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Agency Overview

House Committee on Energy and Environment
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DEQ mission

To be a leader in restoring, maintaining and enhancing the quality of Oregon's air, land and water.



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1960 to 1970s

- Clean Air Act
- DEQ formed
- Clean Water Act
- Air Contaminant Discharge Permit program
- Vehicle inspection begins in Portland
- Solid waste disposal permits
- Bottle bill

1980s

- Oregon Toxics Use and Hazardous Waste Reduction Act
- Underground Storage Tank program
- Oregon Cleanup program
- Oregon woodstove certification program
- Oregon Groundwater Protection Act

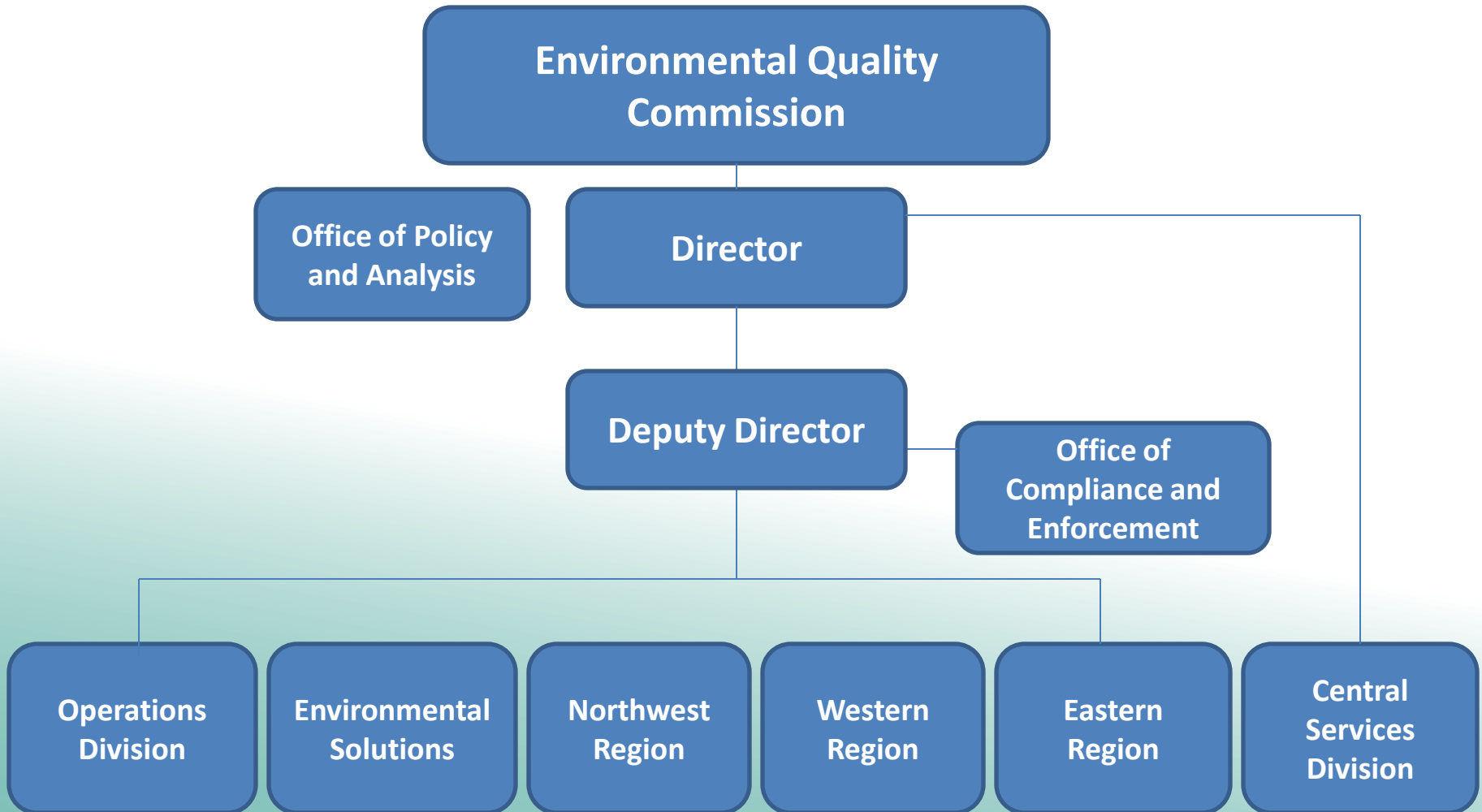
1990s

- Permits issued for Umatilla chemical agent destruction
- Title V permitting
- Drinking water program
- Oil spill planning
- Oregon Recycling Act
- Oregon Plan for Salmon and Watersheds

