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***These rules are specific to the Owyhee River Scenic Waterway. Other administrative rules apply to all state scenic waterways. For the complete set of regulations, please go to: <http://egov.oregon.gov/OPRD/RULES/waterways.shtml>***

### **Oregon Administrative Rule (OAR) 736-040-0055**

#### **Owyhee River Scenic Waterway**

Natural River Area:

(1) The entire Owyhee River Scenic Waterway, in its two segments, is classified as a Natural River Area.

(2) In order to preserve the river and related adjacent lands in an essentially primitive condition, no new structures or improvements which are visible from the river, other than those erected or made in connection with the existing agricultural uses, or those needed for public outdoor recreation or for resource protection will be permitted. Commercial public service facilities, including resorts and motels, lodges and trailer parks, and additional dwellings which are visible from the river will not be permitted.

Stat. Auth.: ORS 390.845(2)

Stats. Implemented: ORS 390.845(2)

Hist.: HC 1285, f. 6-27-72