



# MEMORANDUM

Prepared for: Oregon State Senate  
Regarding: Review of Executive Appointments  
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LPRO: LEGISLATIVE POLICY AND RESEARCH OFFICE

## STATE BOARD OF TAX PRACTITIONERS

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The Governor has appointed the following individual to the State Board of Tax Practitioners, subject to Senate confirmation:<sup>1</sup>

### New Appointment

Brenda Feldhousen of Portland

### Term

09-28-2022 – 09-27-2025

### Statutory Authority

[ORS 673.725 \(2021\)](#).

### Statement of Economic Interest<sup>2</sup>

Not required.

### Composition<sup>3</sup>

The board consists of seven appointees, six of whom must be licensed tax consultants engaged in the professional preparation of personal income tax returns for at least five years (BRADLEY, CARTER, DRAKE-MINIOR, **FELDHOUSEN**, WARTHEN and WEESNER), and one member must represent the general public (VACANT). They serve three-year terms, limited to three.

### Duties<sup>4</sup>

The board regulates professional tax practitioners. It's duties include:

- exercising general supervision over professional tax consultants and preparers;
- determining qualifications for tax consultants and tax preparers, formulating a code of professional conduct, causing examinations to be conducted, and issuing licenses;
- conducting investigations and taking enforcement action such as issuing reprimands, suspending licenses, imposing restrictions, and assessing costs and civil penalties.

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<sup>1</sup> [Or. Const. art. III, §4](#); [ORS 171.562 and 171.565 \(2021\)](#).

<sup>2</sup> [ORS 244.050 \(2021\)](#).

<sup>3</sup> [ORS 673.725 \(2021\)](#); and see [ORS 182.100 \(2021\)](#) for affirmative action policy and [ORS 236.115 \(2021\)](#) for diversity criteria.

<sup>4</sup> [ORS 673.605 to 673.740 \(2021\)](#).

# Executive Appointments Board Roster

## Tax Practitioners, State Board of

Agency: None  
Authorization: ORS 673.725  
Members: Min: 7 Max: 7  
Term Length: 3 years Limit: 3  
Senate confirmation required? Yes

**Policy Area:** Jobs/Economy

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### Current Appointments:

**Member Name and Address (Alphabetical)**

Rachel P Bradley Tax Consultant Term(s): 10-01-2020 - 09-30-2023	Position Number: 6
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Mamie I Carter Tax Consultant Term(s): 09-26-2020 - 09-25-2023 09-26-2016 - 09-25-2019	Position Number: 5
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Corina Drake-Minior Tax Consultant Term(s): 06-10-2022 - 06-09-2025	Position Number: 3
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Brenda Feldhousen Tax Consultant Term(s): 09-28-2022 - 09-27-2025	Position Number: 4
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Jay Warthen Tax Consultant Term(s): 06-10-2022 - 06-09-2025	Position Number: 1
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Catherine Weesner Tax Consultant Term(s): 06-10-2022 - 06-09-2025	Position Number: 2
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## Tax Practitioners, State Board of

Member Name and Address (Alphabetical)

Policy Area: Jobs/Economy

### Vacant Appointments:

Pos	Member	Appointed By	Term Begin	Term End
7	Antionette M Payne Public Member	Governor	06/01/2016	05/31/2019
7	Toni C Ellsworth Public Member	Governor	07/01/2009	06/30/2012
7	Toni C Ellsworth Public Member	Governor	04/01/2007	06/30/2009
7	Robert G Elliott Public Member	Governor	07/01/2006	06/30/2009
7	Barbara P Wasson Public Member	Governor	05/28/2002	05/27/2005
7	Barbara P Wasson Public Member	Governor	11/16/2001	05/27/2002
7	LaVette J Columbo Public Member	Governor	02/25/2000	05/27/2002
7	Michael J Cook Public Member	Governor	05/28/1999	05/27/2002
7	Brian K Teller, Sr Public Member	Governor	12/01/1996	05/27/1999
7	Samuel T Frear Public Member	Governor	05/28/1996	05/27/1999
7	Samuel T Frear	Governor	03/04/1994	05/27/1996
7	P. Kinsey Miller Public Member	Governor	06/05/136	05/31/2016