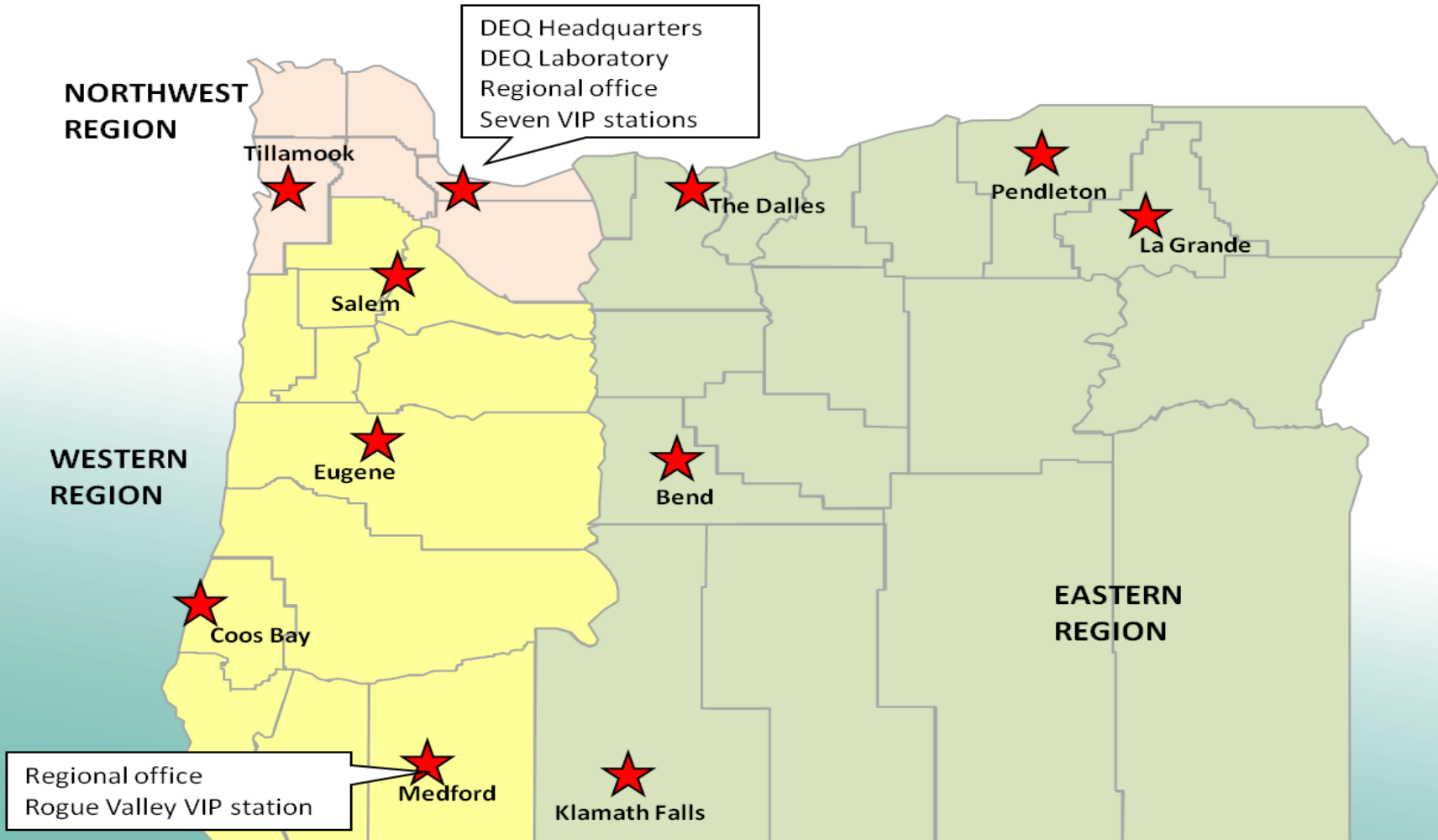
2000 to present

- TMDLs
- Materials Management *2050 Vision*
- Toxics reduction
- Low emission vehicle program
- Pesticide Stewardship Partnerships

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Air Quality

Ensure healthy air to breathe, clear views of scenic vistas and reduced greenhouse gases



- ❖ Permitting and Inspections
- ❖ Woodstoves
- ❖ Asbestos

- ❖ Vehicle Inspection
- ❖ Clean Diesel
- ❖ Clean Cars and Fuels



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Land Quality

Ensure healthy landscapes where Oregonians live, work, and play



