway and Electrical Rehabilitation Project at Siletz Bay State Airport

The Oregon Department of Aviation (ODAV) is pleased to share that the Runway and Electrical Rehabilitation Project at Siletz Bay State Airport (S45) in Gleneden Beach has been completed.

This project strengthens critical coastal infrastructure by improving runway safety, visibility, and reliability. Funded through nearly \$2 million in federal investment from the FAA and just over \$200,000 in state Aircraft Registration Revenue, the upgrades ensure that Siletz Bay continues to serve as a safe and dependable airport for the region.

[Read Full Press Release](#)

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as the Hiker/Biker area. Tuesday July 8th for painting.

- Use potable water at the airport and day use areas.
- Use the C Loop building, or E and F buildings for showers

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ODAV in the News

- We have sent out 7 press releases over the last year
- These releases have covered:
 - The announcement of our new hire!
 - The completion of the Siletz Bay Runway and Electrical Rehabilitation Project with State and Federal acknowledgements
 - ODAV's Comments on the FAA's Proposed Part 108 Rule
 - The completion and ribbon cutting for Cape Blanco State Airport Runway and Electrical Improvement Project
 - Signed MOU's with SiFly and Yamaha for Wildfire mitigation
 - The Launch of our newly designed website
- These press releases are sent out to State Legislators, local news media, our LinkedIn, monthly newsletter and our website.

General Aviation News

Oregon completes runway and electrical upgrades at S45

The Oregon Department of Aviation (ODAV) has completed a runway and electrical rehabilitation project at Siletz Bay State Airport (S45) in...

5 days ago



Curry Pilot

The Oregon Department of Aviation Celebrates Completion of Major Cape Blanco State Airport Runway and Electrical Improvement Project

The airport serves recreational pilots, agricultural operators, and provides a critical link for emergency medical flights and search and rescue...

Sep 28, 2025



Commercial UAV News

Oregon Department of Aviation Partners with SiFly for Drone Operations

Oregon Department of Aviation Partners with SiFly for Drone Operations ... The Oregon Department of Aviation (ODAV) announced that it will work...

Aug 18, 2025



Lincoln Chronicle

State finishes \$2.2 million in Siletz Bay Airport runway, electrical improvements

The Oregon Department of Aviation has completed a \$2.2 million runway rehabilitation at Siletz Bay State Airport in Gleneden Beach.

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KTVZ

Oregon Department of Aviation and Yamaha sign a deal to explore the use of unmanned helicopters to fight wildfires

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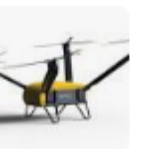


