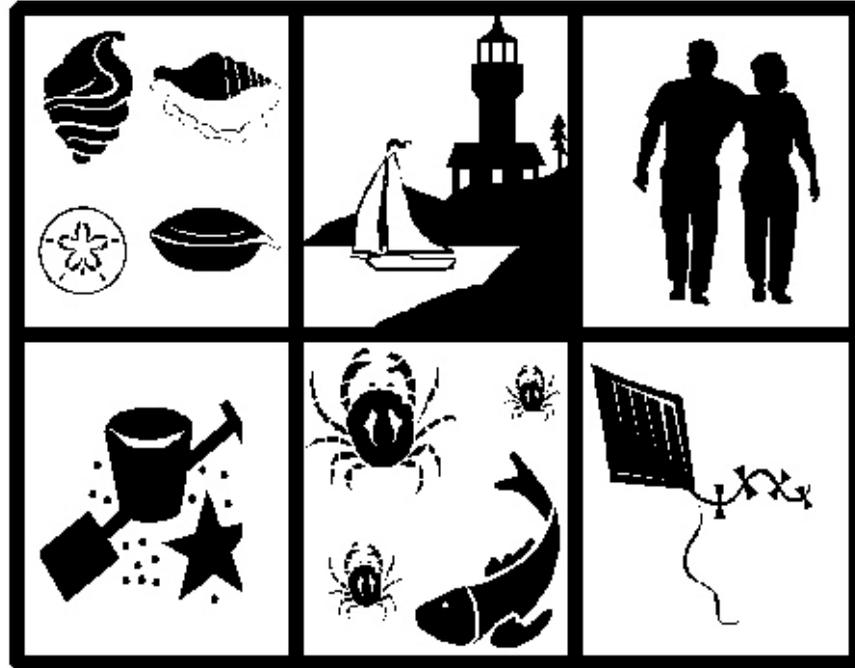


# Your Opinions About Marine Areas in Oregon

## Important Questions for Oregon Residents



Please Complete this Survey and Return it in the Envelope as Soon as Possible

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Thank You for Your Participation

A Study Conducted by:



We are conducting this survey to learn about your opinions regarding marine areas and their management in Oregon. **Marine areas are primarily offshore consisting of ocean / sea, but not land.** Your input is important and will assist managers. **Please complete this survey and return it in the addressed postage-paid envelope as soon as possible.**

1. Several years ago, we sent out a similar survey with the same front cover graphic and similar questions. Do you remember completing and returning that survey several years ago? (**check ONE**)
  - No → if no, please answer the questions below
  - Unsure → if unsure, please answer the questions below
  - Yes → if yes, please also answer the questions below, as we are interested in whether responses have changed over time
2. Have you ever visited marine areas in Oregon? (**check ONE**)
  - Yes
  - No → if no, please skip to question 5 below
3. Please check the activities in which you have ever participated at marine areas in Oregon. (**check ALL THAT APPLY**)
 

<input type="checkbox"/> A. Sightseeing	<input type="checkbox"/> H. Charter recreational fishing
<input type="checkbox"/> B. Swimming	<input type="checkbox"/> I. Commercial fishing
<input type="checkbox"/> C. Viewing marine animals (e.g., birds, whales, sea lions)	<input type="checkbox"/> J. Non-motorized boating (e.g., canoe, kayak)
<input type="checkbox"/> D. Exploring tidepools	<input type="checkbox"/> K. Motorized boating
<input type="checkbox"/> E. Surfing / boogie boarding	<input type="checkbox"/> L. Visiting marine reserves or marine protected areas
<input type="checkbox"/> F. Scuba diving / snorkeling	<input type="checkbox"/> M. Other (write response) _____
<input type="checkbox"/> G. Non-charter recreational fishing	_____
4. From Question 3 above, what **TOP TWO activities** have you participated in most often at marine areas in Oregon? (**write letters**)  
**Letters for TOP TWO activities** \_\_\_\_\_
5. To what extent do you disagree or agree with each of the following statements? (**circle one number for EACH**)

