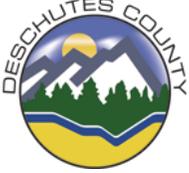


Keeping of Livestock in Rural Residential Setting: Education and Enforcement Resources

Organization	Resources	Contact Information
<p style="text-align: center;">Oregon Department of Agriculture - Agricultural Water Quality Management Program</p>  <p style="text-align: center;">Oregon Department of Agriculture</p>	<p>The Oregon Department of Agriculture developed the <i>Upper Deschutes Agricultural Water Quality Management Area Plan</i> and Rules to address water quality and water's designated beneficial uses in the Upper Deschutes Management Area that must be protected.</p> <p>The goal of the Area Plan is to prevent and control water pollution from commercial and non-commercial agricultural activities and soil erosion through voluntary activities, aided by information, technical and financial assistance. The Area Rules (Oregon Administrative Rules (OARs) 603-095-3000 through 603-095-3060) contain required conditions to protect water quality. When voluntary approaches do not adequately achieve those conditions, the Oregon Department of Agriculture (ODA) exercises its enforcement authority under OAR 603-090-0060 to 603-090-0120.</p>	<p>Ellen Hammond, Water Quality Specialist 541-617-0017</p> <p>Central Oregon Regional Office 475 NE Bellevue Drive, Ste 110 Bend, OR 97701</p> <p>ehammond@oda.state.or.us</p> <p>www.oregon.gov/oda</p> <p>http://arcweb.sos.state.or.us/pages/rules/oars_600/oar_603/603_tofc.html</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Oregon State University Extension Service</p>  <p style="text-align: center;">Oregon State UNIVERSITY Extension Service</p>	<p>OSU Extension Services provides research-based, objective information to help people solve problems, develop leadership, and manage resources wisely.</p> <p>Extension staff offers programs in Pasture & Forage Management and Livestock & Range Management. In addition, Extension staff and over 500 volunteers personally assist Deschutes County residents through meetings, workshops, short courses, tours, publications, and demonstrations at such events as the Living on a Few Acres Conference.</p>	<p>Oregon State University Extension Service – Deschutes County</p> <p>541-548-6088</p> <p>3893 SW Airport Way Redmond, OR 97756-8697</p> <p>extension.oregonstate.edu/deschutes</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Deschutes Soil and Water Conservation District</p> 	<p>The Soil and Water Conservation District provides local leadership, education, motivation, and assistance to the citizens of Deschutes County for responsible, efficient stewardship of our soil and water resources.</p> <p>The District offers educational materials such as the <i>Deschutes County Rural Living Handbook</i>, manages a Manure Exchange Program, provides presentations, and conduct free site visits that address resource concerns on your property.</p>	<p>Tammy Harty, Manager</p> <p>541-923-2204 x132</p> <p>625 SE Salmon Ave Redmond, OR 97756</p> <p>www.deschuteswcd.com</p>

<p>Deschutes County Sheriff Animal Control</p> 	<p>The Sheriff's Office responds to all animal neglect complaints and conducts on-site investigations. A criminal investigation will be initiated if the animal is thin, emaciated, injured, without food or water, or kept in an area of unmanaged waste. These investigation often result in voluntary compliance after the owner is contacted and educated on the issues.</p>	<p>541-693-6911 63333 W. Highway 20 Bend, OR 97701 www.sheriff.deschutes.org/Community/Animal-Control/</p>
<p>Deschutes County Code Enforcement</p> 	<p>The Community Development Department administers the Code Enforcement program for Building, Environmental Soils, Land Use and Solid Waste. It consists of two code enforcement technicians and a law enforcement technician from the Office.</p> <p>Code Enforcement assures compliance with Deschutes County's land use, environmental and construction codes, including nuisances.</p> <p>Deschutes County Code Chapter 13.36, Nuisances and Abatement, prohibits the creation or maintenance of a nuisance on private property. As defined, a "nuisance" is solid waste including manure.</p>	<p>541-388-6575 Community Development Department 117 NW Lafayette Avenue Bend, OR 97701 cdd-webmaster@deschutes.org www.deschutes.org/Community-Development/Property-Violations-Code-Enforcement.aspx http://www.deschutes.org/County-Code.aspx?F=chapter+13.36.pdf</p>
<p>Central Oregon Mediation, Inc.</p> 	<p>Central Oregon Mediation is a private, non-profit providing a free service where an impartial third person(s) assists two or more parties to reach a voluntary agreement which resolves a dispute or provides options for the future. The mediators help the parties identify their individual needs and interests, clarify their differences, and find common ground.</p> <p>These services can be utilized for land use and neighbor disputes, including issues resulting from the keeping of livestock.</p>	<p>541-383-0187 1029 NW 14th Street Bend, OR 97701 coordinator@centraloregonmediation.com www.centraloregonmediation.org</p>