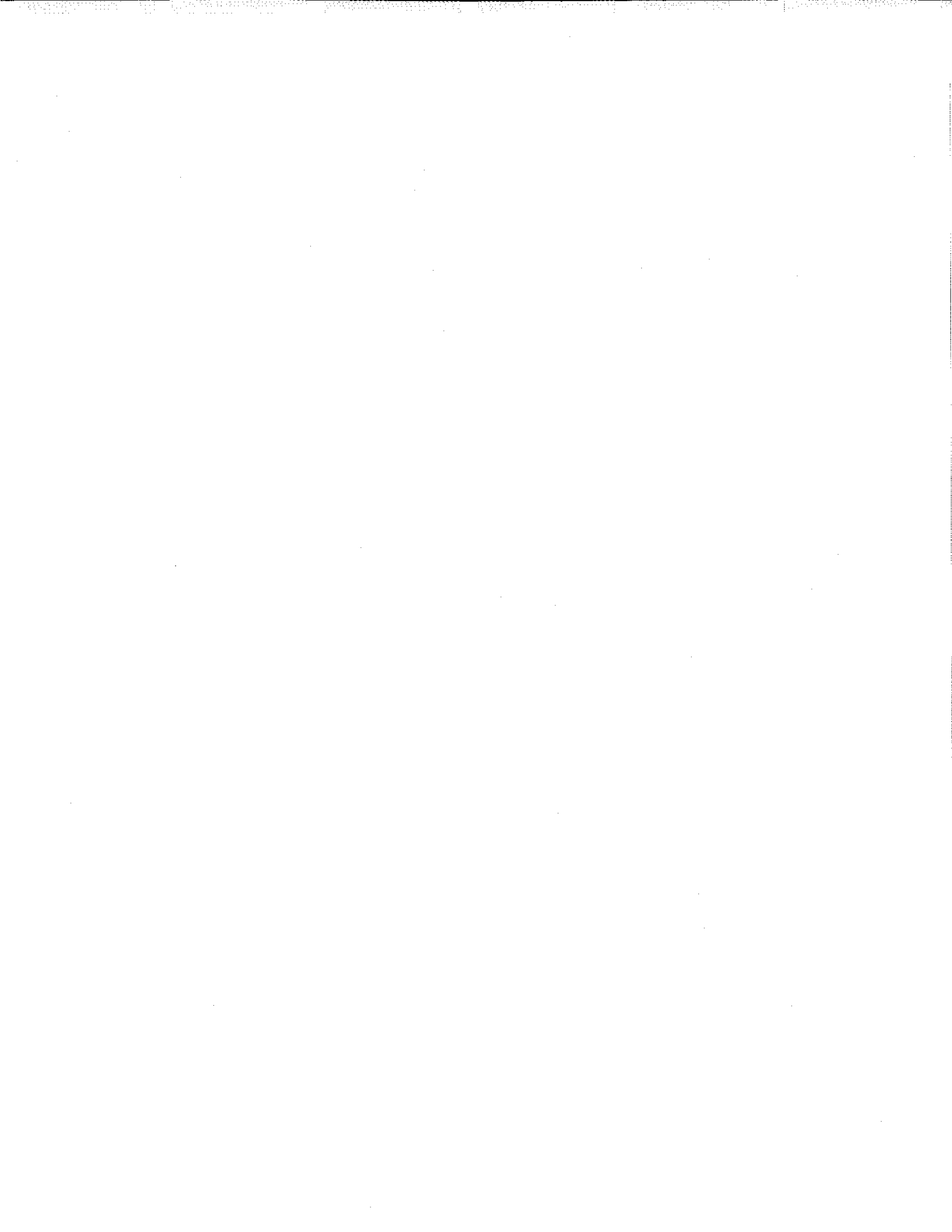


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Personal Data

Name:           ACKERMAN PATRICK H.            
(Please type or print last name, first name, and middle initial)

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Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence Telephone:           503-581-4600           Business Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address:           PSACKERMAN@MSN.COM          

Occupation:           PHARMACIST SEMI-RETIRED          

Board position applying for *(you may check more than one):*

Landowner  Hunter

As a citizen of the United States and resident of Oregon, I will accept appointment to the Access and Habitat Board if selected by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.