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree
The condition of marine areas in Oregon has improved in recent years.	1	2	3	4	5
The government should do more to help protect marine areas in Oregon.	1	2	3	4	5
Laws protecting marine areas in Oregon are already too strict.	1	2	3	4	5
Managers are doing everything they can to protect marine areas in Oregon.	1	2	3	4	5
Fishing is <i>not</i> harming marine areas in Oregon.	1	2	3	4	5
People who fish recreationally are harming marine areas in Oregon.	1	2	3	4	5
People who fish commercially are harming marine areas in Oregon.	1	2	3	4	5
People who purchase / consume seafood are harming marine areas in Oregon.	1	2	3	4	5

Some places around the world have protected certain marine areas by designating them as **marine reserves**. **A marine reserve is an area of the marine environment that is protected from specific uses, especially those that remove or disturb marine life.** Around the world, marine reserves have been designated for different purposes such as for research, rebuilding fish populations, protecting habitat, and promoting sightseeing and recreation. Concerns about marine reserves include potential negative impacts to the fishing industry and costs for management and enforcement. The following questions ask your opinions of marine reserves.

6. Indicate on each of the following scales how you feel about the idea of establishing marine reserves in Oregon. (**circle one number for EACH**)
 

Dislike	1	2	3	4	5	Like
Bad	1	2	3	4	5	Good
Negative	1	2	3	4	5	Positive
Harmful	1	2	3	4	5	Beneficial

7. To what extent do each of the following represent how you feel about the idea of establishing marine reserves in Oregon?  
(circle one number for ***EACH***)

	Not at All		Slightly		Moderately		Extremely	
Interested	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Joyful	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Fearful	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Angry	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Surprised	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Disgusted	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Sad	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Excited	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Relaxed	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Calm	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Energetic	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

8. If you were to be given an opportunity to vote for or against establishing marine reserves in Oregon, how would you vote?  
(check ***ONE***)

- I would vote **for** establishing marine reserves in Oregon  
 I would vote **against** establishing marine reserves in Oregon

9. How certain are you that you would vote this way? (check ***ONE***)

- Not Certain       Slightly Certain       Moderately Certain       Extremely Certain

10. To what extent do you disagree or agree that marine reserves in Oregon would cause each of the following outcomes?  
(circle one number for ***EACH***)

<b><i>On the Oregon coast</i></b> , marine reserves would ...	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree
... benefit marine areas in general.	1	2	3	4	5
... not be effective in conserving marine areas.	1	2	3	4	5
... protect the diversity of marine species.	1	2	3	4	5
... increase marine species populations.	1	2	3	4	5
... allow depleted marine species populations to recover.	1	2	3	4	5
... cause some species to become overpopulated.	1	2	3	4	5
... improve the economy.	1	2	3	4	5
... increase tourism.	1	2	3	4	5
... benefit people in local communities.	1	2	3	4	5
... prevent people from using the reserve areas.	1	2	3	4	5
... reduce recreational fishing.	1	2	3	4	5
... reduce commercial fishing.	1	2	3	4	5
... improve scientific understanding of marine areas.	1	2	3	4	5
... allow scientists to monitor marine areas over time.	1	2	3	4	5
... improve our understanding of marine areas.	1	2	3	4	5
... be difficult to enforce.	1	2	3	4	5
... cost a lot to manage.	1	2	3	4	5
... improve the ability to manage marine areas.	1	2	3	4	5

11. To what extent do you believe each of the following possible outcomes of marine reserves in Oregon would be bad or good?  
(circle one number for ***EACH***)

	Very Bad	Bad	Neither	Good	Very Good
Benefitting marine areas in general would be...	1	2	3	4	5
Not being effective in conserving marine areas would be...	1	2	3	4	5
Protecting the diversity of marine species would be...	1	2	3	4	5
Increasing marine species populations would be...	1	2	3	4	5
Allowing depleted marine species populations to recover would be...	1	2	3	4	5
Causing some species to become overpopulated would be...	1	2	3	4	5
Improving the economy would be...	1	2	3	4	5
Increasing tourism would be...	1	2	3	4	5
Benefitting people in local communities would be...	1	2	3	4	5
Preventing people from using the reserve areas would be...	1	2	3	4	5
Reducing recreational fishing would be...	1	2	3	4	5
Reducing commercial fishing would be...	1	2	3	4	5
Improving scientific understanding of marine areas would be...	1	2	3	4	5
Allowing scientists to monitor marine areas over time would be...	1	2	3	4	5
Improving our understanding of marine areas would be...	1	2	3	4	5
Difficult enforcement would be...	1	2	3	4	5
Costly management would be...	1	2	3	4	5
Improving the ability to manage marine areas would be...	1	2	3	4	5

