

Board of Natural Resources - Roster

Name	Term Began	Term Expires	Position
The Honorable Hilary Franz, Chair of the Board Olympia, Washington	01/2017	Ongoing	Commissioner of Public Lands
Dan Brown, Director, Vice- chair of the Board Seattle, Washington	01/2018	Ongoing	Director of the University of Washington School of Environmental and Forest Sciences
The Honorable Chris Reykdal, Superintendent Olympia, Washington	01/2017	Ongoing	Superintendent of Public Instruction
The Honorable Lisa Janicki, Commissioner Skagit County – Timber	01/2023	Indeterminate	County Representative
Wendy Powers-Schilling, Dean Pullman, Washington	08/2022	Ongoing	Dean of the Washington State University College of Agricultural, Human, and Natural Resource Sciences
Jim Cahill, Senior Budget Advisor Olympia, Washington	08/2019	Ongoing	Governor’s Designee

Per: [RCW 43.30.205: Board of natural resources—Composition. \(wa.gov\)](#)

Board of natural resources—Composition.

(1) The board shall consist of six members:

(a) The governor or the governor's designee;

(b) The superintendent of public instruction;

(c) The commissioner;

(d) The director of the University of Washington school of forest resources;

(e) The dean of the Washington State University college of agricultural, human, and natural resource sciences; and

(f) A representative of those counties that contain state forestlands acquired or transferred under RCW [79.22.010](#), [79.22.040](#), and [79.22.020](#).

(2)(a) The county representative on the board shall be selected by the legislative authorities of those counties that contain state forestlands acquired or transferred under RCW [79.22.010](#), [79.22.040](#), and [79.22.020](#). In the selection of the county representative, each participating county shall have one vote. The Washington state association of counties shall convene a meeting for the purpose of making the selection and shall notify the board of the selection.

(b) The county representative must be a duly elected member of a county legislative authority who shall serve a term of four years unless the representative should leave office for any reason. The initial term shall begin on July 1, 1986.