          Patrick H. Ackerman            
Signature

          11/23/2013            
Date

To assist us in meeting our affirmative action objectives, we would appreciate information about your gender and background. This information is optional. Under state and federal law, this information may not be used to discriminate against you.

Gender  
 Male  
 Female

Race/Ethnicity  
 Asian or Pacific Island  
 Black  
 Hispanic

Native American  
 White  
 Multiracial/Other

Disability  
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8. Ability to foster positive relations between landowners, hunters, and ODFW.

I soon will become a 50 year resident of Oregon and have held a hunting & fishing license in the state yearly. Currently hold a senior combination license and have helped with hunter education courses.

In 1991 I organized and started the Cascade Chapter of R.M.E.F. holding our meeting at ODFW building on Silverwood Ave.

I was appointed to position of "Oregon District Chair" in 1997, of R.M.E.F.

In 2003 I was appointed by R.M.E.F. to be a member of "Oregon's Leadership Team" and was soon appointed to the position of "Oregon Development Director" with the responsibilities to travel different chapters in the state to increase their donations and to promote work on the ground for R.M.E.F.

In 2007 I led the Cascade Chapter to the #1 position in the "Nation" in terms of donations that year.

In 2010 I retired from this position but have realized I miss not working with people (even though I still work part-time at Starko Pharmacy) and for wildlife thus my application.

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Name: PATRICK N. ACKERMAN

References (optional)

<u>Lee ERICKSON</u>	<u>503-363-0801</u>
<u>ALAN BANGS</u>	<u>503-581-4626</u>
<u>RVD STOLLERY</u>	<u>cell-1541-350-8607</u>
<u>DAK HILLYER</u>	<u>503-393-9342</u>
<u>STEVE BATY</u>	<u>503-361-0370</u>
<u>STEPHEN TABOR</u>	<u>503-769-8582</u>

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Attn: Matthew Keenan, A&H Coordinator  
4034 Fairview Industrial Drive SE  
Salem, OR 97302  
Tel: (503) 947-6087  
Fax: (503) 947-6330

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Salem, OR 97301-2532  
Tel: (503) 986-4713  
Fax: (503) 986-4730

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Salem, OR 97301  
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Fax: (503) 945-7212

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Personal Data

Name: Bronson, William, A (Please type or print last name, first name, and middle initial)

Legal Residence: 86207 Blossom St Eugene, Or. 97405

Business Address: N/A

Residence Telephone: 541-746-7214 Business Telephone: N/A

Email Address: williebronson13@hotmail.com

Occupation: Forester (retired)

Board position applying for (you may check more than one):

Landowner [X] Hunter [ ]

As a citizen of the United States and resident of Oregon, I will accept appointment to the Access and Habitat Board if selected by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission. Signature: William A. Bronson Date: 1/25/13

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Name: Bronson, William A.

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I recently retired from nearly 41 years working on industrial timberland as a Forester in western Oregon and would like to stay involved with some of the issues and organizations impacting landowners and hunting issues.

As a native Oregonian who grew up on our family 320 acre farm/forest land in the foothills west of Junction City, Oregon, I continue to manage it's forest lands and hunt deer on the property. For the past 35 years, hunting elk, deer and bear in various Northeast Oregon wildlife units has given me a greater awareness of access issues for landowners/hunters across the state. I have served as a Forest Landowners representative for: OFIC animal damage committee, Animal damage Co-op, Black Tail management plan, Alsea/Siuslaw Watershed Council. Yearly meetings with big game biologist from Corvallis and Springfield offices to review hunter access, animal damage and special hunt needs/changes.

Current Board Chair of the Goshen Rural Fire Protection District. (15 yr. board member)

Land owner representative on Western Lane Forest Protective Association. (35+ yrs.)