12. Before receiving this survey, were you familiar with the topic of marine reserves in Oregon? (check ***ONE***)  No  Yes

13. How well informed do you feel about the topic of marine reserves in Oregon? (check ***ONE***)

- Not Informed       Slightly Informed       Moderately Informed       Extremely Informed

14. How knowledgeable do you feel about the topic of marine reserves in Oregon? (check ***ONE***)

- Not Knowledgeable       Slightly Knowledgeable       Moderately Knowledgeable       Extremely Knowledgeable

15. Do you believe that each of the following statements related to marine reserves in Oregon is true or false?

Circle "U" for "unsure" if you are not sure if the statement is true or false. (circle one letter for ***EACH***)

<b><i>In Oregon ...</i></b>	True	False	Unsure
... the government has been considering marine reserves for the past several years.	T	F	U
... the government has approved marine reserves for this state.	T	F	U
... commercial fishing would be allowed in all marine reserves.	T	F	U
... all marine reserves would include coastal lands such as beaches and coastlines.	T	F	U
... the government has established five marine reserve sites.	T	F	U
... new developments such as wave energy or fish farms would be allowed in all marine reserves.	T	F	U
... non-extractive recreation / tourism activities (e.g., surfing, swimming, diving) would be allowed in all marine reserves.	T	F	U
... keeping fish caught in marine reserves would be allowed in all reserves.	T	F	U
... only scientists and no other people would be allowed in all marine reserves.	T	F	U
... there have been opportunities for public involvement in agency discussions about marine reserves.	T	F	U

16. How often have you done each of the following related to marine reserves in Oregon? (circle one number for ***EACH***)

	Never	Sometimes	Often
<i>A.</i> Read newspaper articles about marine reserves in Oregon.	0	1 2 3 4	
<i>B.</i> Listened to radio news / programs about marine reserves in Oregon.	0	1 2 3 4	
<i>C.</i> Watched television news / programs about marine reserves in Oregon.	0	1 2 3 4	
<i>D.</i> Read magazine articles or books about marine reserves in Oregon.	0	1 2 3 4	
<i>E.</i> Read about marine reserves in Oregon on government agency websites.	0	1 2 3 4	
<i>F.</i> Read about marine reserves in Oregon on social websites (e.g., Facebook, Twitter).	0	1 2 3 4	
<i>G.</i> Read about marine reserves in Oregon on any other websites.	0	1 2 3 4	
<i>H.</i> Read about marine reserves in Oregon fishing regulations brochures.	0	1 2 3 4	
<i>I.</i> Discussed marine reserves in Oregon with government agency employees.	0	1 2 3 4	
<i>J.</i> Learned about marine reserves in Oregon from environmental or community groups.	0	1 2 3 4	
<i>K.</i> Learned about marine reserves in Oregon from work or school.	0	1 2 3 4	
<i>L.</i> Discussed marine reserves in Oregon with friends or family members.	0	1 2 3 4	
<i>M.</i> Attended meetings or presentations about marine reserves in Oregon.	0	1 2 3 4	

17. From the list in Question 16 (above), please choose the ***ONE*** source from which you would ***prefer*** to obtain information about marine reserves in Oregon. (write the letter)

***Letter*** for source \_\_\_\_\_

18. What ***ONE*** agency or organization do you think is currently responsible for marine reserves in Oregon? (check ***ONE***)

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration | <input type="checkbox"/> Oregon Parks and Recreation Department |
| <input type="checkbox"/> US Fish and Wildlife Service                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife |
| <input type="checkbox"/> US Coast Guard                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Oregon Marine Board                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pacific Fishery Management Council              | <input type="checkbox"/> Unsure                                 |

