



**Lincoln Soil and Water Conservation District** November 2021

Partners in Conservation since 1955

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## NATIVE PLANT SALE

Vine Maples, Broadleaf Lupine, Western Red Cedar... oh my! All that and so much more will be available at our upcoming Native Plant Sale at the Lincoln County Commons Livestock Barn on December 11, 2021 from 9 am - 2pm.

Want to skip the line and pre-order your plants? Our Native Plant Pre-Sale has been EXTENDED through NOVEMBER 30!

NATIVE PLANT SALE

THIS MONTH'S  
TOP STORIES



## WE HAVE MOVED!

Trying to reach the District? Sorry we missed you! Our office and mailing address has changed.

New Office Address  
**914 SW Coast Hwy**  
**Newport, Oregon 97365**

New Mailing Address  
**PO Box 2273**  
**Newport, Oregon 97365**

## EXPANDING THE DISTRICT TEAM



**CONSERVATION PROGRAMS TECHNICIAN, TYLER CLOUSE**

Meet our newest team member, Tyler! Tyler joined the District at the beginning of September, and is already off to a running start!

Tyler graduated with a B.A. in Environmental Studies from the University of Michigan. Since then, he has worked primarily in the intersection of human resource use and environmental protection through regulatory compliance and outreach.

An inquisitive outdoor adventurer, you can find Tyler surfing, swimming, berry pickin', and exploring the diverse landscape of the region. In his free time, Tyler enjoys gardening, cooking, and playing board games.



**RIPARIAN RESTORATION TECHNICIAN, KATIE SAATY**

Katie joined Lincoln SWCD in September 2021 after working two years as an at-sea commercial fisheries observer in Newport. She graduated from Humboldt State University

with a B.S. in Fisheries Science and has extensive habitat restoration experience as both a volunteer and California State Parks employee. In her free time, Katie loves to forage, kayak, cultivate her house plant and bonsai collection, and care for her two axolotls.



#### **RIPARIAN RESTORATION TECHNICIAN, ALEX JEWELL**

Alex joined the District in November 2021. Alex has a B.S. in Natural Resources with an emphasis in Conservation Technology from Oregon State University- Cascades. She has worked as a ranch assistant in Eastern Oregon, studied tropical ecology and Spanish in Costa Rica, and, most recently, worked as a Port Sampler for Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife. Outside of work, you'll find Alex foraging for mushrooms on the coast, fishing for salmon, or rockhounding across the state.





## PARTNERS IN CONSERVATION HIGHLIGHT: TREE REMOVAL OPTIONS

### MIDCOAST WATERSHEDS COUNCIL'S LOG SALVAGE PROGRAM

Have a fallen tree? Need to clear your property? MidCoast Watersheds Council can help you and salmon, too!

A fallen fir, spruce or cedar tree in your yard can be placed in streams and in marshes to create excellent habitat for salmon. Logs must meet certain size and species standards to help ensure they will remain in place and provide long-term benefits to the creeks they are positioned in.

[LOG SALVAGE PROGRAM](#)

### STATE OF OREGON WILDFIRE HAZARDOUS TREE REMOVAL SUPPORT

As part of Step 2 of Oregon Wildfire's Response & Recovery support is available for hazard tree removal.

Wildfire is devastating to a tree's structural integrity, and structural defects are the primary indicators that a tree is a hazard. Obvious signs are fire damage to the lower trunk or roots. Wildfire burns very hot and can damage a tree's base, making it susceptible to falling over, especially in rough winter weather.

Cleanup crews will cut down or “fell” hazard trees first, after consultation with professional arborists. Along public roadways, crews will remove felled trees, slash, debris and log decks left behind by wildfire response efforts. They will also fell trees that pose a safety threat to the roadway. On private property, arborists will identify hazard trees as any that will endanger cleanup crews, or are a threat to nearby public areas, like roads or waterways. Cleanup crews will cut down those hazard trees.

#### WILDFIRE HAZARDOUS TREE REMOVAL



## Upcoming Board Meeting

Our next Board of Directors meeting will be held on **November 18, 2021** at 7 p.m. via Zoom. These meetings cover the general business of LSWCD, while also convening to decide the next steps the District will take in overall operations or within specific programs.

Please call the office (541-265-2631) or email Shannon Joseph ([shannon@lincolnsxcd.org](mailto:shannon@lincolnsxcd.org)) for meeting access information and special accommodation.

Board of Directors Meetings take place at least once a month, generally on the second Thursday of the Month from 7 to 9 p.m. All meetings are open to the public, with the exception of occasional Executive Sessions.

The Lincoln Soil & Water Conservation District (LSWCD) complies with the American with Disabilities Act (ADA). The ADA prohibits discrimination against persons with disabilities. If you would like to attend a meeting but need special accommodations, please contact us at least 72 hours prior to the meeting.



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