



NOTICE OF COMMISSION VACANCY

7 May 2018 -- The Port of Newport is accepting written Letters of Interest from registered voters living within the Port District boundaries to fill a vacancy in Position No. 5 on the Port Commission.

Commissioner Patricia Patrick-Joling, recently the President of the Board, resigned her position as a Commissioner effective 1 May 2018. Her commission expires 30 June 2019. On 7 May 2018 the Board of Port Commissioners met and declared this position officially vacant.

Interested persons should hand deliver a signed Letter of Interest and a completed Candidate Questionnaire no later than 5:00 p.m. Tuesday, 22 May 2018, to the Port office at 600 SE Bay Blvd., Newport, OR, 97365. Written confirmations of receipt will be provided by the Port. To be eligible, applicants must be registered voters residing within the Port District boundaries; a citizen of the United States and the State of Oregon; and have resided within the Port District for at least one year immediately preceding appointment. The minimum information required in the Letter of Interest, and the blank Candidate Questionnaire, are both available on the Port's website at the following URL: www.portofnewport.com.

The Commission plans to interview Candidates at a Special Meeting beginning at noon on 4 June 2018. If the Commissioners cannot agree on a Candidate at that time, Port staff will continue to solicit additional Letters of Interest until one week before the regular scheduled Commission meeting in June 2018. If the Commissioners cannot agree on a Candidate at that time, the vacancy shall be filled promptly by the Lincoln County Commissioners.