



## Application for Membership Secure Rural Schools Resource Advisory Committee



The Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination Act creates a mechanism for local community collaboration with Federal land management agencies in the selection of projects to be conducted on Federal lands or that will benefit resources on Federal lands. Resource Advisory Committees consist of 15 local citizens representing an array of interests. The Committees will review proposed projects and make recommendations to the land management agencies. The geographic boundaries of Oregon's five BLM Resource Advisory Committees are determined by BLM district boundaries. Applicants must reside in Oregon, and where practicable, reside within a county that is within the boundaries of the Committees(s) on which membership is sought.

Resource Advisory Committee members are appointed by the Secretary of the Interior. The Secretary will choose individuals to serve as Committee members from among those nominated by the counties as well as those who are nominated by other interests and organizations or who apply directly to the BLM. Selection will be guided in part by members' demonstrated ability to work collaboratively and constructively in groups comprised of diverse viewpoints.

**Please return completed applications to the appropriate BLM District Office.**

### **Coos Bay District Resource Advisory Committee**

Patty Burke, District Manager  
1300 Airport Lane  
North Bend, OR 97459  
(541) 751-4239

### **Eugene District Resource Advisory Committee**

Ginnie Grilley, District Manager  
P.O. Box 10226  
Eugene, OR 97440-2226  
(541) 683-6989

### **Medford District Resource Advisory Committee**

Dayne Barron, District Manager  
3040 Biddle Road  
Medford, OR 97504  
(541) 618-2411

### **Roseburg District Resource Advisory Committee**

Abbie Jossie, District Manager  
777 NW Garden Valley Blvd.  
Roseburg, OR 97470  
(541) 464-3200

### **Salem District Resource Advisory Committee**

Kim Titus, District Manager  
1717 Fabry Road SE  
Salem, OR 97306  
(503) 375-5657

**Bureau of Land Management**  
**Secure Rural Schools**  
**Resource Advisory Committee Application**

All Fields Required  
Attach additional pages if necessary

First Name

Full Middle Name

Last Name

Date of Birth

Home Address

City

State

Zip Code

Home Phone Number

Mailing Address  
(if different than home)

City

State

Zip Code

Business Address

City

State

Zip Code

Business Phone Number

Email Address

Education: including colleges, degrees, major fields of study (or attach a resume)

Work history (or attach a resume)

List significant related experience, previous advisory committee experience, civic and professional activities, education, and training that qualifies you to serve on this committee. If applying as an elected official, please also include dates of service.

Describe your experience or knowledge of the committee's geographic area of jurisdiction?

Describe your experience working with disparate groups.

**Indicate the specific area(s) of interest you seek to represent:**

**Category I:**

- I represent organized labor or non-timber forest product harvester groups;
- I represent developed outdoor recreation, off-highway vehicle users, or commercial recreation activities;
- I represent energy and mineral development interests, or commercial or recreational fishing interests;
- I represent the commercial timber industry; or
- I hold Federal grazing or other land use permits, or represent nonindustrial private forest land owners within the area for which the Committee is organized.

**Category II:**

- I represent a nationally or regionally recognized environmental organization;
- I represent a regionally or locally recognized environmental organization;
- I represent dispersed recreation activities;
- I represent archeological and historic interests; or
- I represent nationally or regionally recognized wild horse and burro interest groups, wildlife or hunting organization, or watershed associations.

**Category III:**

- I hold state elected office (or a designee);
- I hold county or local elected office;
- I represent American Indian tribes within or adjacent to the area for which the Committee is organized;
- I represent an Indian tribe within or adjacent to the Council's area of jurisdiction;
- I am school official or teacher or I represent the affected public-at-large.

Indicate any BLM permits, leases, or licenses that you hold personally or are held by your employer:

Are you a federally registered lobbyist:	Yes	Is at least one letter of	Yes
	No	recommendation attached or has a	No
		letter been sent on your behalf by	
		the interest group or organization	
		that you wish to represent?	

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** Although applications are submitted to the BLM office within the RAC's area of jurisdiction, appointments are ultimately conferred by the Secretary of the Interior. Applications will be reviewed and nomination packages will be completed at the local level. Governors of affected States will be consulted during this process. Recommendations will be endorsed by the appropriate BLM State Director and forwarded to the BLM Washington Office. Following the BLM Director's endorsement, recommendations will be forwarded to the Department of the Interior for background checks, ethics, and other reviews before presentation to the Secretary. The time between submission of application and receipt of member appointment letter may take 4-5 months.

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The Privacy Act and the regulation at 43 CFR 2.48 (d) require that you be furnished the following information in connection with information required by this form.

**AUTHORITY:** The authority to request this information is contained in 5 U.S.C. App. 2, the Federal Advisory Committee Act; 5 U.S.C. 1739, the Federal Land Policy and Management Act; and 43 CFR Subpart 1784, Bureau of Land Management advisory committee regulations.

**PURPOSE:** The information will be used by the appointment officer to determine the qualifications such as education, training, and experience of candidates related to qualifications to serve on a Resource Advisory Council of the Bureau of Land Management.

**ROUTINE USES:** This information will be maintained in the Interior Volunteer Service File System (Interior/DOI-05) and is subject to routine uses of that system of records. These routine uses can be found at 66 FR 28536.

**DISCLOSURES:** Failure to submit this information will inhibit full consideration of a prospective advisory council member's qualifications, and could result in non-selection. If you are appointed as an advisor, the information will be retained by the appointing official as long as you serve. Otherwise, it will be destroyed 2 years after termination of your membership or returned (if requested) following announcement of the Council appointments.

**THE PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT** requires us to inform you that: This collection is in accordance with the clearance requirements of 5 U.S.C. 3507. Completion of this form is required to obtain or retain a benefit. You do not have to respond to this or any other Federal agency-sponsored information collection and no Federal agency may conduct or sponsor such a collection, unless it displays a valid OMB control number. The information is used to determine qualifications, suitability, and availability for service on resource advisory councils. Failure to submit this information will inhibit full consideration of a prospective advisory council member's qualifications, and could result in non-selection.

**BURDEN HOURS STATEMENT:** The estimated public reporting burden for this form is 4 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, gathering and maintaining data, and completing and reviewing the form. You may submit comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of this form to: U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management (1004-XXXX), Bureau Information Collection Clearance Officer (WO-630), 1849 C Street, N.W., Room 2134LM, Washington, D.C. 20240.