

State Board of Towing Board Member Positions - Qualifications

OVERVIEW OF THE BOARD.

The State Board of Towing was established by the 2021 Oregon Legislature under Senate Bill 300 to implement ORS 98.853 to 98.962, and to administer other laws assigned to the Board.

The Board consists of nine board members, appointed by the Governor for four-year terms.

Board members may be re-appointed for consecutive terms by the Governor.

BOARD POSITION QUALIFICATIONS.

- 1. All board members must be residents of Oregon.
- 2. Additional qualifications or requirements for each board member position:

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1	A tower who holds a towing business certificate issued under ORS 822.205 (Certificate) and who represents a city in Oregon with a population of 100,000 or more;
2	A tower who holds a towing business certificate issued under ORS 822.205 (Certificate) and who represents a city in Oregon with a population of less than 100,000;
3	A tower who holds a towing business certificate issued under ORS 822.205 (Certificate) and who has specialized knowledge in towing equipment and vehicles with a gross vehicle weight rating of more than 44,000 pounds;
4	A tower who holds a towing business certificate issued under ORS 822.205 (Certificate) and who has specialized knowledge in towing vehicles with a gross vehicle weight rating of 26,000 pounds or less;
5	 A representative of the insurance industry who is a: Licensed Property and Casualty Agent, adjuster or underwriter with a working knowledge of insurance as it affects the towing industry (including on-hook coverage.) Certified Insurance Counselor, or other accredited or credentialed insurance professional specializing in risk assessment and management, liability, and property-casualty insurance.
6	A sworn officer from the Oregon State Police Tow Program.
7	An Oregon chief of police or county sheriff.
8	 A member representing Oregon's general public and who Does not meet the requirements of any of the other appointed board positions; and Is able to objectively represent the concerns and needs of the general public related to towing operations and regulations within the State of Oregon.

	A consumer advocate who demonstrates:
	Familiarity with consumer education and outreach;
9	Volunteer or professional experience in the field of consumer advocacy,
	which might include but is not limited to legal, policy, or education; and
	General knowledge of relevant Oregon consumer protection laws.

Any position appointment based on a Board member's employment is automatically revoked if the Board member changes employment and no longer qualifies for the position.

The Governor, at their sole discretion, may allow the current member to continue to serve in the Board position until a successor board member is appointed to the position.

INTERESTED CANDIDATES

Candidates seeking appointment for a board member position must:

- Be a resident of the State of Oregon; and
- Meet the requirements of the position seat applied for; and
- Submit an online application to the Governor's Executive Appointments Team.