- ❖ Materials Management
- ❖ Hazardous Waste and Tanks
- ❖ Cleanup



- ❖ Ballast Water
- ❖ Permitting/Inspections
- ❖ Emergency Response



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Water Quality

Ensure Oregon's waters are drinkable,
fishable and swimmable.



- ❖ Surface Water/Groundwater
- ❖ Nonpoint Source
- ❖ Clean Water Plans

- ❖ Grants and Loans
- ❖ Permitting and Inspections
- ❖ Certification and Licensing



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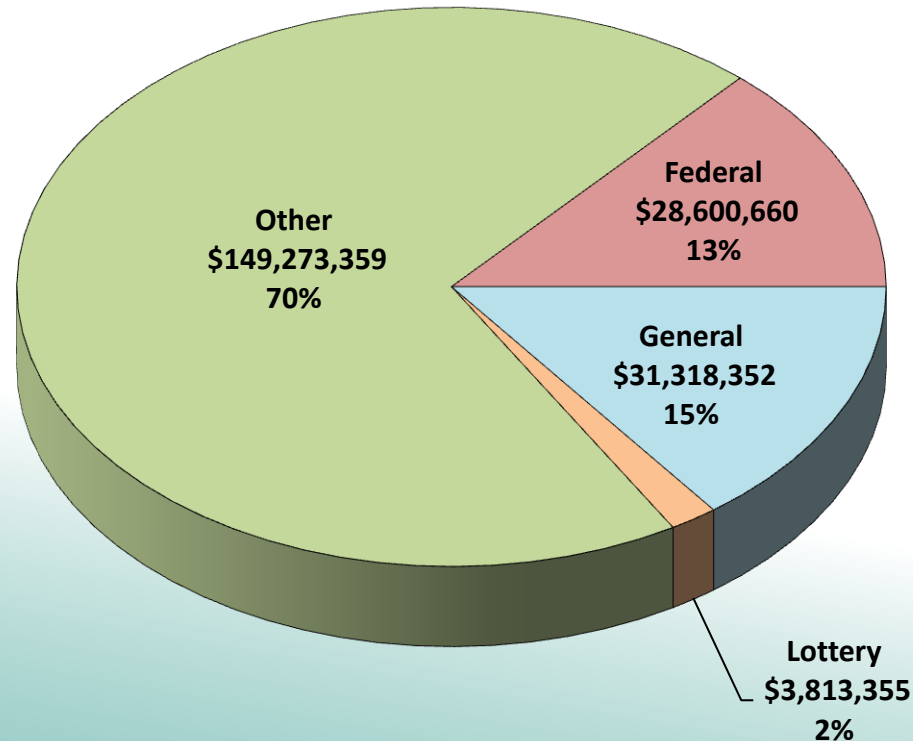
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DEQ Laboratory