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Name: Bronson, William A.

References (optional)

Link Smith 541-935-2283

Mike Dykzeul -OFIC

Tally Patton 541-988-7503

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Fax: (503) 986-4750

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Personal Data

Name: S. Craig Ely

(Please type or print last name, first name, and middle initial)

Legal Residence: 59674 Foothill Rd , La Grande , OR, 97850

Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence Telephone: 541-963-7926 Business Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: scely1954@gmail.com

Occupation: Retired

Board position applying for *(you may check more than one):*

Landowner

Hunter

As a citizen of the United States and resident of Oregon, I will accept appointment to the Access and Habitat Board if selected by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.

S. Craig Ely  
Signature

1/29/2013  
Date

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I am currently a Board member of the Union/Wallowa Oregon Hunters Association Chapter having served in that position three years. Listed is the summary of my experience as a hunter and landowner.

1. I own a 166 acre farm on a critical winter range and have experience big game damage and used LOP tags to resolve damage problem. I have testified before the Fish and Wildlife Commission and Legislature regarding the LOP program.
2. Throughout my career I have strongly considered the effect of decisions on landowners when managing big game populations.
3. I retired from the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife after 36 years, ending my career as the Northeast Regional Supervisor.
4. While working I was an active member of many collaborative work groups and advisory councils; including, Grande Ronde Model Watershed, Forest Service NEPA ID Teams, Wolf Advisory Committee, and Budget Advisory Committee.
5. Since a young person I have been and avid hunter and fisherman. I have purchased a hunter and fishing license for the past 44 years and supported public participation in direction of wildlife and fishery policy.
6. I was involved in the formation of first Northeast Region A&H Regional Advisory Committee and guided that committee for two years.

Name: S. Craig Ely

References (optional)

<u>Mike Sanford (Hunter) 541-786-4170</u>	_____
<u>Jim Morgan (Hunter) 541-975-3697</u>	_____
<u>Spark Smutz (Landowner) 541-963-4820</u>	_____
<u>Dale Council (Landowner) 541-910-4243</u>	_____
<u>Morgan Olsen (Landowner) 541-786-1283</u>	_____
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### Personal Data

Name: Justin Ferrell

(Please type or print last name, first name, and middle initial)

Legal Residence: 29261 Abert Rim rd Lakeview, OR 97630

Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence Telephone: 541-947-2598 Business Telephone: 541-219-2698

Email Address: lakecountyswcd@hotmail.com

Occupation: Rancher/Project Manager Lake County SWCD

Board position applying for *(you may check more than one):*

Landowner

Hunter

As a citizen of the United States and resident of Oregon, I will accept appointment to the Access and Habitat Board if selected by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.

*Justin Ferrell*  
Signature

10/4/13  
Date

To assist us in meeting our affirmative action objectives, we would appreciate information about your gender and background. This information is optional. Under state and federal law, this information may not be used to discriminate against you.

**Gender**

- Male  
 Female

**Race/Ethnicity**

- Asian or Pacific Island  
 Black  
 Hispanic

**Disability**

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7. Participation in the A&H program
8. Ability to foster positive relations between landowners, hunters, and ODFW.

Have worked for seven years promoting SB1010 management improvements through the SWCD, as well as manage MDI projects with ODFW. Have had the ability to foster good working relationships with landowners and state conservation programs.

*reduce water pollution from agriculture*

I have been a hunter all my life and a landowner since I was eighteen. We run a cow/calf operation on owned and leased private lands. We manage our hunting for the family and our future generations.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**References (optional)**

<u>upon Request</u>	_____
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Landowner Rep. on State A&H Board  
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Personal Data

Name: David L. Peterson  
(Please type or print last name, first name, and middle initial)  
Legal Residence: 549 Becker Road, Roseburg, OR 97471  
Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence Telephone: 541-957-9197 Business Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address: davepeterson1938@yahoo.com  
Occupation: Wildlife Biologist, Retired

Regional Council applying for *(check one)*:

- |                  |                                     |                    |                          |
|------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|
| North Willamette | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Deschutes /Klamath | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| South Willamette | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Malheur            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Southwest        | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Northeast          | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Regional Council Position applying for *(you may check more than one)*:

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|-----------|-------------------------------------|--------|-------------------------------------|-------|-------------------------------------|
| Landowner | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Hunter | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Chair | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
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Describe why you are interested in serving on an A&H Regional Council. Please attach separate sheet(s) if necessary. Your application will be evaluated using the following criteria:

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US Marine Corps, Sgt. Infantry Weapons Expert 1955-1959.