AirMed&Rescue

Oregon advances solutions for wildfire mitigation and public safety

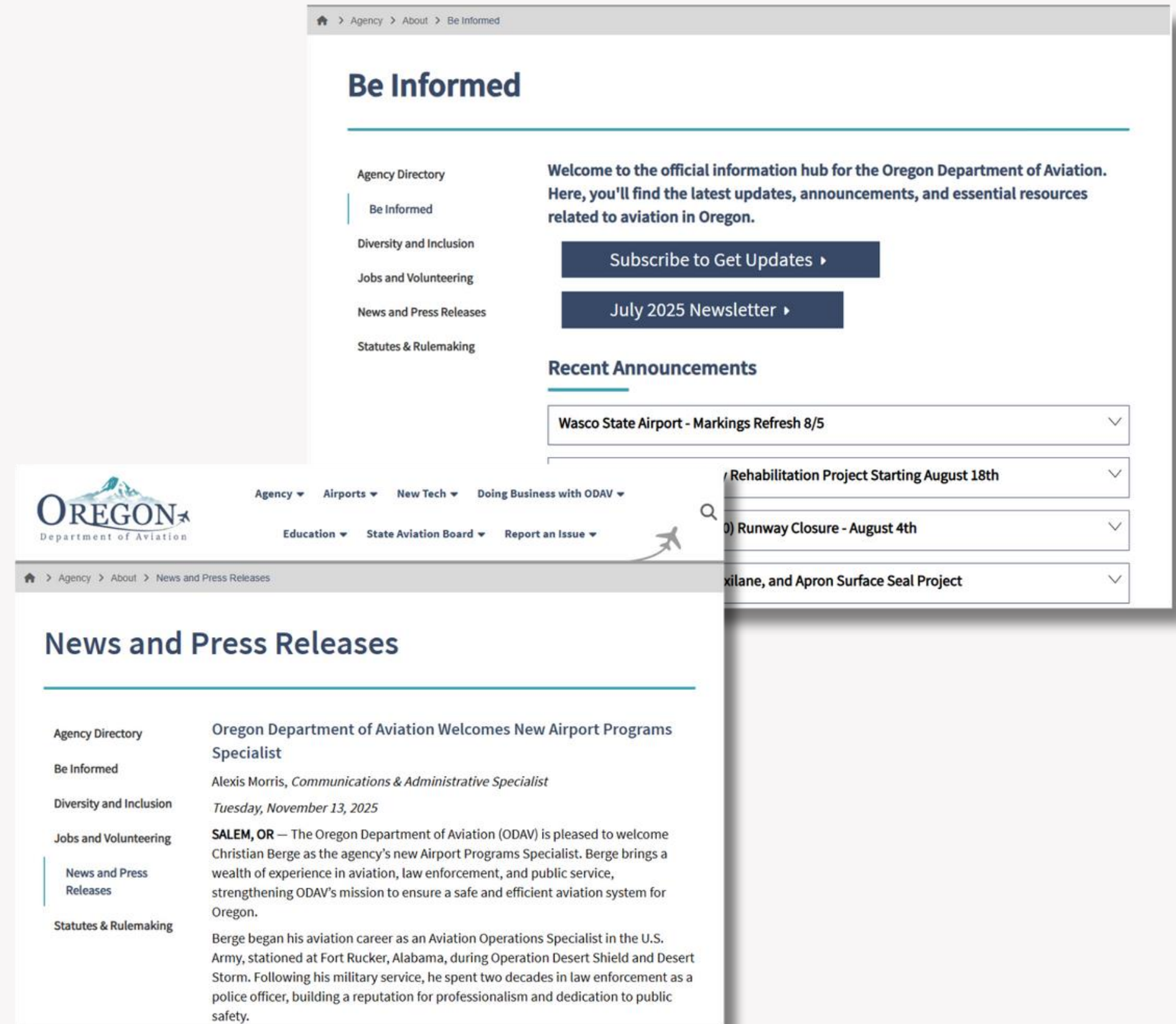
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