



STATE OF THE PORTS

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PORT OF
Columbia
County

Sean Clark Executive Director



Prior to being named Executive Director in September 2021, Sean spent seven years as the North County Operations and Terminal Manager at the Port and was responsible for the safety, security, dock management, and tenant leases at Port Westward Industrial Park and other Port facilities in north Columbia County. Sean also served as Deputy Executive Director of the Port from May to September 2021.

Prior to joining the Port of Columbia County, Sean was the Harbor Master and Facility Security Officer at the Port of Kalama and was responsible for marine terminal operations, navigation issues, marina management, and facility security compliance with the Department of Homeland Security and federal/state agencies.

Sean earned his Bachelor of Science in Business Management and Communications from Concordia University. He is a past President and current member of the Northwest Marine Terminals Association, past Chair of the Lower Columbia Region Harbor Safety Committee and represents the Port of Columbia County's interests at a variety of industry groups.

A native Oregonian, Sean resides in Goble where he and his wife of 29 years have raised their son and two daughters. He is active in the community as a member of the local Kiwanis club, the Clatskanie Chamber of Commerce and a former Chairperson of the Rainier School Board.

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