

**APPENDIX B DLCD OREGON COASTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAM
LETTER OF NO OBJECTION**





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Project: Cape Meares Loop Road Relocation
Federal Assistance: Federal Lands Access Program (MAP-21)
Location: Cape Meares Loop Road between Oceanside and Tillamook, Oregon

Dear Ms. Chariarse,

Thank you for contacting the Oregon Department of Land Conservation and Development (DLCD) regarding the road relocation project the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) is partnering with Tillamook County on for the Federal Lands Access Program funding. DLCD is the state's designated coastal zone management agency, and conducts consistency reviews to ensure that federal activities affecting any coastal use or resource are consistent with the enforceable policies of the Oregon Coastal Management Program (OCMP). Federal activities include federal financial assistance to local governments and related public entities, as well as projects that require federal licenses or permits. To be consistent with the enforceable policies of the OCMP, federal activities must be consistent with: 1) Oregon's statewide planning goals; 2) the applicable acknowledged city or county comprehensive plan; and 3) selected state authorities (e.g. those governing removal-fill, water quality, and fish & wildlife protections).

If the federal nexus is limited to providing project funding DLCD does not object to the federal funding under our CZMA authority, ***provided the applicant receives and complies with the conditions of all necessary local, state, and federal permits***. If the project will require a federal license or permit, such as one from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, DLCD will conduct a full consistency review as part of the permitting phase, when information on county plan and zoning compatibility, as well as resource impacts, will be more readily available.

If you have any further questions about the coastal management program or federal consistency, please contact me at 503-934-0029 or by e-mail at: Elizabeth.j.ruther@state.or.us.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth J. Ruther
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