

# OREGON DEPARTMENT OF GEOLOGY AND MINERAL INDUSTRIES

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## Andree Pollock joins the Oregon Department of Geology and Mineral Industries as Assistant Director

Portland, Oregon: The Oregon Department of Geology and Mineral Industries (DOGAMI) is pleased to welcome Mr. Andree Pollock to the position of Assistant Director, Geologic Survey and Services Program. Mr. Pollock comes to the Agency from the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) where he served the last 4.5 years managing the Hazardous Waste and Underground Storage Tank Programs. Previous to that he served for two years managing the DEQ budget office and for 7 years as a manager in the DEQ northwest regional office. He has a B.S. in Geological Engineering from the University of Alaska-Fairbanks and a MPA in Public Administration from Portland State University. Mr. Pollock's tenure with DOGAMI began September 4, 2012.

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The Oregon Department of Geology and Mineral Industries is an independent agency of the State and has a broad responsibility in developing an understanding of the state's geologic resources and natural hazards. The Department then makes this information available to communities and individuals to help inform and reduce the risks from natural hazards, such as earthquakes, tsunamis, landslides, floods and volcanic eruptions. The Department assists in the formulation of state policy where an understanding of geologic materials, geologic resources, processes, and hazards is key to decision-making. The Department is also the lead state regulatory agency for mining, oil, gas and geothermal exploration, production and reclamation.

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