



# PUBLIC NOTICE

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## **OLCC reopens public comment period for possible additional 25-cent surcharge on distilled spirits**

**Written comments may be submitted until Monday, June 10, 2013 at 5:00 PM**

**PORTLAND, OR** – The Oregon Liquor Control Commission has reopened the public comment period for the possible additional 25-cent surcharge proposal on distilled spirits.

Written comments will be accepted through 5:00 PM, June 10, 2013. Submit your comments to Austene Schneider, Executive Assistant, 9079 SE McLoughlin Blvd. Portland, OR 97222, or via email at [austene.schneider@state.or.us](mailto:austene.schneider@state.or.us)

The 25-cent surcharge would generate approximately \$16.2 million for the biennium. How revenue is distributed is determined by statute and can only be changed by the legislature.

Commissioners will vote on the additional surcharge at a meeting to be scheduled after the comment period closes.

The five citizen commissioners are the policy-making body of the OLCC. They meet monthly for one or two days to make decisions on liquor licenses, rules, contested case hearings and appointments of liquor store agents. Commission meetings are held every other month at OLCC's main office, 9079 SE McLoughlin Blvd., Room 103A in Portland. Subsequent months, the meetings are held via phone. Agenda items can be obtained on-line at [http://www.oregon.gov/OLCC/public\\_meetings.shtml](http://www.oregon.gov/OLCC/public_meetings.shtml)

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*Did you know that in the last two years, the OLCC distributed more than \$343 million to Oregon's General Fund, Cities, Counties, and Drug and Alcohol Abuse Programs? [See the distribution of dollars on OLCC's Website.](#)*