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State Land Board to meet April 8 in Salem

Agenda items include rulemaking for the Elliott State Research Forest and annual updates from agency partners

SALEM, Ore. – The State Land Board will meet on Tuesday, April 8 at 10:00 a.m. at the Department of State Lands building in Salem.

Agenda items the Land Board will consider include:

- **Adopt into administrative rule, by reference, the Forest Management Plan for the Elliott State Research Forest.**
At its October 2024 meeting, the Land Board approved the 2024 Forest Management Plan. The adoption of the plan into Oregon Administrative Rules further codifies it and advances public accountability on the research forest.

The Land Board will also hear an update on bills the Department is tracking in the 2025 legislative session, an annual report from the Oregon Department of Forestry on Common School Fund Forest Lands, and an annual report from the Oregon Ocean Science Trust.

Meeting Details and Agenda

Tuesday, April 8, 2025, at 10:00 a.m.
Department of State Lands
Land Board Room
775 Summer St. NE, Salem

The full meeting agenda and materials are available on the [DSL website](#). The meeting will be livestreamed to the [DSL YouTube channel](#).

The public may [submit written testimony or sign up to provide spoken testimony](#) (in person, by video, or phone) during the meeting. **Advanced sign-up is required, and the deadline is 10 a.m. on Monday, April 7.**

If you need assistance to participate in this meeting due to a disability, please contact Arin Smith at 503-986-5224 or arin.n.smith@dsl.oregon.gov at least two working days prior to the meeting.

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About the State Land Board and the Department of State Lands: The State Land Board consists of Governor Tina Kotek, Secretary of State Tobias Read, and State Treasurer Elizabeth Steiner. Established by the Oregon Constitution in 1859, the Land Board oversees the state's Common School Fund. The Department of State Lands is the Land Board's administrative agency, managing the lands and resources that help fund Oregon's public schools and protecting the state's waterways and wetlands for the many benefits they provide.

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