

Secretary of State  
**NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING HEARING\***  
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Oregon Department of Forestry – State Forests Division

Chapter 629

Agency and Division

Administrative Rules Chapter Number

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**RULE CAPTION**

The adoption of revised Northwest and Southwest Oregon State Forests Management Plans

January 26, 2009	5:30 to 9:00 PM	Department of Forestry, 2600 State Street, Building C, Tillamook Room Salem, OR 97310	Clark Seely
Hearing Date	Time	Location	Hearings Officer
January 28, 2009	5:30 to 9:00 PM	Seaside City Hall 989 Broadway Seaside, OR 97138	Clark Seely
Hearing Date	Time	Location	Hearings Officer

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**RULEMAKING ACTION**

The Oregon Department of Forestry will hold a hearing leading to the eventual amendment of OAR 629-035-0105 through the adoption of revised Northwest and Southwest Oregon Forest Management Plans.

The purpose of the hearing is to receive public comments on this proposed rulemaking.

Stat. Auth.: ORS 526.016(4) authorizes the Board of Forestry to adopt rules to perform the functions defined by statute. ORS 526.041 establishes the duties of the State Forester, under the general supervision of the Board of Forestry. ORS 530.050 establishes the requirements of the State Forester in managing Board of Forestry forestlands.

Other Auth.: ORS 629-035-0030 requires the State Forester to develop Forest Management Plans, and that the Board of Forestry adopts these plans as administrative rule. Accordingly, ORS 629-035-0105 establishing the forest management plans adopted as administrative rule.

Stats. Implemented: ORS 530.050

**RULE SUMMARY**

An amended OAR 629-035-0105 will adopt revised Northwest and Southwest Oregon State Forests Management Plans as administrative rules, as required by OAR 629-035-0030(6)(a). Due to the voluminous nature of the forest management plans, the rule adopts these plans by reference. Copies of the revised forest management plans may be viewed on the Oregon Department of Forestry's web page at: <http://egov.oregon.gov/ODF/>, or at the office of the State Forester, and are available upon request.

Written comments must be received by 5:00 p.m., January 29, 2010. Submissions should be addressed to Jeff Foreman, Oregon Department of Forestry, 2600 State Street, Salem, OR 97310, sent to [jforeman@odf.state.or.us](mailto:jforeman@odf.state.or.us), or via FAX 503-945-7356.

Comments received by January 29, 2010 will be compiled and presented to the Board of Forestry for consideration in its decision on the adoption of the revised management plans as administrative rules, targeted for April 2010. Notice of the date of adoption of the revised rule will be announced in the Oregon Bulletin by the Secretary of State's office. Printing of the final forest management plans will occur once adopted as rule; the revised forest management plans also will be available on the Department of Forestry website.

For answers specific to the proposed rule, contact Jeff Foreman, 503-945-7506.

January 29, 2010

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**Last Day for Public Comment** (Last day to submit written comments to the Rules Coordinator)

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Signature

Printed name

Date

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