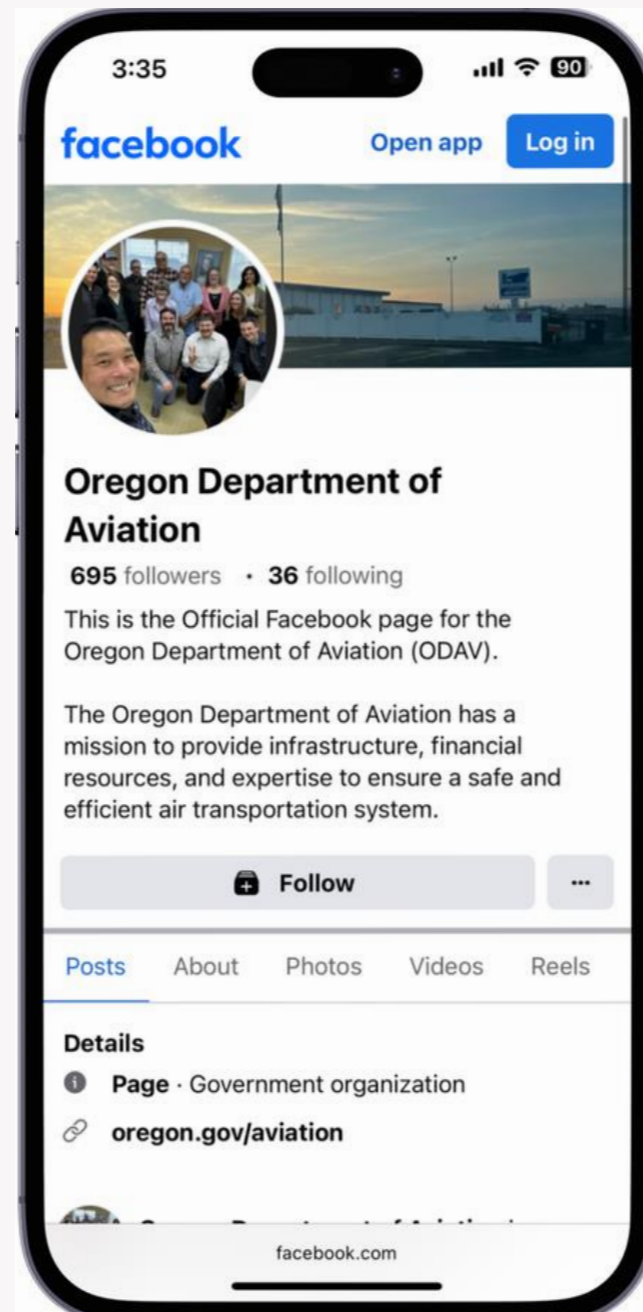
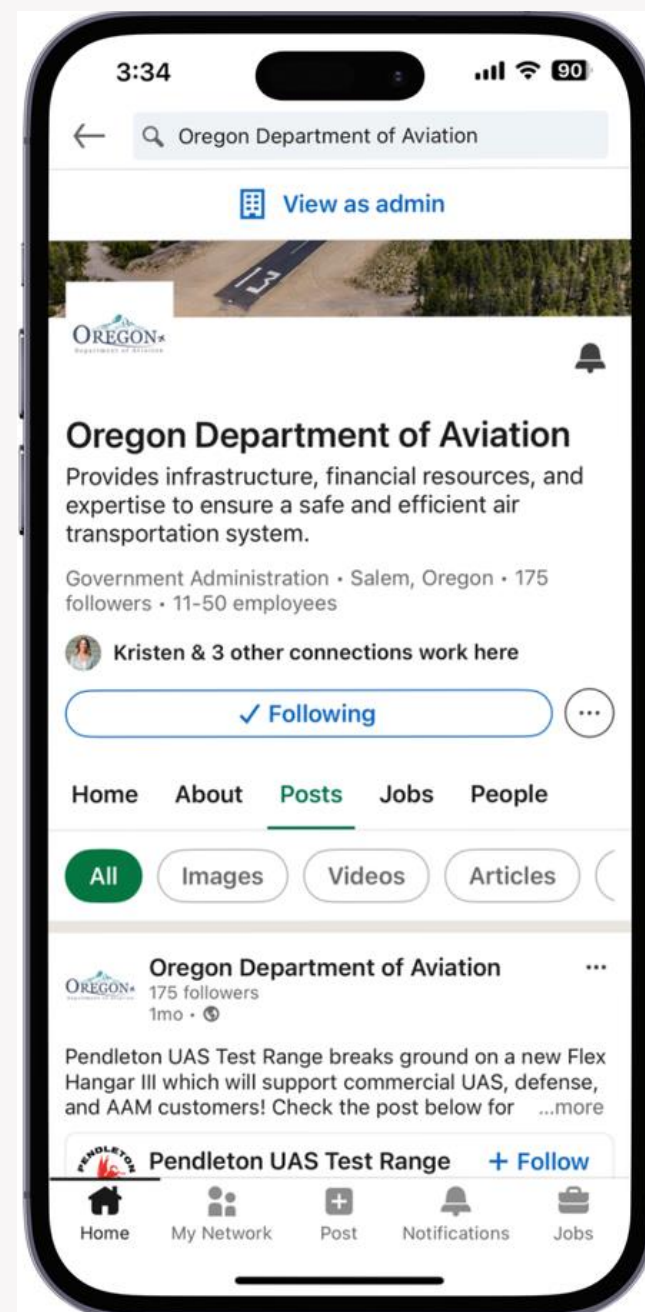
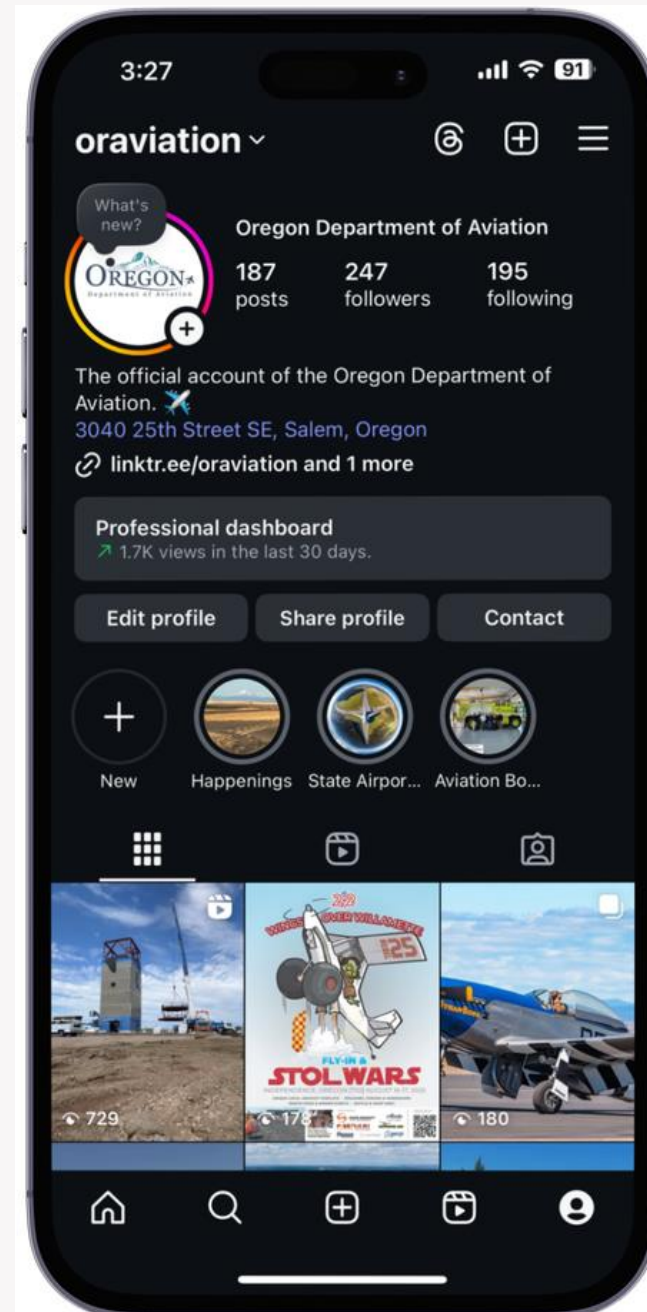


