

Oregon Climate Authority (SB928)

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1. Functions: Current and Future States



2. Sequencing



- Phase I: Setup (Jul-Dec 2019)
- Phase II: Preparation (Jan-Jun 2020)
- Phase III: Pre-Launch (Jul-Dec 2020)
- Phase IV: Launch (Jan 2021+)

2. Phase I: Setup (Jul-Dec 2019)



- Carbon Policy Office moves to OCA and begins work as interim managers
- Global Warming Commission Sunsets
- Climate Board appointed and confirmed
- Permanent OCA Director recruited and confirmed
- Rulemaking begins
- OCA Climate Division Hiring
- SELP moves to OBDD
- Energy Programs Workgroup submits final recommendations



2. Phase II: Preparation (Jan-Jun 2020)

- Legislature approves final placement of EFSC, Nuclear Safety
- ODOE completes transition of Energy Programs Division and staff
- Further rulemaking for climate program
- All hiring completed for OCA
- Establish relationship with WCI, Inc. to administer allowance auctions
- Begin discussions with other jurisdictions around formal linkage
- Carbon policy office and ODOE officially end by 6/30/20



2. Phase III: Pre-Launch (Jul-Dec 2020)

- All regulated entities registered with WCI, Inc.
- Auction platform with WCI, Inc. readied for Oregon use.
- Rulemaking completed



2. Phase IV: Launch (Jan 2021+)

- Compliance obligations and allowance allocations begin
- First auctions completed
- New ESA cap and eligible usage operable
- GHG program transitioned from DEQ to OCA

2. Sequencing Visual Timeline



7/1	./19 1/1	./20 7/1	1/20 1/1	./21
Current	Phase I	Phase II	Phase III	Phase IV
2019 SessionRecruit acting interim directorRecruit acting interim board	 Setup Rulemaking begins CPO moves to OCA and begins work as interim managers Recruitment Appointments + confirmations by Senate Establish relationship with WCI, Inc. 	 Preparation Legislature approves final placement of EFSC, NSEP ODOE completes transition of Energy Programs Division and staff All OCA hiring completed Linkage discussions begin 	 Pre-Launch All regulated entities registered with WCI, Inc. Auction platform readied for Oregon use. Rulemaking completed 	 Launch Compliance obligations and allowance allocations begin First auctions completed New ESA cap and eligible usage operable GHG program transitioned from DEQ to OCA
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3. Climate Programs Oversight Boards, Commissions and Task Forces



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- Sunset: Global Warming Commission upon start date of OCA, Jul 2019
- Create: Oregon Climate Board by Sep 2019
- Create: Energy Programs Work Group by Jul 2019
- Modify: Energy Advisory Work Group

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- Create: Citizen Advisory Committee on Climate (2021)
- Create: Compliance Offset Program Advisory Committee (2020)
- Modify: Specific roles for Env. Justice Task Force (2021)

3. Oregon Climate Board



Voting Members subject to Senate Confirmation:

The nine members of the board appointed under this subsection must be residents of this state well informed in energy and climate issues and shall include the following:

- One member who is a tribal representative;
- Two members who are representatives of the energy sector;
- One member who represents environmental interests;
- One member who is an economist or who has experience and expertise in state finance;
- One member who represents industrial energy users;
- One member with expertise in transportation issues; and
- Two at-large members.

3. Oregon Climate Board



Ex- Officio Non-Voting Members

- The Director of the Oregon Climate Authority;
- One Republican Legislator on a climate-related committee jointly appointed by the Senate President and House Speaker
- One Democratic Legislator on a climate-related committee jointly appointed by the Senate President and House Speaker
- Governor's policy advisor on issues related to climate
- One member who represents the Oregon Climate Change Research Institute; and
- The chairperson of the Environmental Justice Task Force.

4. Funding Sources Transition

Reduce and focus ESA immediately; use GF during pre-launch and allowance proceeds after program launch



	Immediate through pre-launch (Jul 2019-Dec 2020)	Launch (Jan 2021+)
GHG Reporting	GHG reporting fees	GHG reporting fees
Core energy programs	ESA	ESA
Energy Facility Siting	EFSC fees + ESA	EFSC fees + ESA
Nuclear safety	Federal funds + ESA	Federal funds + GF
Climate and Cap and trade program	General Fund	Cap and trade allowance proceeds
OCA administration	Proportional: ESA and GF	Proportional: ESA and C&T proceeds

ESA: Immediate reduction of 25%



5. Oregon Climate Authority Structure



6. Staffing

Outlined in Governor's Requested Budget



112 Positions Total for 2019-2021:

- 25 new positions to implement cap and trade
- 4 current positions transferring from GHG Reporting at DEQ
- 83 current ODOE positions transferring to OCA

