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Land Board to receive information reports, consider legislative concepts and appoint interim State Lands director at Feb. 13 public meeting

Agenda also will include Elliott State Forest update

Salem – The State Land Board will receive informational reports on the Department of State Lands (DSL) Aquatic Resource Management and Real Property Programs, the annual Department of Forestry report on Common School Fund Forest Lands, and an update on the Elliott Public Ownership Project.

The Board also will be asked to approve staff recommendations on 2019 legislative concepts, and will appoint an interim DSL director. The current director, Jim Paul, is leaving at the end of February to take an assistant director position at the Department of Corrections.

The meeting will be held:

Feb. 13, 2018
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Department of State Lands
Land Board Room
775 Summer St. NE, Salem

This meeting will be held in a facility that is accessible for persons with disabilities. If you need assistance to participate in the meeting due to a disability, please notify Arin Smith at (503) 986-5224 or arin.n.smith@state.or.us at least two working days prior to the meeting.

To live stream the meeting, go to the State Lands YouTube channel:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCQA7FHTWwl-gjJkQeYPJ1IA>

Meeting agenda: http://www.oregon.gov/dsl/Board/Documents/slb_feb2018_packet.pdf

The State Land Board consists of Governor Kate Brown, Secretary of State Dennis Richardson and State Treasurer Tobias Read. The Department of State Lands administers diverse natural and fiscal resources. Many of the resources generate revenue for the Common School Fund, such as state-owned rangelands and timberlands, waterway leases, estates for which no will or heirs exist, and unclaimed property. Twice a year, the agency distributes fund investment earnings to support K-12 public schools. The agency also administers Oregon's Removal-Fill Law, which requires people removing or filling certain amounts of material in waters of the state to obtain a permit.

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