Hunting Dog Trainer and Shooting Preserve Operator, Missouri 1960-1967.

8. Ability to foster positive relations between landowners, and ODFW.  
 Manager, Browning Arms Kennel and Shooting Preserve, and Ranch Manager Morgan, Utah. 1968-1975

Licensed Guide and Outfitter in Utah for small Game, big game, lion and bear. 1968-1975

Utah Division of Wildlife Biologist / Law Enforcement, 10 years 1975-1984

Utah State University Research Foundation; Master of Science in Wildlife Management. 1984-1988.

Wildlife Biologist and Base Wildlife Habitat Manager, Army Corp of Engineers in AZ, and US Army Dugway Proving Ground, UT 1988-1991

USFWS Biologist from 1991 to 2004, Texas, Washington, Oregon, Retired from Roseburg, OR office in 2004.

As a Biologist I helped develop Habitat Conservation Plans with private land owners and timber operators. I have worked with both public and private groups throughout my career.

I have been president and/or officer of many sportsmen organizations in AZ, UT, and OR. I am a certified master hunter in Oregon.

I owned and operated a small ranch in Missouri and Utah. I still have a small farm and lease quite a few acres here in Douglas County. I have registered horses, but recently sold my cattle operation. I also breed and train retriever and pointing dogs.

I was the biologist responsible for writing the delisting package that got the Columbia white-tailed deer delisted. I also wrote the EA and Petitioned the ODFW Commission in 2007 to remove the peregrine falcon from the state's endangered species list.

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Currently serving on SW Region Council



**References (optional)**

Steve Denny, ODFW Retired

Todd Lum, ODFW

Terry Farrel, ODFW

Robin Pritchett, USFWS Roseburg

Craig Tuss, USFWS Roseburg ,  
Retired

Liz Gayner, BLM , Roseburg

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Please submit to one of the following:

**North Willamette Regional Advisory Council**

ODFW, Attn: Dave Nuzum  
4907 3<sup>rd</sup> Street  
Tillamook, OR 97141  
Telephone: (503) 842-2741  
Email: [david.j.nuzum@state.or.us](mailto:david.j.nuzum@state.or.us)

**Deschutes/Klamath Regional Advisory Council**

ODFW, Attn: Larry Pecenka  
61374 Parrell Rd  
Bend, OR 97702  
Telephone: (541) 635-1117  
Email: [larry.pecenka@state.or.us](mailto:larry.pecenka@state.or.us)

**South Willamette Regional Advisory Council**

ODFW, Attn: David Stroppel  
7118 NE Vandenberg Ave.  
Corvallis, OR 97330  
Telephone: (541) 757-4186  
Email: [david.j.stroppel@state.or.us](mailto:david.j.stroppel@state.or.us)

**Malheur Regional Advisory Council**

ODFW, Attn: Tom Segal  
3814 Clarke Blvd.  
Ontario, OR 97914  
Telephone: (541) 889-6975  
Email: [thomas.p.segal@state.or.us](mailto:thomas.p.segal@state.or.us)

**Southwest Regional Advisory Council**

ODFW, Attn: Vince Oredson  
1495 E. Gregory Rd  
Central Point, OR 97502  
Email: [vince.i.oredson@state.or.us](mailto:vince.i.oredson@state.or.us)

**Northeast Regional Advisory Council**

ODFW, Attn: Jon Paustian  
107 20<sup>th</sup> Street  
La Grande, OR 97850  
Email: [jon.a.paustian@state.or.us](mailto:jon.a.paustian@state.or.us)



