

# OREGON ADOPT-A-RIVER 2009



A Partnership between SOLV and the Oregon State Marine Board

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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

SOLV's 2009 Oregon Adopt-A-River program supported individuals, groups and organizations in adopting over 575 miles of waterway. Adopters commit to cleaning and preserving their favorite stretch of waterway (river, lake or stream) anywhere in the state of Oregon, while focusing on watershed health and a good stewardship ethic.

- 145 Oregon Adopt-A-River commitments supported in 27 Oregon Counties.
- 1,115 volunteers participated in 53 community events
- 42,840 Pounds of trash and debris removed
- 1,970 Pounds of non-native plants removed

## HISTORY

Oregon Adopt-A-River began as a result of House Bill 2487, which was passed in 1993 by the Oregon State Legislature. The goal of this legislation was to restore, enhance, and protect waterways, riparian areas and watersheds throughout Oregon. Since then, the Oregon State Marine Board has partnered with SOLV to implement this program. Oregon Adopt-A-River volunteers have adopted hundreds of miles of waterway, and have removed tons of litter and debris from rivers, streams and lakes around the state.

## SPECIAL THANKS

Oregon State Marine Board and SOLV Members.



## Oregon Adopt-A-River Commitments

The success of each commitment depends on well-organized event coordinators. These are the leaders who are committed to their site, plan projects, order materials, help recruit volunteers, act as team leaders, oversee the work and ensure the safety of volunteers.

### Coordinator

Resa Allen  
 Association for Nude Recreation  
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 Marah Anderson  
 Mark Anderson  
 Kathrine Bailey  
 Vanda Baughman  
 Gail Beeson  
 Gary Benson  
 Clay Blake  
 Sharon Blodgett  
 Jordia A Blumenstein  
 Jenni Bradley  
 Andrew Byden  
 Timothy Calderwood  
 Timothy Calderwood  
 Eli Camero  
 Jane Camero  
 Tracey Carlson  
 Paul Caruso  
 John Casey  
 Eric Clough  
 Bill Coshow  
 Alison Cozby  
 Debbie Dean  
 Barry DeBruyne  
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 Wanda Dodge  
 Glenn Dolphin

### Commitment

Broughton Beach  
 Columbia River - Collins Beach, Sauvie Island  
 Columbia River - Rooster Rock State Park  
 Willamette River - Sellwood  
 Wilson River - County Park to Mills Bridge  
 Deschutes River - Mirror Pond to Robert Sawyer State Park  
 Aumsville Ponds  
 Deschutes River - Eclipse Drive to Sunriver Marina  
 Sandy River - Camp Collins to Dabney State Park  
 Laurance Lake  
 North Umpqua River - Gravel Bin Takeout to Bogus Creek Takeout  
 Johnson Creek - Harney Street and 44th  
 Johnson Creek - SW Walters and E Powell to Tunnel under Hogan  
 Hood River- Tucker Bridge  
 Columbia River - Tri Club Island  
 Columbia River - Broughton Beach to Alder 2  
 The Spit/Hood River Footbridge  
 Columbia River - Outer Hook and Wells Island  
 Mill Creek - 10th Street to Columbia River  
 Willamette River - Island Park to Ferry St. Bridge  
 Luckiamute River - Falls to High School  
 Pony Creek - Pony Slough to Merritt Lake Dam  
 Willamette River - Champoeg SHA to eastern boundary of Parrett Mountain Acc  
 Columbia River- Sauvie Island Mile 7 Beach  
 Columbia River - E side of Government Island  
 Deschutes River, Clackamas River - Maupin Bridge (Highway 197) to Major rap  
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 Deschutes River - Bill Healy Memorial Bridge at Farewell Bend Park to five miles upriver  
 Willamette River - Western power lines to West Salem Bridge