Where to find Information

- The website has a “Be Informed” section.
- This section houses all of the recent GovDelivery that are sent out by the agency as well as the Newsletter.
- This space is provided for those who may not be signed up for our communications but want to remain informed.
- Under the Recent Announcements is an “Archive” of all previous communications dating back to May.
- The website also has a “News and Press Releases” section.
- This section houses all of the press releases that ODAV has sent out and a link to the PDF.



The screenshot displays two overlapping pages from the Oregon Department of Aviation website. The top page is the 'Be Informed' section, which includes a sidebar with links to 'Agency Directory', 'Be Informed', 'Diversity and Inclusion', 'Jobs and Volunteering', 'News and Press Releases', and 'Statutes & Rulemaking'. The main content area welcomes visitors to the official information hub and provides links to 'Subscribe to Get Updates' and the 'July 2025 Newsletter'. Below this, a 'Recent Announcements' section lists several items, including 'Wasco State Airport - Markings Refresh 8/5', 'Rehabilitation Project Starting August 18th', 'Runway Closure - August 4th', and 'Milane, and Apron Surface Seal Project'. The bottom page is the 'News and Press Releases' section, featuring a sidebar with similar navigation links. The main content area displays a press release titled 'Oregon Department of Aviation Welcomes New Airport Programs Specialist', dated Tuesday, November 13, 2025, by Alexis Morris. The release text states that the Oregon Department of Aviation (ODAV) is pleased to welcome Christian Berge as its new Airport Programs Specialist, highlighting his extensive experience in aviation, law enforcement, and public service.




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