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**Personal Data**

Name: Sly, James R.  
(Please type or print last name, first name, and middle initial)

Legal Residence: 83727 Dale Kuni Road , Creswell, Oregon 97426

Business Address: Ditto

Residence Telephone: 541-895-2084 Business Telephone: 541-953-8615 (cell)

Email Address: jsly@centurytel.net

Occupation: Retired Construction Manager, Farmer

Board position applying for *(you may check more than one):*

Landowner  Hunter

As a citizen of the United States and resident of Oregon, I will accept appointment to the Access and Habitat Board if selected by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.

Signature <i>James R. Sly</i>	Date 10/9/13
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To assist us in meeting our affirmative action objectives, we would appreciate information about your gender and background. This information is optional. Under state and federal law, this information may not be used to discriminate against you.

Gender	Race/Ethnicity	Disability
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Asian or Pacific Island	<input type="checkbox"/> Native American
<input type="checkbox"/> Female	<input type="checkbox"/> Black	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> White
	<input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic	<input type="checkbox"/> Multiracial/Other

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7. Participation in the A&H program

8. Ability to foster positive relations between landowners, hunters, and ODFW.

I'm a life long farmer in the Creswell area and have had a cordial relationship with hunters and a few fishermen. We front on the Coast Fork of the Willamette and run cattle and cut hay on several hundred acres. I know a few people who have heavy recreation foot traffic on other rivers and can see where compromise and a few facilities could help the situation.

I was an avid duck hunter as a school boy and while in college a near tragic boating accident had a major impact. The balance of farm and work has kept me away.

I graduated from Creswell schools, went to Oregon State University and received a bachelor's degree in Civil Engineering and a commission in the US Navy. Served four years in the Navy Civil Engineer Corps. Came home and moved into the house I grew up in.

I spent 32 years in the heavy construction building bridges where working with OR Fish & Wildlife was a way of doing business. I rose to Vice President before I retired before turning 60 year old! My construction back ground would be of benefit to the committee. One of my significant experiences was chairing a committee that created a multiple craft training college in Portland. It was study in widely different organizations and interests moving to a common goal.

I have served on the local 1010 committee (agricultural pollution) and have been President of the Lane County Livestock Association for several years. I'm a member of the Oregon Cattlemen's Association. I am board member for a local recycling group.

My wife and I travel several times a year and we have been able balance that with farm activities and my other activities. The effort described in your literature sounds just right.

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Name: Sly, James R.

References (optional)

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Scott Williams, Hamilton Pres.,  
541-954-1853

Terry Cowart, Friend, 541-409-7490

Bob Sherman, Hamilton Vice  
Pres., 541-954-2270

Andy Petersen, Friend, 541-915-4282

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Mgt, 541-913-0725

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521-5741

Nathan Marnle. Friend, 541-912-7807

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Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife  
Attn: Matthew Keenan, A&H Coordinator  
3406 Cherry Ave. NE  
Salem, OR 97303  
Tel: (503) 947-6087  
Fax: (503) 947-6330

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Attn: Ray Jaindl  
635 Capitol Street NE  
Salem, OR 97301-2532  
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## Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife

### Interest Form For Access & Habitat Board

The purpose of this form is to obtain general information for the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission concerning the qualifications of applicants for the Access and Habitat Board. The information may also be used in writing articles concerning appointments and activities of the Board.

#### Personal Data

Name: Tucker, Michael, R.  
(Please type or print last name, first name, and middle initial)

Legal Residence: 3739 Julia Loop Eugene, OR 97404

Business Address: Giustina Land & Timber Co. PO Box 989 Eugene, OR 97440

Residence Telephone: 541-915-2264 Business Telephone: 541-345-2301

Email Address: mike@giustinaland.com

Occupation: Forester

Board position applying for *(you may check more than one):*

Landowner  Hunter

As a citizen of the United States and resident of Oregon, I will accept appointment to the Access and Habitat Board if selected by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.

