
Commission Workshop
February 11, 2026 – 9:00 AM
2 Marine Drive, Boardman, Oregon 97818

I. CALL TO ORDER AND INTRODUCTIONS

John called the workshop to order at 9:00 AM.

Commissioners Present: Rick Stokoe, John Murray, Kelly Doherty, Joel Peterson was present on Zoom

Staff Present: Lisa Mittelsdorf, Eileen Hendricks, Mark Patton, and Brandy Warburton

Visitors Present: None

By Zoom Meeting: (Staff) Erika Morton
(Guests) Mike Gorman

II. COMMISSIONER APPOINTMENT – Review and Finalize Interview Questions

The commission reviewed/discussed the list of questions and decided what procedure to use.

The following questions were selected:

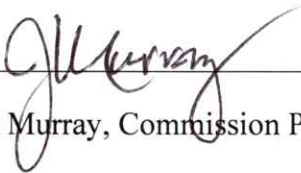
1. Do you foresee having any conflicts of interest issues?
2. What do you believe is the single most important responsibility of a Port Commissioner, and how do you understand the overall role of the position?
3. How do you distinguish the role of a commissioner from day-to-day port management?
4. Can you describe a time you had to make an unpopular decision in the public interest?
5. How should the Commission balance debt, reserves, and long-term infrastructure needs?
6. Of the qualities you have, which two would most benefit the success of the port?
7. What are the top three priorities you feel the port should focus on, in order of priority?
8. In terms of working effectively on a board, how do you foresee balancing working together versus speaking up on issues you feel strongly about? How do you plan to communicate in these instances?

There was discussion regarding the process and order for asking questions and the process for making the appointment.

III. FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER

John adjourned the workshop at 9:25 AM.

Submitted by:



John Murray, Commission President



Lisa Mittelsdorf, Executive Director