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Oregon Association of the Deaf Supports Dr. Sharla Jones' Appointment as Director of the Oregon School of the Deaf

Salem - The Oregon Association of the Deaf (OAD) board congratulates Dr. Sharla Jones in her appointment as the new Director of the Oregon School for the Deaf (OSD).

Prior to her appointment, Dr. Jones served as the Supervising Teacher and Academic Principal at OSD. Dr. Jones' appointment as the new Director is a testament to the Oregon Department of Education's and the Deputy Superintendent of Public Institution, Rob S. Saxton's, continuing commitment to providing current and future students of OSD with the highest quality of education possible.

"The OAD looks forward to collaborating with and supporting Dr. Jones in her new role," said Chad A. Ludwig, President. "Dr. Jones recognizes that the OSD has the potential to serve the entire state of Oregon as an educational resource for parents, students and community partners. Not only will staff of the OSD, but current and future students will reap the benefits of her leadership to become self-fulfilled and productive citizens of Oregon."

Founded on July 2, 1921 and with more than 150 members, OAD's mission is to promote, protect and preserve the civil rights of Deaf and Hard of Hearing individuals. Visit www.facebook.com/DeafOregon.

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