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Signature

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Date

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Name: Michael R. Tucker

### Statement of Interest

Describe why you are interested in serving on the Access and Habitat Board. Provide information on your experience and background that supports your interest. Please include participation in any organization, board, or commission. Please attach separate sheet(s) if necessary. Your application will be evaluated using the following criteria:

1. Experience and knowledge of hunting *or* knowledge and breadth of experience in the agriculture or forestry industries.
2. Involvement in sportsman/hunter/conservation organizations *or* experience with fish & wildlife resource management issues.
3. Leadership in sportsman/hunter/conservation organizations *or* involvement in agriculture or forest industry organizations.
4. Leadership and experience on or with councils, boards, commission, and legislature.
5. Experience working with and/or representing the public.
6. Ability/interest in working collaboratively with others.
7. Participation in the A&H program
8. Ability to foster positive relations between landowners, hunters, and ODFW.

Thank you for the opportunity to apply to serve on the Access and Habitat Board. The principle reason that I wish to serve on the board is the chance it allows me to give back and pay homage to Oregon's many beautiful places, wildlife and people which all have combined to shape my life in unfathomable and countless ways. I have grown up a hunter and in a family that has worked in the woods as long as anyone can remember. My brother-in-law is a wildlife biologist, my dad is a forester, like me most of my friends and colleagues are hunters. Whatever boundaries are perceived to exist between the various groups have little meaning to me personally because of my upbringing and professional training. Perhaps it is selfish but I would like to think it's pragmatic that I am interested in finding and building "win-win" opportunities. The A&H program has been a great example of that, supporting projects that incentivise landowner's allowing access to hunters, augmenting habitat to boost up wildlife populations to healthier levels, finding projects that build bridges between factions. These are all worthy endeavors and something I would love to participate in and facilitate. Of course, nobody said it is easy but the challenge and the very work of the board are what attracts me most.

I grew up hunting, recreating and learning in the woods in the company of my dearest family members and friends. It is my great hope that I could give back to the many others that deserve the opportunity to find who they are out hunting Oregon's wildlife. I believe because of what I've chosen as a profession, what I have learned in service to others and what I have experienced representing a landowner that I am expertly qualified to serve the A&H Board and this state if you should ask me to do so.

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Name: Michael R. Tucker

References (optional)

Mr. Grant "Link" Smith  
ODF Western Lane District Forester  
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Veneta, OR 97487  
541-935-2283

Mrs. Fran Cafferata Coe  
Certified Wildlife Biologist  
Cafferata Consulting, LLC  
2019 NE Josephine Dr.  
Hillsboro, OR 97124  
503-680-7939

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Hi Matt,

Just circling back. I have been working with Mike Tucker since coming to OFIC. He has been interested for some time to become more involved in a broader environment. I know him most for his work with our Animal Damage Committee, Collaborative Research Team and current President of the Western Lane Forest Protection Association. I understand he will be submitting his application for the A&H Board position. I think that should bring your total to 4 with 1 to go?

I don't know if you have already made a choice/recommendation for the position, but would encourage you to give consideration to Mike. I think he would do a good job.

Thanks.

Mike Dykzeul  
Director, Forest Protection  
Oregon Forest Industries Council  
503-586-1244

### Forest Industry and Hunting Experience:

June 1999-Present      Reforestation Forester Giustina Land & Timber Co.

Order seedlings of various species and stocktypes from multiple nurseries for the purpose of fulfilling the company's reforestation goals and responsibilities

Create contract bid packages for silvicultural activities including: planting, hand spraying of pesticides, aerial spraying of pesticides, precommercial thinning, prevention of animal damage, control of animal damage, road right-of-way pesticide spraying, road right-of-way brush cutting, fence building, brush piling, sub-soiling and ripping of compacted ground, seedling hauling, seedling storage, ground spraying of pesticides on cones in Douglas-fir seed orchard, picking of cones, cone seed processing and storage.

Present to management bids and recommendations for contractor selections.

