



Oregon Heritage Commission
July 26-27, 2026
In-Person & Online
Yamhill County History Museum
11275 SW Durham Ln., McMinnville, OR 97128

Agenda

**all times are an estimate and items on the agenda may occur earlier or later*

Sunday, July 26, 2026

Tours

- 2:30pm: Sheridan Museum of History, 142 S Bridge St, Sheridan, OR 97378
- 4:00pm: McMinnville Masonic Cemetery, 2400 NW Cemetery Rd., McMinnville Oregon, 97127

Dinner

- 5:30pm: Location TBD

Monday, July 27, 2026

Business Meeting: 9:00 am

- **In Person Meeting** – Yamhill County History Museum, 11275 SW Durham Ln., McMinnville, OR 97128
- **Concurrent Zoom Meeting** – Registration is required to virtually attend the meeting. Meeting zoom registration available at: https://us06web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_s-bdIEb7Tky4a634Wf9vHg

1. Commission Business (9:00 a.m.)

- a) Welcome and Introductions (Information)
- b) Approval of Agenda (**Action**)
- c) Approval of Meeting Minutes (**Action**):
 - a) January 26, 2026
 - b) May 1, 2026
 - c) May 27, 2026

2. Public Comment: *This is the time for the public to address the Commission. If the Commission is seeking public comment during discussion of specific agenda items, the public may have the opportunity to comment when Commission discussion has finished and the Chair opens up the floor for public to comment. **Speaking time may be limited.***

3. Oregon Museum Grant and Oregon Heritage Grant Programs (9:15 a.m., Discussion)

4. Oregon Heritage Subcommittees Business (10:15 a.m.,)

- Oregon Cultural Trust Partner Grant Sub-Committee
 - a. FY26 grant project updates (Information)
 - b. Proposed FY27 grant project recommendations (**Action**)

- Oregon Heritage Traditions Subcommittee
 - a. Updates (Information)

5. Break (10:45)

6. Pacific Northwest NAGPRA Community of Practice (11:00, Information)

Dawn Marie Alapisco (OSU), Elissa Bullion (LCIS), and Reno Nims (PSU) will provide information on an effort to develop a Pacific Northwest NAGPRA community of practice to help provide guidance and resources for organizations working with Tribes to comply with the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA).

7. Oregon Heritage Technical Resources Update (11:20, Information)

Cam Amabile, Technical Resources Coordinator for Oregon Heritage, will provide the following updates:

- Report out on the 25/26 MentorCorps Cycle
- Effort to update the Cost of Collections Report. This report was first published in 2017 and is being updated for increases in costs.

8. Working Lunch: Commissioner Reports (12:00pm, Information)

Commissioners will relay challenges or successes from their region as it relates to the four goals of the Oregon Heritage Plan or any topics to recommend for future agenda items..

9. Heritage All-Star Community Disaster Resilience Planning (1:00 pm, Information)

Melissa Graciosa, UO Institute for Policy Research and Engagement (IPRE), will update the Commission on IPRE's disaster resilience planning work with Heritage All-Star Communities. This work builds off of the [Community Disaster Resilience Planning for Heritage Resources Guidebook](#).

10. Coos Bay Collaboration (1:20 pm, Information)

Lydia Heins, Executive Director of Coos Art Museum, and Heather Christenbury, Executive Director of the Coos History Museum, will share with Commissioners their recent collaborations.

11. Business Meeting Adjourns

12. Tour of Yamhill County History Museum

Planning Calendar:

Oct. 25-26 – Hybrid, location TBD

Jan. 25, 2027 – Virtual

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