

Crook County, Oregon, Organizational Chart

A NOTE ABOUT COUNTY GOVERNMENT IN OREGON

Counties in Oregon are political subdivisions of the state. Much of the work of the county involves implementing state statutes and providing state-mandated services. Counties provide services throughout the county, but exercise legislative authority only outside city limits. Presiding over the county is the governing body, known as the County Court in nine counties and Board of Commissioners in 27 others. The organizational structure and functions of Oregon counties varies widely.

CROOK COUNTY COURT (COUNTY JUDGE AND COMMISSIONERS)

The County Court, consists of a full-time elected judge and two part-time commissioners. The judge chairs the court and is chief administrative officer of the county. Despite the titles, neither Court nor judge have any judicial functions. The Court sets and controls the budgets of individual departments duties and has authority to make policy governing administration of county services and legislative authority which applies only outside the city limits of Prineville.

Administration staff
 County Counsel
 Human Resources
 Administrative Support



OTHER ELECTED OFFICIALS

(Elected officials are constitutional and statutory officers of the county elected by and accountable to the voters. While independent in matters of policy, their budgets, staffing levels, and facilities are assigned by the County Court.

Assessor	Clerk	District Attorney	Treasurer	Sheriff	Surveyor
	<i>(includes elections)</i>			<i>(includes jail)</i>	
		<i>(includes child support enforcement)</i>			

DEPARTMENTS/DIVISIONS

(Department heads are hired by and accountable to the County Court; in some cases, the Court is advised in overseeing these bodies by policy boards; in other cases, the Court has assigned its responsibility to another elected official.)

Assigned To other Elected Officials

Budget <i>(Treasurer)</i>	Finance <i>(Treasurer)</i>	Tax Collection <i>(Treasurer)</i>	Community Corrections <i>(Sheriff)</i>	Emergency Management <i>(Sheriff)</i>	Victims Advocacy <i>(District Attorney)</i>
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Directly Supervised By County Court

Building Inspection	Environmental Health	GIS	Information Technology	Juvenile	Law Library
Maintenance	Public Health	Roads	Solid Waste	Veterans Services	Weed Control

Guided By Policy Boards

Airport <i>(Airport Commission)</i>	Commission On Children & Families <i>(CCF Board)</i>	Fair & Fairgrounds <i>(Fair Board)</i>	Library <i>(Board of Trustees)</i>	Planning <i>(Planning Commission)</i>
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Contracted Services

Alcohol & Drug Addiction Services	Mental Health	Developmental Disabilities Services	911 Services <i>City of Prineville</i>
<i>(-----Lutheran Community Services Northwest -----)</i>			

SPECIAL DISTRICTS, SERVICE DISTRICTS AND NON-PROFITS DELIVERING COUNTY SERVICES

(Some services traditionally associated with counties are delivered by special districts, service districts and non-profit institutions chartered by voters in Crook County. Those with heavy black lines are governed by independently elected boards. Those with dotted lines may be governed by elected or appointed boards.)

Parks & Rec District	OSU/Crook Co Extension	Vector Control	Cemetery District	Water, Sewer & Road Districts	Historical Society & Museum
Soil & Water Conservation	Taylor Grazing Board	Watershed Council	EDCO/Prineville	Crook County Weed Control	Crook County Search and Rescue

COUNTY COURT-SANCTIONED COMMITTEES, BOARDS, COMMISSIONS AND AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

(Boards designated with an asterisk (*) have at least one seat designated for a member of the county court)

<i>Committees On Finance And Budget</i>	County Budget Committee*	Ag Extension Advisory Committee*	Bowman Museum Advisory Committee	Board of Property Tax Appeals	County Compensation Committee
	ABHA Budget Committee*				
<i>State and Regional Boards, Committees & Commissions</i>	Association of Oregon Counties*	Central Oregon Community Investment Board* (economic development)	Central Oregon Area Transportation Commission*	Accountable Behavioral Health Alliance* (mental health)	Central Oregon Intergovernmental Council Board* (econ development workforce)
	Central Oregon Regional Workforce Investment Board*	The Oregon Consortium (workforce)*	Housing Works (regional housing)	Neighbor Impact (Poverty reduction)*	
<i>Public safety Committees</i>	911 Committee*	Local Public Safety Coordinating Council*	Court Facilities Security Committee*	Dog Control Board	Building Codes Board of Appeals
<i>Human services Committees</i>	Commission On Children And Families	Local Mental Health Advisory Committee	Local Alcohol & Drug Prevention Committee	Special Transportation Advisory Committee	
<i>Transportation and Economic Development</i>	Prineville Crook County Airport Commission	Redmond Airport Advisory Committee	EDCO Board of Directors	EDCO Prineville Advisory Committee	
<i>Cultural Resources</i>	Library Board of Trustees	Fair Board	Crook County Foundation		
<i>Natural Resources Committee</i>	Planning Commission	Natural Resources Planning Committee	Solid Waste Advisory Committee	Recycling Committee	Deschutes Resources Conservancy Board
<i>Ad Hoc Committees</i>	Juniper Acres Task Force	Anadromous Fish Reintroduction Committee	Regional Committee On Homelessness*		
<i>Neighborhood Utility Districts</i>	Hahlen Road District	Prineville Lake Acres I Road District			
<i>Employee Committees</i>	Insurance/Wellness Committee	401K Investment Committee	Safety Committees (3)		