Administer various contracts, devise standards and parameters for contract minimums, assess compliance of contractors to job specifications, approve payments for contract services rendered.

Represent company to various boards, committees, working groups and professional organizations. A list of most of these will follow.

Attend professional training opportunities as appropriate and as time allows. It would be very difficult to list all of these but they include: multiple seminars on wildlife research and applications, pesticide training seminars and field tours, seedling genetic research, seed orchard management conferences.

Represent the company at "general" industry meetings. These include meetings with peers, neighbors and the interested public, wildlife professionals, law enforcement and other affiliated professions that live and work in and around the forested environment.

Timber sale layout, advertisement, sale award and general administration for one full time second growth logging side. Day-to-day point of contact with the logging contractor and log buyers. Oversee logging operations on the unit from notification of operation until completion.

2000-2011 GIS Manager. Worked with GIS consultant and other Forestry GIS Manager to implement the company's first GIS. Administer all aspects of managing that system after it was up and running.

2002-Present GLT Parvin Seed Orchard Manager – With consultant's help devised a plan to bring a largely mothballed orchard back to productive status. This involved careful analysis of progeny data, a lengthy data access mission with a company that had inherited the hard data measurements from the previous landowner who had been our cooperative partner. Actual logging of the orchard was necessary to make it again productive. We now have three distinct

orchard blocks of matching different regions and elevations of our ownership. Previously the orchards were solely of first generation material (trees). Over the years we have infused the orchard with outside sources of the best available genetic materials and have upgraded from a first generation to a generation and a half orchard and have made significant improvements in infrastructure and planning so that a second generation orchard can be installed soon.

Skilled in many aspects of Industrial Forest Management but there is something yet to be learned every day.

In addition to the above professional experience I have lifelong experience hunting, fishing and recreating in the fields, rivers and forests of Oregon. I learned to hunt long before I reached the age of 12 and could carry a rifle myself. Likewise, with a Forester for a Dad and a logger for a Grandpa, I learned to be a Forester and woodsman long before I went to college to get my degree. I am comfortable interacting with landowners be they farmers or foresters; with other hunters; with ranchers and loggers who tend to be an independent and conservative bunch; with contract laborers who often come from other countries; and with wildlife managers and law enforcement.

Of course hunting is not just about people, the hunt (should be) about pursuing elusive and healthy animals. I am and always will be a hunter in training. Many of my most precious memories do not include a "successful" trip with a filled tag. All of my trips are in wonderful wild places doing something that I dearly love. The best of these trips though are with family and friends that I love even more. I think I would hunt even without those people being there with me but there is no possible way that it could be as satisfying and sustaining. Serving on the Access and Habitat Board is, quite simply, a way for me to give back in some small way so that other folks have the opportunity to spend some extra time with the people they love and do hunting in places that they might otherwise not be allowed to hunt for healthy and productive animals.

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#### **Fish & Wildlife Resource Management Issues:**

1999-2005 Managed Giustina Land & Timber Company's (GLT) gates, locks, keys and access policies. Worked with contractors and Timberland Manager to allow access to company lands during various hunting seasons.

1999-Present Company representative to OFIC Animal Damage Committee. The OFIC ADC is responsible for bringing to light emerging fish and wildlife management issues as they pertain to private forestland management. Other topics of interest are covered as well. Forest managers and Wildlife Management Professionals are given the opportunity to speak to the issues and interact over the course of the day. When necessary work groups may be assigned to follow issues of lasting concern and recommend courses of action.

1999-Present Company representative to the Northwest Animal Damage Cooperative.  
2001-2004, 2011-Present Treasurer

2005 Vice Chair

2006-2007 Chair

The NWADC is a co-op of several timberland owners managing nearly one million acres in the northwest quarter of Oregon. Each of the landowners has at times experienced extreme and often focused animal damage to property or crop trees. The NWADC has sought to bring landowners, biologists, researchers, wildlife control agents and law enforcement together so that solutions could be implemented to stop the damage occurring in a safe, legal, economical and humane manner.