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2015-2017 Governor's Recommended Budget Operations Budget - \$213,005,726*



*Does not show non-limited funding of \$112,550,000 (SRF Revolving Fund and loans to local governments)



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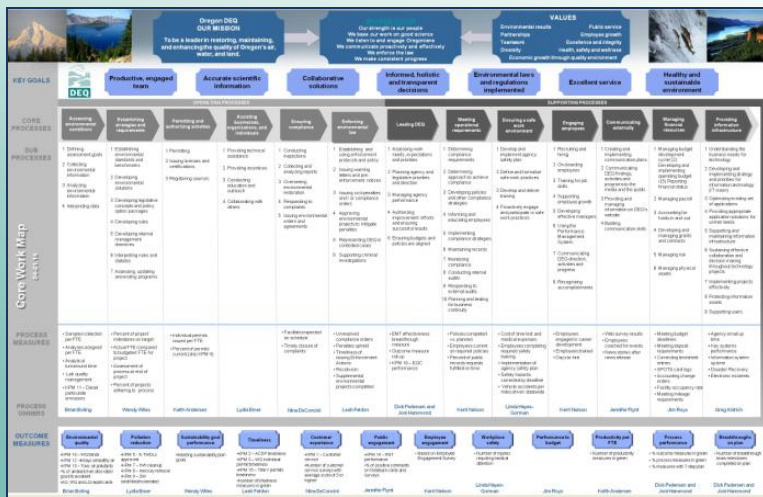
Collaboration and partnerships





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DEQ Quarterly Measure Review 3rd Quarter - 2014										Jul, Aug, Sept	
Total Measures on QMR: 123			Total measure data was collected on: 112								
Rollup	Description	Target	Green Range	Yellow Range	Red Range	Season	Current Status	Actions	Trend		
Outcome											
Employee Engagement											
Employee Engagement Survey	Score from seven questions	80%	> 72%	66 - 72%	< 66%	All year	57.74		Improving		
Productivity per FTE											
Vehicle Tests per Inspector FTE	The average number of vehicle tests performed per inspector per month during each quarter.	> 847	> 847	848 - 847	< 848	3rd-quarter	1024	None	Neutral		
Customer Experience											
VP Customer Service	The percent of motorists that rate VIP's customer service as excellent or good.	95%	> 85%	70 - 85%	< 70%	All year	95.99	None	Neutral		
Process performance											
Process measures in the Green	Percent of core process measures being reported on that are within their green range.	80%	> 80%	50 - 80%	< 50%	All year	51.6	None	Improving		
Outcome measures in the Green	Percent of core Outcome measures being reported on that are within their green range.	80%	> 80%	50 - 80%	< 50%	All year	40	None	Declining		
Percent of measures in red or yellow involved in process improvement	Total number of measures involved in process improvement divided by number of red measures.	80%	> 75%	50 - 75%	< 50%	All year	56.9	No Action Required at this time	Declining		
Breakthroughs on plan											
Permitting breakthrough implementation milestones on plan	The number of implementation milestones due and completed this period divided by the total number of milestones due this period plus milestones that are overdue.	70%	> 60%	40-59%	0-39%	All year		No measurable data for quarter	None Selected		
Inspection breakthrough implementation milestones on plan	The number of implementation milestones due and completed this period divided by the total number of milestones due this period plus milestones that are overdue.	70%	> 60%	40-59%	0-39%	All year		No measurable data for quarter	None Selected		
Developing Environmental Solutions breakthrough implementation milestones on plan	The number of implementation milestones due and completed this period divided by the total number of milestones due this period plus milestones that are overdue.	70%	> 60%	40-59%	0-39%	All year		No measurable data for quarter	None Selected		



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Conclusion

