

Executive Appointments Board Roster

Energy Facility Siting Council

Agency: None
Authorization: ORS 469.450
Members: Min: 7 Max: 7
Term Length: 4 years Limit: 2
Senate confirmation required? Yes

Policy Area: Natural Resources

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Current Appointments:

Member Name and Address (Alphabetical)

Barry C Beyeler

Position Number: 5

Term(s): 07-01-2011 - 06-30-2015
06-01-2010 - 06-30-2011

Jack A Billings

Position Number: 7

Term(s): 12-12-2014 - 06-30-2018

Renee Dowlin

Position Number: 1

Term(s): 12-13-2012 - 12-12-2016

Hanley F Jenkins, II

Position Number: 6

Term(s): 12-13-2012 - 12-12-2016

John C Mohlis

Position Number: 3

Term(s): 07-01-2014 - 06-30-2018
12-01-2011 - 06-30-2014

Betty J Roppe

Position Number: 4

Term(s): 07-01-2015 - 06-30-2019

Trey Senn

Position Number: 2

Term(s): 07-01-2013 - 06-30-2017
03-01-2010 - 06-30-2013

Paul F Sumner

Position Number: 4

Term(s): 07-01-2011 - 06-30-2015
12-17-2010 - 06-30-2011

OFFICE: Energy Facility Siting Council

APPOINTEE: Betty Roppe of Prineville; New appointment replacing Sumner

APPOINTMENT/CONFIRMATION AUTHORITY: ORS 469.450

TERM: Four-year term: July 1, 2015 – June 30, 2019

ECONOMIC INTEREST FILING (ORS 244.050): Required.

STATUTORY QUALIFICATIONS: ORS 469.450

- Seven members appointed for four-year terms (BEYELER, BILLINGS, DOWLIN, JENKINS, MOHLIS, ROPPE, SENN)
- Serves at pleasure of Governor.
- Eligible for reappointment, but for no more than two full terms.
- No member of the council shall be an employee, director or retired employee or director of or a consultant to or have any pecuniary interest, other than an incidental interest which is disclosed and made a matter of public record at the time of appointment to the council, in any corporation or any utility operating or interested in establishing an energy facility in this state or in any manufacturer of related equipment.
- No member shall for two years after the expiration of the term of the member accept employment with any owner or operator of any energy facility subject to certain provisions under ORS Chapter 469.

DUTIES AND AUTHORITY: ORS 469.450 - 469.480, ORS 469.501-469.505

- Annually elect from among its members, a chair and vice-chair.
- Conduct studies and research relating to all aspects of site selection.
- Adopt rules
- Accept applications for site certificates and evaluate, hold hearings, approve or reject applications.
- Inspect or direct Department of Energy to inspect sites.
- Revoke or suspend site certificates.
- Establish standards and rules pertaining to siting, construction, operation and retirement of energy facilities; may adopt exemptions, except for coal and nuclear, if exemption is consistent with state's energy policy and consistent with strategy to reduce emission of gases that cause global warming.
- Issue site certificates based on statutory criteria
- Consult with agencies.
- Establish programs for monitoring environmental effects of construction and operation of energy facilities.
- Do testing and sampling as necessary.
- Enter cooperative agreements to carry out federal laws such as CERCLA (Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act
- Establish advisory committees.