

Oregon Coast Community College Workforce Education and Resiliency Center



Why this facility and programming?

- Lincoln County, increasingly diverse population coping with economic challenges, intergenerational poverty and lower educational achievement.
- Employers report a shortage of prepared applicants, slowing economic development.
- OCCC requires career technical (CTE) facilities to meet Lincoln County workforce needs.
- Coastal Resilience: *planning for reconstruction and recovery must be done now to provide a strategic vision for restoring the economy and livability of the Oregon coast* (The Oregon Resilience Plan, 2013).

Benefits to our community

- Support families, employers, and economy with education for living wage jobs.
- Increased student readiness to enter the workforce.
- Programming under evaluation: Emergency Preparation & Management; Maritime Technicians; Applied Technology (Trades); P-12 Teacher Education.
- Potential for Regional Training facility.
- Improve student achievement and college and career readiness.
- Increased postsecondary enrollment.

Partnerships

- Industry: Ports, Boatyards, Georgia Pacific, Yaquina Bay
- Education: Lincoln County School District, OSU Marine
- Local Government: City of Newport, Lincoln County
- Coast STEM Hub, RAC, Children's Development Network
- Oregon Maritime Workforce Solutions Group

Match Plans, some combination of

- Partnerships
- Local Bond
- Capital Campaign
- Grants

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