2011-Present Member of the Collaborative Research Team (CRT)

The CRT is a group of forestland management professionals from both agency and industry alike, wildlife researchers and both state and federal biologists from Oregon and Washington seeking to promote research into animals that at times conflict with forest management activities and goals. The CRT is most concerned with finding solutions to vexing issues surrounding the concomitant management of timber and wildlife. The best solutions being those that land and wildlife managers can easily implement and afford to use. A greatly important component of finding those solutions comes with the formation of novel hypotheses to answer with research.

2010 Planning team member for a joint conference of the Oregon Society of American Foresters and the Wildlife Society titled "Practical Applications of Wildlife Management on Working Forests." Wrote grant proposal to the National Society of American Foresters from the society's Forester's Fund. The grant was awarded for the purpose of offsetting the conference cost in order to increase by wildlife managers, forestry managers and students.

**Leadership Experience within and outside Forest Industry:**

1999-Present Society of American Foresters

2003-2004 Emerald Chapter Delegate-At-large

2005 Emerald Chapter Vice Chair

2005 Co-Chair inaugural Oregon SAF Foundation Golf Tournament

An event held to raise funds for the OSAF Foundation. The Foundation operates to disburse scholarships to exemplary students in an SAF accredited natural resources degree program in the State of Oregon. In its first two years the tournament raised well over \$20,000 dollars for the foundation and built an event framework that is still used today

2006 Emerald Chapter Chair

2006 Co-Chair second annual OSAF Foundation Golf Tournament

2007 OSAF State Meeting Program Committee member

2007 OSAF State Meeting (Educational) Tours Chair

2007-2009 Emerald Chapter Immediate Past Chair and participant

2012 Oregon SAF Delegate-At-Large

2013 OSAF Foundation Golf Tournament Chair

2006-2009 Northwest Tree Improvement Cooperative Operations Committee

2007-2009 Operations Committee Chair (aka Co-op Chair)

The NWTIC is an umbrella cooperative organization under which local co-ops perform tree breeding and testing of locally adapted and important tree species. Tests include growth, volume and form characteristics in conjunction with individual provenances responses to several environmental factors. The co-op covers the areas of Western Washington, Western Oregon and will possibly soon include Northern California.

2009 Renegotiate the MOU between the Co-op and Oregon State University to see that the co-op stayed in place at the University within the College of Forestry.

2004-Present Member of the Western Lane Forest Protective Association Board of Directors

2007-2010 Secretary of the Board

2010-Present President of the Association

The principle accomplishment of the partnership between the Association and the Western Lane ODF since my time in leadership has been the recent completion of a nearly million dollar vehicle shop and storage building. This structure replaced two others that had been built many decades ago by the CCCs. Those buildings had aged beyond repair and were fast becoming a liability and potentially an unsafe environment to work under. With great pride we have been able to erect this building without general fund assistance and without raising membership protection assessment rates. This is an extremely useful building that will be used to protect members' and the public's land and resources for many years to come.

2009-Present Member St. Mark's Catholic Church Parish Administrative Council

2011-Present Council Chair

In 2011 the council initiated a fundraising campaign for the purpose of financing a new more spacious entryway to the church. So far we have raised \$200,000 – enough to pay for the new structure.

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2008-2009 Northwest Seed Orchard Manager's Association Annual Meeting planning team member. The meeting was held in North Oregon in 2008 and the Southern Willamette Valley in 2009.

**A&H Program Participation:**

Assisted in forming the Wendling Travel Management Area with neighboring timber companies and local ODF&W Biologists – Provided GIS files to help define travel and non-travel roads. Along with many other people, assisted in the implementation and monitoring of the TMA.

On several occasions my company and or I personally have been in direct contact with a Linn County Forest Deputy regarding issues of trespass, marijuana growing, illegal removal of special forest products (i.e. Bear Grass), abandoned vehicles, campers and hunters and poachers. This

A&H support of the law enforcement presence in Linn County has proved very important to my company over the years.