19. How much do you feel that you understand about each of the following? (circle one number for ***EACH***)

	Do Not Understand	Slightly Understand	Moderately Understand	Fully Understand
Purpose of marine reserves in Oregon.	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8			
How marine reserves would be managed in Oregon.	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8			
Rules / regulations of marine reserves in Oregon.	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8			
Where marine reserves are located in Oregon.	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8			
Role of science in marine reserves in Oregon.	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8			
Role of public involvement in marine reserves in Oregon.	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8			

20. To what extent do you disagree or agree with each of the following statements? (circle one number for ***EACH***)

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree
Commercial fishing should be allowed in marine reserves in Oregon.	1	2	3	4	5
Recreational fishing should be allowed in marine reserves in Oregon.	1	2	3	4	5
Non-extractive recreation / tourism activities (e.g., surfing, swimming, diving) should be allowed in marine reserves in Oregon.	1	2	3	4	5
Scientific research should be allowed in marine reserves in Oregon.	1	2	3	4	5

21. To what extent do you believe that each of the following groups ***could be*** impacted by marine reserves in Oregon?

(circle one number for ***EACH***)

	Strongly Harmed by Reserves	Slightly Harmed by Reserves	Not Impacted by Reserves	Slightly Benefit from Reserves	Strongly Benefit from Reserves
People who recreate in marine areas.	1	2	3	4	5
People who fish recreationally.	1	2	3	4	5
People who fish commercially.	1	2	3	4	5
Local businesses.	1	2	3	4	5
People who live along the Oregon coast.	1	2	3	4	5
People who <i>do not</i> live along the Oregon coast.	1	2	3	4	5
Government agencies.	1	2	3	4	5
Scientists / researchers.	1	2	3	4	5

22. Now, to what extent do you believe that each of the following groups ***have already been*** impacted by marine reserves in Oregon?

(circle one number for ***EACH***)

	Strongly Harmed by Reserves	Slightly Harmed by Reserves	Not Impacted by Reserves	Slightly Benefitted from Reserves	Strongly Benefitted from Reserves
People who recreate in marine areas.	1	2	3	4	5
People who fish recreationally.	1	2	3	4	5
People who fish commercially.	1	2	3	4	5
Local businesses.	1	2	3	4	5
People who live along the Oregon coast.	1	2	3	4	5
People who <i>do not</i> live along the Oregon coast.	1	2	3	4	5
Government agencies.	1	2	3	4	5
Scientists / researchers.	1	2	3	4	5

23. To what extent do you disagree or agree with each of the following statements? (circle one number for ***EACH***)

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree
I intend to support having marine reserves in Oregon.	1	2	3	4	5
Managers have done a good job communicating with the public about marine reserves in Oregon.	1	2	3	4	5
I am against establishing marine reserves in Oregon.	1	2	3	4	5
It is easy to access / find information about marine reserves in Oregon.	1	2	3	4	5
I would likely be in favor of implementing marine reserves in Oregon.	1	2	3	4	5

24. How important is it to you that each of the following be provided by Oregon's marine reserves? (**circle one number for EACH**)

