

# Port of Cascade Locks

## Community Profile

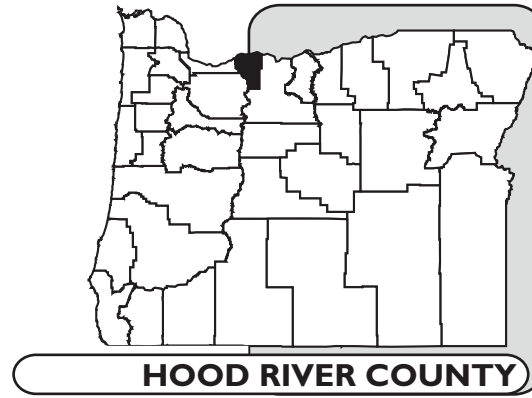
**Population** 1,075

**Location** Cascade Locks

## Position Description

**Sponsor** Port of Cascade Locks

**Supervisor** Chuck Daughtry,  
General Manager



**Assignment** The RARE participant at the Port of Cascade Locks will work on five projects.

The first project is to expand and improve facilities in the current sailing park and identify other recreational opportunities for tourists as well as accommodate larger events. The RARE participant will be responsible for managing a \$100,000 HUD grant. They will identify scope of project and possible funding sources.

The second project is to complete an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the anticipated Tribal Resort. The RARE participant will review and edit Port's public responses, attend public meetings and provide feedback to General Manager. A major goal will be to pursue a freeway design exception to allow the East Cascade Locks Interchange to remain open. They will also help finalize the land sale and lease agreement with Warm Springs Tribe.

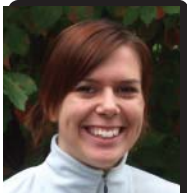
The third project the RARE participant will work on is to finalize the approval of the Historical District. This goal of this project is to ultimately maintain and improve links to past, provide facilities for public use, and increase community self esteem and pride. The participant will organize a Historical District committee and help establish priorities. They will also review and update building restoration plan.

The fourth project includes creating a Funding Strategic Plan the goal of which is to provide visible evidence of Port progress. They will work with staff and commission to update funding priorities, and identify funding opportunities.

The fifth and final project is the Marine Entrance Project which will allow an increase in commercial activities in Marine Park. The RARE participant will work on engineering with an ODOT representative and engineering firm. They will attend scoping meetings, manage engineering results, and work to create an agreement with Union Pacific Railroad. In addition they will lead the public information process and collaborate on Federal Funding request.

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## RARE Participant



Anna Tompkins

Anna attended California State University and received a degree in Geography. Anna's experience includes working in Modesto, California on communicating energy conservation and other green practices to nearby public agencies. Anna also worked on issues related to transportation, housing, and business zoning. Previously, Anna was a health and fitness instructor, as well as an adventure recreation facilitator.

Anna is the lead on many projects with the Port of Cascade Locks. Within the Port's Marine Park, Anna manages the fund development, reviews the feasibility study, and is identifying the scope of the work for the development of a sailing park. Anna is also working on allocating funding and determining a suitable design for improvements to the Marine Park including an underpass project, the remodel of the visitor center, and finalizing the approval of the area as a historic district. In addition, Anna is working on projects outside of the Marine Park, including the creation of a downtown development plan and providing technical assistance and training in partnership with an initiative to promote community prosperity.