

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**Oregon Department of Environmental Quality**  
**Water Quality 401 Certification**

**Corps of Engineers No:** NWP-2012-441

**Notice Issued:** Nov. 14, 2014

**Oregon Dept. of State Lands #54484-RF, 54908-RF** **Written Comments Due:** Jan. 12, 2015

**WHO IS THE APPLICANT:** Bob Braddock  
Jordan Cove Energy Project  
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Coos Bay, OR 97420

**LOCATION OF CERTIFICATION ACTIVITY:** See U.S. Army Corps of Engineers public notice.

**WHAT IS PROPOSED:** See U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' public notice on the proposed project.

**NEED FOR CERTIFICATION:** Section 401 of the Federal Clean Water Act requires applicants for Federal permits or licenses to provide the Federal agency a water quality certification from the State of Oregon if the proposed activity may result in a discharge to waters of the state.

**DESCRIPTION OF DISCHARGES:** See U.S. Army Corps of Engineers public notice.

**WHERE TO FIND DOCUMENTS:** Documents and materials related to water quality issues as a result of the proposal are available for examination and copying at several Oregon Department of Environmental Quality Offices. Information can also be found on Oregon DEQ's web site: [Oregon DEQ: Western Region Jordan Cove LNG](#).

While not required, scheduling an appointment will ensure that water quality documents are readily accessible during your visit. To schedule an appointment at the office nearest you, please call the numbers listed below.

- Northwest Region Portland Office: 2020 S.W. 4th Ave., Ste. 400, Portland, OR 97201-4953
  - Phone: 503-229-5552; toll-free within Oregon: 800-452-4011
- Eugene Office: 165 E. 7th Ave., Ste. 100, Eugene, OR 97401
  - Phone: 541-686-7838; toll-free within Oregon: 800-844-8467
- Coos Bay Office: 381 N. Second St., Coos Bay, OR 97420
  - Phone: 541-269-2721, ext. 0
- Medford Office: 221 Stewart Ave., Ste. 201, Medford, OR 97501
  - Phone: 541-776-6010; toll-free within Oregon: 877-823-3216

Other project materials are available by contacting the Corps per the related public notice.

Address questions on the water quality certification process to the 401 Project Manager, Chris Stine, at 541-686-7810 or toll-free within Oregon at 800-844-8467. People with hearing impairments may call the Oregon Telecommunications Relay Service at 1-800-735-2900.

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:**

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**Public hearing:** Oregon Administrative Rule 340-48-0032 (2) states “The Corps provides public notice of and opportunity to comment on the applications, including the application for certification, provided that the department (DEQ), in its discretion, may provide additional opportunity for public comment, including public hearing.”

**Written comments:**

Written comments on project elements related to water quality must be received at the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality by 5 p.m. on the date specified in the upper right section on page one of this notice. Written comments may be emailed, mailed or faxed as described below:

Email - [401publiccomments@deq.state.or.us](mailto:401publiccomments@deq.state.or.us)

Mail - Oregon Department of Environmental Quality, Eugene Office  
165 E. 7th Ave., Ste. 100  
Eugene, OR 97401  
Attn: 401 Water Quality Project Manager

Fax – 541-686-7551

People wishing to send comments via e-mail should send them in Microsoft Word (through version 7.0), WordPerfect (through version 6.x) or plain text format. Otherwise, due to conversion difficulties, DEQ recommends that comments be mailed in hard copy.

**WHAT HAPPENS NEXT:** DEQ will review and consider all comments received during the public comment period. Following this review, certification of the proposal may be issued as proposed, issued with conditions, or denied. You will be notified of DEQ's final decision if you submit comments during the comment period. Otherwise, if you wish to receive notification, please call or write DEQ at the above address.

**ACCESSIBILITY INFORMATION:** This publication is available in alternate format (e.g. large print, Braille) upon request. Please contact DEQ Office of Communications and Outreach at 503-229-5317 or toll free within Oregon at 1-800-452-4011 to request an alternate format. People with a hearing impairment can receive help by calling the Oregon Telecommunications Relay Service at 1-800-735-2900.

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## **OREGON OCEAN AND COASTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAM**

### **CONSISTENCY CERTIFICATION**

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#### **NOTIFICATION:**

For projects subject to coastal zone review, notice is hereby given that the project is being reviewed by the Department of Land Conservation and Development (DLCD) as provided in Section 307(c) of the Coastal Zone Management Act. The applicant believes that the activities described in the attached materials would comply with and be conducted in a manner consistent with the Oregon Ocean and Coastal Management Program. Project information is available for inspection at DLCD's Salem office or online at [http://www.oregon.gov/LCD/OCMP/Pages/PublicNotice\\_Intro.aspx](http://www.oregon.gov/LCD/OCMP/Pages/PublicNotice_Intro.aspx).

DLCD is hereby soliciting public comments on the proposed project's consistency with the Oregon Coastal Management Program. Written comments may be submitted to DLCD, 635 Capital Street NE, Suite 150, Salem, Oregon 97301-2540. Comments may also be sent by fax to (503) 378-6033 or by email to [coast.permits@state.or.us](mailto:coast.permits@state.or.us). All comments must be received by DLCD on or before January 12, 2015. For further information, you may call DLCD at (503) 373-0050.

#### **REVIEW CRITERIA:**

Comments should address consistency with the applicable elements of the Oregon Coastal management Program. These elements include the following:

- Ø Acknowledged Local Comprehensive Plans & Implementing Ordinances
- Ø Statewide Planning Goals
- Ø Applicable State Authorities incorporated into the Oregon Coastal Management Program (e.g. Removal-Fill Law, Water Quality Standards, Beach Bill, etc.) as applicable.

#### **INCONSISTENT?**

If you believe this project is inconsistent with the Oregon Coastal Management Program, your comments to DLCD should explain why you believe the project is inconsistent and should identify the Oregon Coastal Management Program element(s) in question. You should also describe how the project could be modified, if possible, to make it consistent with the Oregon Coastal Management Program.