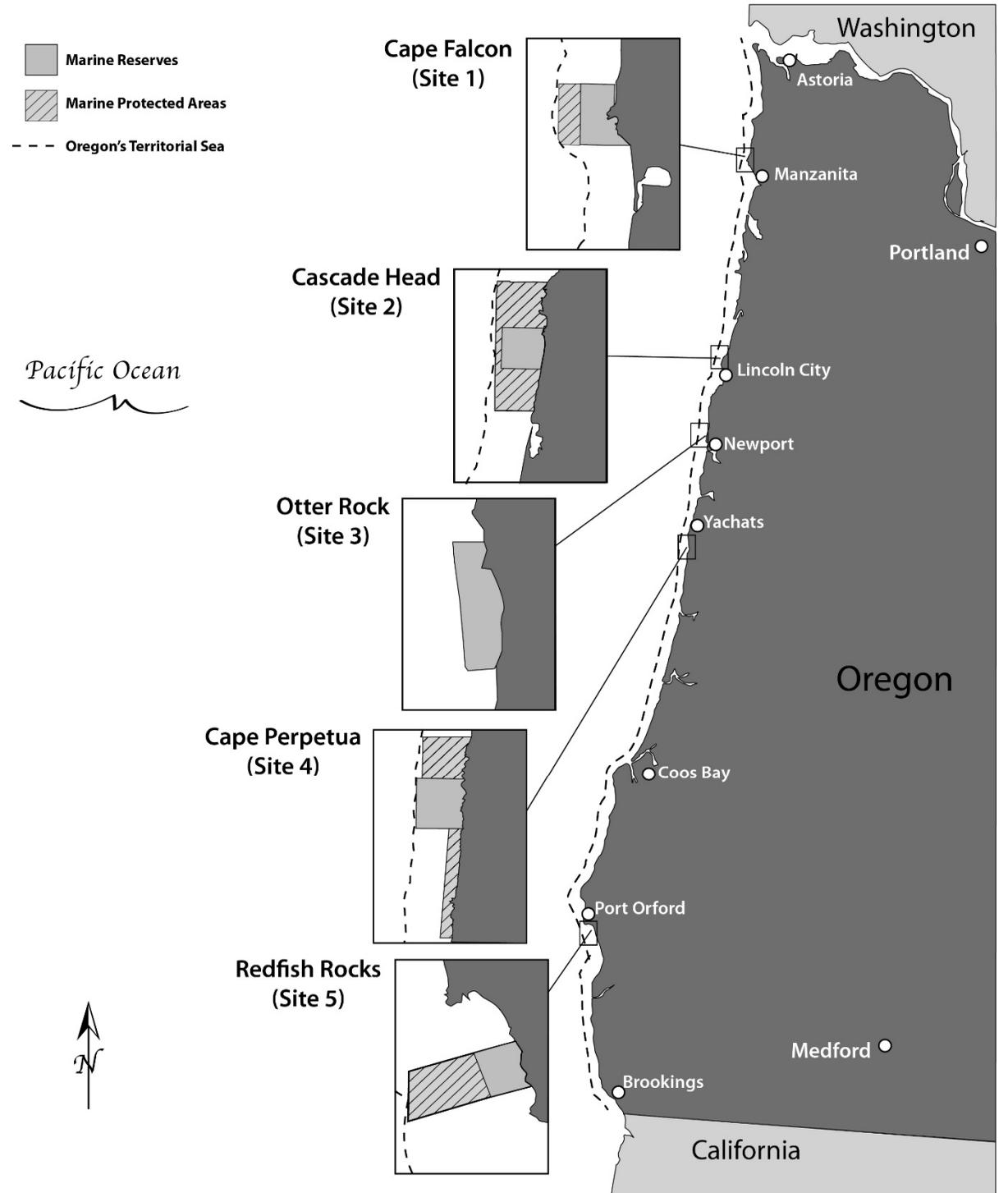
	Not Important	Slightly Important	Moderately Important	Extremely Important	I do not know					
A. Provide recreation opportunities.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
B. Provide spiritual inspiration.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
C. Provide opportunities to maintain or regain physical or mental health through contact with nature.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
D. Provide a place of minimal human impact or intrusion into the natural environment.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
E. Just knowing that marine reserves exist.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
F. Protect species to be used by the fishing industry in the future.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
G. Protect other natural resources that humans may have to use in the future.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
H. Knowing that I will have the ability to visit marine reserves in the future.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
I. Provide income for the tourism industry.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
J. Foster a moral or ethical obligation to respect or protect nature or other living things.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
K. Knowing that future generations will have marine reserves.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
L. Protect air quality.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
M. Protect nature to ensure human well-being or survival.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
N. Protect symbols of America's heritage or culture.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
O. Protect water quality.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
P. Protect endangered species.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
Q. Preserve natural areas for scientific discovery or study.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
R. Protect places that provide a sense of place, community, or belonging.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
S. Protect endangered places.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
T. Preserve unique wild plants or animals.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
U. Protect marine species, water, or plants that have value even if humans do not benefit from them.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
V. Protect habitat for marine species.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>
W. Provide scenic beauty.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<input type="checkbox"/>

25. From the list in Question 24 (above), please choose up to **three** that you think are most important for Oregon's marine reserves to provide. (**write up to three letters from the question above**)

Letter(s) \_\_\_\_\_

26. What is your opinion regarding the protection or human utilization (use) of marine areas in Oregon? (**check ONE**)

- We should fully utilize marine areas with almost no protection
- We should mostly utilize marine areas with just a little protection
- We should mostly protect marine areas with just a little utilization
- We should fully protect marine areas with almost no utilization



On the previous page is a map of five marine sites in Oregon. **These sites are shown as boxes that are lightly shaded or with lines, and are primarily offshore consisting of ocean / sea, but NOT LAND.** Answer the next few questions based on these sites.