Michael	Drais	Sandy River - Dabney State Park to Stark Street Bridge
Andrew	Englehorn	Deer Creek - Bridge Highway 199 - Siskiyou Field Insitute-1241 Illinois River Rd.
Gary	Fields	Post Creek- Above Post Canyon Culvert to Confluene with Phelps Creek
Gary	Fields	Phelps Creek- Post Canyon Bridge
David	Fisher	Willamette River - S. End Ross Island to Swan Island
Alex	Fitch	Deschutes River - Cline Falls State Park to 2 miles South
Steve	Fleming	John Day River - Service Creek to Twickenham
Daniel	Fox	North Santiam River - Green's Bridge to 99E
John	Freeburg	Siletz River - Deadline Hole to Palmer Creek
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Kevin	Funkhouser	Tualatin River - Eagle Landing to Scholls Ferry Bridge
Kris	Gann	Columbia River - Hood River Event Site
Doug	Garletts	Coast Fork Willamette River - Row River at Row River Road to Lynx Hollow Park
Dan	Geiger	Rogue River - Rainie Falls to Marial
Thomas	Gemelli	Sandy River - Dabney State Park to Lewis and Clark State Park
Conrad	Gowell	Drift Creek - Sampson Creek to mouth
Deborah	Grant	Tanner Creek
Joseph	Gregoire	Columbia River - Cello Park
Ron	Grossmann	Upper Salmon River - Water gauging station below Red Top Meadows to North e
Greg	Harlow	Siletz River - Moonshine Park to Morgan Park
Dale	Hayworth	Columbia River- Entrance of Mosier to 1 mile East
Kristina	Herb	West Fork Dairy Creek - Confluence of Cummings Creek to Highway 26
Dave	Hill	Willamette River - Willamette Park to Waverly Country Club
Carl	Jansen	Deschutes River - The Dead Slough to 1.5 miles south of mouth
Linda	Jennings	Columbia River- Rainier Boat Launch
Dianna	Jensen	Snake River - Brownlee/Oxbow bridge to Brownlee-Oxbow Rd.
Rebecca	Johnson	Willamette Slough - Mission St. to Minto Brown Island Park
Sandi	Johnson	Sandy River - Dodge Park to One mile south of Dodge Park
Stephen	Jones	Little Nestucca - Nestucca Bay to Austin Creek
Phil	Kahler	Downy Creek
Zoe	Kao	Columbia River- Nicholas Boatworks to North End of Hood River Spit
Larry	Katen	Rogue River - Lathrop Landing to Hog Creek Landing
Angela	Kerns	Row River - Wildwood Falls to Child's Way Charter School
Betty	Klepper	Umatilla River - Highway 11 bridge to Highway 30 bridge
Lisa	Kosglow	Cedar Creek
Mary	Krenowicz	Metolius River - Headwaters to Boundary of Riverside Camp
Roger	Langlie	Davis Ceek - Bob Belloni Ranch
Kimberly	Leslie	Columbia River - Rock Creek to Mosier Creek
Brad	Levering	Mill Creek - Cascade Gateway Park
Longview Hills Fishing Club		Big Creek Reservoir

Dave	Loos	McKenzie River - Olallie Campground to Paradise Campground
Debora	Lorang	Columbia River - The Port of Cascades Marine Park to Government Cove
Molly	Low	Snake River - Oxbow to boat launch 2 miles south of town
Christy	Lynn	Willamette River - Steel Bridge to Boradway Bridge
Bruce	Mayben	Rogue River - Cole Rivers Hatchery to Takalema Park
Jo and Jim	Mckee	Columbia River - Viento State Park
Damon	Mcnut	Sandy River - Lewis and Clark State Park Boat Ramp
Metolius River	Forest HOA	Metolius River - Riverside Campground to Lower end of Gorge Campground Head
Rob	Meyers	Indian Creek - Hood River Valley HS to golf course
Cara	Mico	Foley Creek - Coho Way to South Point Dr.
Kal	Middaugh	Deschutes River - Cline falls state park area and .5 miles north of the bridge
Chap	Milbank	North Santiam River - Mill City eastern city limits to Lower North Santiam
Wes	Miller	Willamette River - Irish Bend Park to Buckskin Mary Landing
Lauren	Mitchell	Tualatin River - Browns Ferry Park
Jim	Mooers	Deschutes River - 3 miles below bridge at Tumalo State Park to five miles up
Chase	Moore	Columbia River - North Portland Harbor from NE 13th Ave to North Pacific Gateway Blvd.
Greg	Morris	Columbia River - Rock Creek to Mosier Creek
Wendy	Morseth	Willamette River - Toe Island to W shore of Ross Island
Jurissah	Naive	Wilson River - Two miles NE of Elk Campground to two miles SW of Jordan Creek
Northwest Forest	Conservancy	Clackamas River - Confluence of the Collowash River to Austin Hot Springs
NW Steelheaders-	Sandy River Chapter	Sandy River - Dabney State Park to Lewis and Clark State Park
Dennis	Oliphant	Deschutes River - Dillon Falls to Lava Island Falls
Dawn	Olson	Silver Creek - Silverton Reservoir to Wastewater treatment plant
Lynda	Oneill	Deschutes River - Wickiup Reservoir to Pringle Falls
Jill	Otermat	Willow Creek - Winthrop Park to West Moreland Entrance of Willow Creek Nature Park
Jason	Pardus	Beacon Hill Wetlands Park
Kay	Patteson	Molalla River - Table Rock Creek Fork to Glen Avon Bridge
Karl	Pfalzgraff	Willamette Tributary - Madison and 14th to Monore and 15th
Matt	Przyborski	Columbia River - .5 miles E & W of the BSNF bridge on Hayden Island
Doug	Rasmussen	Rock Creek - Rock Creek Lake to Camp Lee
Dan	Richardson	Mill Creek - outlet upstream to boundary of municipal watershed
Christopher	Rodriguez	North Fork Klaskanine River - Olney Lane Bridge to Fish Hatchery
Sonja	Rosas	Johnson Creek - Tideman Johnson Natural Area
David	Rosenblatt	Willamette River - Glassbar Island
Cory	Samia	Columbia River - Water Resource Education Center shoreline
Orlene	Sandfer	Columbia River - Sauvie Island - NW Sauvie Island Rd.
Greg	Schifsky	Hamilton Park
Mike	Seets	Vincent Creek - Headwaters to Confluence with Smith River
Kim	Shade	Scappoose Bay - Marina to one mile north
Keith	Shannon	Lewis and Clark River - Jeffers Slough to Youngs Bay

