



# Clatsop County

## Board of Commissioners

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Governor Christine Kotek  
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Governor Kotek,

The State of Oregon has their Obligatory Seat to the Pacific Fisheries Management Council up for appointment this year. Christa Svensson has been serving as the appointee to that Seat for two consecutive terms and is eligible to serve a third. The Clatsop County Board of Commissioners is endorsing her reappointment to the PFMC, and is seeking your support.

Ms. Svensson has been involved in commercial fishing in our county since her family moved here in 1987, and has actively worked in seafood processing here since 2006. She is also a member of the Rainland Flycasters a local fly fishing club. Ms. Svensson has worked hard to represent the needs of Clatsop County residents along with other Oregonians in the PFMC process and is an excellent representative of Oregon. She currently serves on the Council as a representative to the US/Canada Albacore Treaty which includes Astoria, Oregon as one of six treaty ports, and as a representative to the Western and Central Pacific Fisheries Commission that impacts our local Albacore fleet. Additionally, she is on the Legislative and Equity and Environmental Justice committees and works to bring the needs of diverse stakeholders in our community together.

We, the Clatsop County Board of Commissioners are proud to support her nomination and reappointment to the Oregon Obligatory seat of the PFMC. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Mark Kujala, Chair

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Enclosure

cc: Geoff Huntington  
Clare Lanusse