27. Have you ever visited one or more of the five marine sites identified on the map on the previous page (areas **offshore that are lightly shaded or with lines, as shown on the map**)? (check **ONE**)  
 No → if no, please skip to question 29 below  
 Yes → if yes, how many trips have you made to the site(s) **in the past 12 months?** (write number) \_\_\_\_\_ trip(s)

28. Which of the five marine sites identified on the map on the previous page have you ever visited (areas **offshore that are lightly shaded or with lines, as shown on the map**)? (check **ALL THAT APPLY**)  
 Site 1       Site 2       Site 3       Site 4       Site 5

29. If one or more of the five marine sites identified on the map on the previous page (areas **offshore that are lightly shaded or with lines, as shown on the map**) was designated as a marine reserve, what would you want to do? (circle one number)

1	2	3	4	5
I would want to visit the marine site(s) <b>less often</b>		I would want to visit the marine site(s) the <b>same amount</b>		I would want to visit the marine site(s) <b>more often</b>

30. The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife is currently responsible for marine reserves in Oregon. To what extent do you disagree or agree with each of the following statements about this agency? (circle a number for **EACH**)

<b><i>I trust the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife to ...</i></b>	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree
... provide the best available information about marine reserves.	1	2	3	4	5
... provide timely information about marine reserves.	1	2	3	4	5
... provide truthful information about marine reserves.	1	2	3	4	5
... provide me with enough information to decide what actions I should take regarding marine reserves.	1	2	3	4	5
... manage marine reserves using the best available information about non-human species in these areas (e.g., fish, birds).	1	2	3	4	5
... manage marine reserves using the best available information about human uses of these areas.	1	2	3	4	5
... work with other organizations to inform management of marine reserves.	1	2	3	4	5
... use public input to inform management of marine reserves.	1	2	3	4	5
... make good decisions regarding management of marine reserves.	1	2	3	4	5

31. To what extent do you disagree or agree with each of the following statements about the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife? (circle one number for **EACH**)

<b><i>I believe the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife ...</i></b>	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree
... is a highly credible agency.	1	2	3	4	5
... has legitimate experts with high knowledge.	1	2	3	4	5
... is dishonest.	1	2	3	4	5
... is highly capable.	1	2	3	4	5
... shares similar values as I do.	1	2	3	4	5
... does <i>not</i> think the same way as I do.	1	2	3	4	5
... operates in a transparent way.	1	2	3	4	5
... does <i>not</i> operate fairly.	1	2	3	4	5
... is trustworthy.	1	2	3	4	5
... does a good job communicating with the public.	1	2	3	4	5

32. How ecologically healthy do you believe each of the following is in Oregon? (circle one number for **EACH**)

	Not Healthy	Slightly Healthy	Moderately Healthy	Very Healthy					
Rivers and streams in Oregon.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Bays and estuaries in Oregon.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Marine areas (ocean) in Oregon.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Marine fish in Oregon.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Other marine animals in Oregon.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Wildlife in Oregon.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Forests in Oregon.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

33. To what extent do you disagree or agree with each of the following statements? (circle one number for **EACH**)

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree
The needs of humans are more important than those of marine areas.	1	2	3	4	5
The primary value of marine areas is to provide benefits for humans.	1	2	3	4	5
Marine areas exist primarily to be used by humans.	1	2	3	4	5
The economic values that marine areas provide for humans are more important than the rights of species in these marine areas.	1	2	3	4	5
Marine areas should be protected for their own sake rather than to simply meet the needs of humans.	1	2	3	4	5
Marine areas have value whether humans are present or not.	1	2	3	4	5
Marine areas should have rights similar to the rights of humans.	1	2	3	4	5
I object to fishing, harvesting, or collecting species from marine areas because it violates the rights of these species.	1	2	3	4	5

