## Enrolled Senate Resolution 201

Sponsored by Senator JOHNSON

Whereas Oregon's maritime industry is an important component of this state's economy; and Whereas the need to transport marine cargo commodities is expected to increase and Oregon will be continually more connected to markets around the Pacific Rim; and

Whereas Clatsop Community College is the only accredited public or private post-secondary institution of education in Oregon that provides a maritime science program to enable students from across the nation to meet the workforce needs of the maritime industry that is critical to Oregon's economy; and

Whereas the Clatsop Community College Maritime Science Program is approved by the United States Coast Guard as a Training Ship Program, and Clatsop Community College is the only community college in the nation with a Training Ship Program authorized to provide a student with all of the sea service credit required for an Able Seaman-Special endorsement; and

Whereas designating Clatsop Community College as Oregon's Maritime Training College will enable Clatsop Community College to better attract resources to support its programs and the college's mission to prepare students for productive participation in civic, cultural, social and economic life, and will strengthen Oregon's economy and maritime industry; now, therefore,

## Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Oregon:

That Clatsop Community College is designated as Oregon's Maritime Training College.	
	Adopted by Senate February 28, 2014
	Robert Taylor, Secretary of Senate
	Peter Courtney, President of Senate