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**Governing Board to meet in Portland June 15, 2010**

**Portland, Oregon**: The Governing Board of the Oregon Department of Geology and Mineral Industries (DOGAMI) will meet June 15, 2010 at 8:30 A.M. at the Portland State Office Building, Suite 965, Portland, Oregon. The public is invited to attend.

Agenda items include budget and legislative concepts, and regulatory issues affecting the Mineral Lands Regulation and Reclamation Program.

The complete agenda can be found online at: [http://www.oregongeology.org](http://www.oregongeology.org)

**GOVERNING BOARD MEMBERS:**
Larry Givens, Milton-Freewater, Chairperson
Steve Macnab, Bend, Vice Chairperson
Lisa Phipps, Rockaway Beach
Douglas MacDougal, Portland
R. Charles Vars, Corvallis

The five-member governing board, citizens appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Oregon Senate, oversees the Oregon Department of Geology and Mineral Industries. The board sets policy and oversees general operations of the department. The board meets quarterly at sites around the state to encourage participation from the public, local government, industry and other geologists.

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