34. To what extent do you disagree or agree with each of the following statements? (circle one number for **EACH**)

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree
Humans have the right to modify the natural environment to suit their needs.	1	2	3	4	5
Humans were meant to rule over the rest of nature.	1	2	3	4	5
The so-called ecological crisis facing humankind has been greatly exaggerated.	1	2	3	4	5
The earth has plenty of natural resources if we just learn how to develop them.	1	2	3	4	5
The balance of nature is very delicate and easily upset.	1	2	3	4	5
When humans interfere with nature, it often produces disastrous consequences.	1	2	3	4	5
Plants and animals have as much right as humans to exist.	1	2	3	4	5
Humans are severely abusing the environment.	1	2	3	4	5

35. To what extent do you disagree or agree with each of the following statements? (circle one number for **EACH**)

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree
Colleges or universities that permit speakers with intolerant views should be publicly condemned.	1	2	3	4	5
Fox News, right-wing talk radio, or other conservative media outlets should be prohibited from broadcasting their hateful views.	1	2	3	4	5
Getting rid of inequality is more important than protecting the so-called "right" to free speech.	1	2	3	4	5
I cannot imagine myself becoming friends with a political conservative.	1	2	3	4	5
I hate being around non-progressive people.	1	2	3	4	5
Opposition to affirmative action is, by definition, racist.	1	2	3	4	5

36. To what extent do you disagree or agree with each of the following statements? **(circle one number for EACH)**

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree
It is great that many young people today are prepared to defy authority.	1	2	3	4	5
What our country needs most is discipline, with everyone following our leaders in unity.	1	2	3	4	5
God's laws about abortion, pornography, or marriage must be strictly followed before it is too late.	1	2	3	4	5
There is nothing wrong with premarital sexual intercourse.	1	2	3	4	5
Our society needs tougher government with stricter laws.	1	2	3	4	5
The facts on crime and the recent public disorders show we have to crack down harder on troublemakers if we are going preserve law and order.	1	2	3	4	5

37. What is your gender (e.g., male, female, transgender, non-binary)? **(write response)** \_\_\_\_\_

38. What is your age? **(write age)** \_\_\_\_\_ years old

39. At any time in the last 5 years, have you purchased a recreational fishing license? **(check ONE)**

- No → if no, skip to question 40 below  
 Yes → if yes, about how many times have you gone fishing for recreation in the past 5 years? \_\_\_\_\_ time(s)

40. Approximately how many years have you lived ***in Oregon***? **(write the number)** \_\_\_\_\_ year(s)

41. Approximately how many years have you lived ***at this current address***? **(write the number)** \_\_\_\_\_ year(s)

42. How would you describe the community where you live? **(check ONE)**

- Large city (250,000 or more people)     Small city (25,000 to 99,999 people)     Small town (less than 5,000 people)  
 City (100,000 to 249,999 people)     Town (5,000 to 24,999 people)     Farm or rural area with few people

43. Do you own a second home on the Oregon coast? **(check ONE)**

- No  
 Yes → if yes, what is the main purpose of this second home? **(check ONE)**  
 Retirement     Property investment     Recreation     Other **(write response)** \_\_\_\_\_

44. Are you or anyone else in your household employed in the commercial fishing industry? **(check ONE)**     No     Yes

45. In general, do you consider your political orientation to be: **(check ONE)**

- Very Conservative     Somewhat Conservative     Moderate     Somewhat Liberal     Very Liberal

46. What is the ***highest*** level of education that you have achieved? **(check ONE)**

- Less than high school diploma     4-year college degree (e.g., bachelors degree)  
 High school diploma or GED     Advanced degree beyond 4-year degree  
 2-year associates degree or trade school    (e.g., masters, Ph.D., medical doctor, law degree)

47. Where do you live? **(write responses)** City / town \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code \_\_\_\_\_

**THANK YOU! PLEASE RETURN THIS SURVEY AS SOON AS POSSIBLE IN THE ENVELOPE PROVIDED**