Melody	Shapiro	Columbia River - Mayer State Park
Art	Sharkey	Deschutes River - Slough Camp to Dillon Falls
Art	Sharkey	Fall River - Falls to Mouth
Greg	Short	Columbia River - The inner hook
Randy	Shults	Tualatin River - Bank near 108th Avenue to Southern Pacific Railroad bridge
	Sierra Club	Wilson River - Kansas Creek to Lee's Camp Store
Sophie	Sisko	Indian Creek - Hood River Valley HS to golf course
Larry	Six	McKenzie River - Hayden Bridge Boat Landing to Harvest Lane Boat Landing
Tami	Skiles	Columbia River - Willow Bar Island
Chris	Sloan	Columbia River - Railroad Bridge to NE Brighton Rd.
John	Spangler	Big Creek Reservoir
Robert	Speik	Crooked River - Smith Rock State Park
Steve	Squire	Fanno Creek - SW Hall Blvd to SW Ash Ave
Dennis	Stage	Salmon River - Hwy 101 to Hwy 18 bridge at Rose Lodge
John	Stentz	Deschutes River - Pringle Falls Camp Ground to LaPine State Recreation Area
Shane	Stewart	Wilson River - Glenwood to Tillamook
Marika	Stock	Dixon Creek - Porter Park
Tim	Stock	Dixon Creek - Porter Park
Rob	Thompson	Yaquina River - Mouth to Idaho Point
Anne	Trainor	Columbia River - 42nd ave boat ramp
Two Rivers Farm School		Pudding River - Two River's Farm "New Land"
Upper Deschutes River NRC		Deschutes River - La Pine State Recreation Area to Harper Bridge
Gene	Walton	Dunawi Creek - Highway 20 to Bicycle path
Mitch	Webb	Molalla River - Canby Boat Ramp to Mouth
Justin	Wellman	Klamath River - Spring Island to Stateline
Justin	Wellman	Owyhee River - Rome to Birch Creek
Westwind Stewardship Group		Salmon River - Highway 101 Bridge to Mouth
Mary Lou	White	North Santiam River - Western city limits of Gates to eastern city limits o
Monica	Wilcox	Sandy River - Lewis and Clark State Park to Stark St. Bridge
Rich	Wilkinson	Rogue River - Gold Rey Dam to Gold Hill
Charrie	Wilson	Willamette River - Hyak County Park
Marshall	Worley	Willamette River - Steel Bridge to Ross Island Bridge
Alishia	Wurgler	Columbia River - Chinook Landing
Nathan	Zorich	Columbia River-Koberg Beach

## PUBLICITY

### Brochures & Posters

Oregon Adopt-A-River brochures and posters were distributed throughout Oregon.

### SOLV Website:

The Oregon Adopt-A-River web page provided opportunities for viewing program information and sponsor logos, as well as an opportunity to apply for project assistance and register to volunteer online.

### Thank You Postcards:

An e-card was sent to thank event coordinators

### Additional Coverage:

Advertised in the SOLV E-Update, circulated to all SOLV Members, distribution of 10,000.



# Oregon Adopt-A-River

## Program Description

Oregon Adopt-A-River is a broad-based stewardship effort created by the 1993 Oregon State Legislature, administered by SOLV in partnership with the Oregon State Marine Board.

This year-round program offers volunteers opportunities to improve Oregon's rivers, streams, lakes, and wetlands in both rural and urban environments. Individuals, groups or organizations adopt a section of waterway and commit to keeping it free of litter and debris through ongoing maintenance. As a result, Oregon's natural areas and public lands near them are enhanced, while mobilizing volunteers to restore threatened watersheds.



### Our Mission:

SOLV builds community through volunteer action to preserve this treasure called Oregon.

As Oregon's largest non-profit volunteer organization, SOLV provides over 50,000 volunteer opportunities annually. SOLV volunteers and projects benefit more than 250 communities throughout Oregon each year. Your tax-deductible contribution can support SOLV's programs.

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