Navigable Harbors and Bays within the State of Oregon

Portland District - Corps of Engineers

October 1993

	Authorized Project(Miles)	
Waterway	Navigable Length (Miles)	Remarks†

Alsea Bay	3	None	Flows into Pacific Ocean at Waldport, Oregon. Head at footbridge at mile 11.2.
Coos Bay	13.7	13.7	Flows into Pacific Ocean 13.7 miles downstream of Coos Bay, OR. Head at confluence of Isthmus Slough and Coos River.
Depoe Bay	0.3	0.2	Cove of Pacific Ocean at Depoe Bay, OR. Head at check dam.
Nehalem Bay	5.4	None	Flows into Pacific Ocean 3 miles SW of Wheeler, OR. Head of Nehalem Bay at upper end of Lazarus Island. Head of river at county road bridge at river mile 7.3.
Nestucca Bay	3	None	Flows into Pacific Ocean, 2 miles south of Pacific City, OR. Mouth of Nestucca River on Nestucca Bay 1.4 miles downstream of bridge at Pacific City, OR. Head of river at Cloverdale-Woods bridge, river mile 7.0.
Netarts Bay	5.5	None	Flows into Pacific Ocean. Mouth at Netarts, OR.
Port Orford	0.2	0.1	Bay on Pacific Ocean at Port Orford, OR.
Sand Lake	2		Tributary of Pacific Ocean near Tierra Del Mar, OR.
Scappoose Bay	1.7	None	Tributary of Multnomah Channel. Mouth is 1 mile upstream from St. Helens, OR. Head at Port of St. Helens public boat dock. ("Bayport").
Siletz Bay	2	None	Flows into Pacific Ocean at Taft, OR. Head of bay 0.5 mile downstream of Kernville, OR. Head of river at Cedar Creek, river mile 22.6.
Tillamook Bay	9	3.2	Flows into Pacific Ocean 2 miles west of Garibaldi, OR. Head at confluence of Trask and Tillamook Rivers.
Winchester Bay	0.9	0.6	Tributary of Umpqua River at Winchester Bay, OR. Head at county road bridge at boat basin.
Yaquina Bay	4.3	4.3	Flows into Pacific Ocean at Newport, OR. Head of bay at Yaquina, OR. Head of river at Elk City bridge, mile 22.3.
Youngs Bay	2.9	2.9	Tributary of Columbia River at Astoria, OR. Head of bay and mouth of river at old U.S. 101 bridge. Head of navigation at county road bridge mile 12.4.

[†] Head refers to head of navigation not headwater

Information contained in this table was obtained from a Public Notice issued 1 May 1981 entitled "Declaration of Navigable Waters of the United States."