6. Staffing (agency leadership)





6. Staffing (Climate/Cap and Trade) (22 positions)



6. Staffing (Energy Services 2019-2021) (44 positions)





6. Staffing (Administrative /Director's Office)(42 positions)





Staffing & Hiring – GHG Program	• DEQ fills vacant positions.	• DEQ finishes hiring for GHG positions.	• N/A	 4 GHG positions at DEQ move to OCA
Staffing & Hiring – Cap & Trade	 DAS creates OCA accounting systems. Gov. appoints interim director; recruits permanent director. Carbon Policy Office provides staffing support/continuity. Interim director begins hiring with DAS HR support. Interim director signs interagency agreements with DEQ/DAS/ODOE for IT and staffing support. 	 Permanent director appointed, Senate approved. Director continues hiring, with DAS or ODOE HR support. DAS begins process of closing out ODOE. 	 Director continues hiring with OCA/ODOE joint HR support. Begin preparing ODOE staff for transition in June. DAS closing out ODOE, transfers programs, accounts to OCA. 	 ODOE is closed; programs and staff transferred to OCA; or identified to move elsewhere. Hiring for C&T program completed. OCA fully independent.
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Sept.-Dec. 2019

Jan-June 2020



July –Aug. 2019



June-June 2022

7. Rulemaking



HB2020 Initial Development Process			2019					2020	1								2021			
(assumes bill passes June 30, 2019)	Jul	-		Nov De	Jan F	eb Ma	ar Apr			Sep	Oct N	lov Dec	Jan	Feb N	lar Ap	r Mav		Sep (Oct No	ov Der
GHG Reporting Program		148 66	p 000							, cop					141 14	, ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,				
Tasks (assumes work can begin immediately)								 										 		
Rulemaking (more detailed requirements, marketers, etc.)	T																			
Rulemaking (3rd party verification)																				-
Approve 3rd party verifiers																				
Design & integrate new software @ OCA																				
Core cap-and-trade program																				
Tasks																				
Contracting w/ WCI, Inc.																				
Integrate WCI systems w/ state systems																				
Rulemaking (cap setting)																				
Rulemaking (compliance obligations, point of regulation)																				
Rulemaking (registration - basic requirements, timing, enforcement)																				
Regulated entities registration process																				
Rulemaking (enforcement, first phase - later rulemakings for add'l enforce.)																				
Contract for identifying EITEs for opt-ins																				
Rulemaking (product output reporting, best available technology benchmarking)																				
Contractor(s) to assist w/ product definitions																				
Collect prior 3 years of product data (3rd party verification)																		 		
Rulemaking (allocation & reserve accounts)																		 		
Work w/ PUC on forecasts for IOUs & LDC low-income																				
Rulemaking (offsets: adopt existing WCI protocols, processes for review/award)																		 		
Offsets: form advisory committees and explore opportunities								 										 		
Rulemaking (designate impacted communities)																				
Rulemaking (market rules - floor, APCR, ceiling, holding/pruchase limits, disclosure,	etc.)																	 		
Rulemaking (methods for distributing auction proceeds)																				
Linkage discussions w/ jurisdictions													==>					 		
Investment Plan - Set up Citizens Committee																				
Investment Plan - Report																				

7. Rulemaking Process



	July –Aug. 2019	SeptDec. 2019	Jan-June 2020	July 2020- June 2022
Rulemaking - GHG Program	 DEQ & OCA start joint rulemaking related to GHG reporting requirements. 	DEQ & OCA continue joint rule making for GHG reporting requirements.	DEQ & OCA finish joint rulemaking for GHG reporting requirements.	GHG program transfers to OCA. OCA takes over all future rulemakings for GHG reporting requirements.
Rulemaking – Cap & Trade	 Interim director, carbon policy office staff prepare for rule making, with staff support from DEQ/DAS/ODOE. 	 OCA conducts rulemaking with DEQ/DAS/ODOE staff support. Climate Board hears rules/issues recommendations. Director adopts rules. 	 OCA conducts rulemaking with DEQ/DAS/ODOE staff support. Climate Board hears rules/issues recommendations. Director adopts rules. 	 Program rules finalized. Rulemaking process entirely staffed by OCA. Climate Board hears rules/issues recommendations. Director adopts rules.

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needs assessment Assessment focused on software, GHG reporting systems, interoperability with WCI, Inc; and data security.	 IT system for core IT needs/support. Specifications for building GHG reporting system software at OCA identified. Data security needs/protocols identified. Stage Gate process starts. 	 program systems built at OCA. Other software/security needs identified and implemented. Core IT system and staffing support shared with ODOE. WCI, Inc platform prepared for OR C&T program by WCI staff. 	 systems at OCA finished. GHG reporting data transferred from DEQ. OR accounts established at WCI, Inc. OR ready to conduct auctions on WCI, Inc. platform.

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Jan-June 2020

GHG reporting

July -Dec. 2019

OCA shares ODOE

8. IT Timeline

Current

CIO's office conducting IT



June-January 2021

GHG reporting

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