

## Executive Appointments Board Roster

### Maritime Pilots, Oregon Board of

Agency: None  
Authorization: ORS 776.105  
Members: Min: 9 Max: 9  
Term Length: 4 years Limit: 2  
Senate confirmation required? Yes

**Policy Area:** Transportation

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### Current Appointments:

#### Member Name and Address (Alphabetical)

Kip Callahan Steamship Operator	Position Number: 6
Term(s): 06-01-2016 - 05-31-2020 06-01-2012 - 05-31-2016	

Chris Farrell Columbia River Bar Pilot	Position Number: 2
Term(s): 12-19-2016 - 12-18-2020	

Arminda J Ferris, Chair Public Member	Position Number: 7
Term(s): 03-24-2013 - 03-23-2017 03-24-2009 - 03-23-2013	

Leslie O Goss Public Member	Position Number: 7
Term(s): 05-03-2017 - 05-02-2021	

Elroy E Olson, Sr Columbia River Pilot	Position Number: 3
Term(s): 12-12-2014 - 12-11-2018	

Andy Papachristopoulos Steamship Agent	Position Number: 8
Term(s): 10-01-2014 - 09-30-2018 10-01-2010 - 09-30-2014	

Gary L Piercy Public Member	Position Number: 9
Term(s): 11-20-2015 - 11-19-2019	

Dan Pippenger Shipping Industry Representative	Position Number: 5
Term(s): 06-01-2014 - 05-31-2018	

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Michael F Swanson

Public Member

Term(s): 06-01-2016 - 05-31-2020

Position Number: 1

George R Wales

Coos Bay Pilot

Term(s): 06-01-2015 - 05-31-2019

12-12-2014 - 05-31-2015

Position Number: 4

**OFFICE:** Maritime Pilots, Oregon Board of

**APPOINTEE:** Leslie Goss of Portland; New appointment replacing Ferris

**APPOINTMENT/CONFIRMATION AUTHORITY:** ORS 776.105

**TERM:** Four -year term: May 3, 2017 – May 2, 2021

**ECONOMIC INTEREST FILING (ORS 244.050):** Not required.

**STATUTORY QUALIFICATIONS:** ORS 776.105

Affirmative action policy: See ORS 182.100. Diversity criteria: See ORS 236.115.

- Nine-members appointed by the Governor
- Three public members (**GOSS, PIERCY, SWANSON**) one to serve as chair.  
Public members not to have had, during preceding 5 years or during tenure, any interest in ownership, operation or management of tugs, cargo or passenger or freight vessels, or in any organization or association related to commercial ocean-going vessels engaged in commercial maritime industry, or hold any maritime pilot license
- Three licensed maritime pilots, licensed for than three years, actively engaged in piloting; and residents of this state
  - One member to be a Columbia River bar licensee (**FARRELL**)
  - One member to be a Columbia River licensee (**OLSON**)
  - One member to be a Coos Bay or Yaquina Bay licensee (**WALES, Coos Bay**)
- Three members, for at least 3 immediately preceding years and during tenure, involved in activities of operating commercial ocean-going vessels (**CALLAHAN, PAPACHRISTOPOULOS, PIPPENGER**)

**DUTIES AND AUTHORITY:** ORS 776.115, 776.118, 776.300, 776.311, 776.375

- Provide for efficient and competent pilotage with primary consideration to be public safety
- License pilot organizations and pilots; regulate and limit number of pilots and trainees
- Fix at reasonable and just rates pilotage fees, extra fees for vessels in distress, extraordinary pilotage service fees, etc
- Establish and fix boundaries of pilotage grounds
- Set meetings, at least one each calendar year
- Fix qualifications of , salary for ,and appoint Executive Director and an administrative officer for board