

***Sixth Oregon Geothermal Working Group Meeting  
Burns, OR, May 17, 2006***

This workshop will focus on the direct use of geothermal energy, particularly for the agricultural sector such as green houses and aquaculture. Speakers will discuss technical details about the resource and the technologies. We will have time to discuss local activities and will learn more about the economic development aspects of promoting geothermal resources by the South Central Oregon Economic Development District. For more information on the state's geothermal resource, see [http://egov.oregon.gov/ENERGY/RENEW/Geothermal/geo\\_index.shtml](http://egov.oregon.gov/ENERGY/RENEW/Geothermal/geo_index.shtml) Among other things, you will find a map with the known geothermal resources.

**When:** Wednesday, May 17 2006, 10 AM to 3:00 PM

**Where:** Harney Court House, 450 North Buena Vista, Burns. 541-573-6356

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**Agenda**

- 10:00 Welcome/Introductions – Harney County Judge Grasty and Carel DeWinkel, Oregon Department of Energy (ODOE)
- 10:15 Geothermal energy: resources, exploration, drilling and economics – Alex Sifford, Ecos Consulting
- 11:00 Introduction to direct use of geothermal energy – John Lund, Andrew Chiasson and Toni Boyd, Geo-Heat Center, Klamath Falls
- 11:30 Introduction to geothermal heat pumps with emphasis on greenhouse and aquaculture pond heating applications, Andrew Chiasson, Geo-Heat Center
- 12:00 Industrial applications – John Lund
- 12:15 Lunch (on our own)
- 01:15 Agri-Business applications, greenhouse and aquaculture guides – John Lund and Toni Boyd
- 01:45 Geothermal information and web sites– Toni Boyd
- 02:00 Current local interest in geothermal direct heat applications, a group discussion
- 02:15 Federal and State Incentives – Carel DeWinkel
- 02:45 South Central Oregon Economic Development District's DVD: "Development of Geothermal energy projects in Klamath/Lake counties, the geothermal initiative"
- 03:00 Concluding remarks

**A field trip to a direct use geothermal application in Crane is scheduled for after the workshop.**

**Registration information and hotels: see next page.**

**Register by May 12, please**

Send the following registration information to [jenifer.wetherbee@state.or.us](mailto:jenifer.wetherbee@state.or.us) :  
name, organization, address, e-mail address, and phone number and let us know  
whether you are interested in an optional field trip to Crane

**Hotels:**

Silver Spur, older hotel downtown, 800-400-2077,  
walking distance from Court House

Days Inn, 800-303-2047

Roy and Ryan Best Western, 541-573-5050

Comfort Inn, 541-573-3370