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**CITY OF NEWPORT
IS SEEKING A MEMBER
TO FILL A VACANCY ON THE
DESTINATION NEWPORT COMMITTEE**

The City of Newport is seeking applications from citizens interested in serving on the Destination Newport Committee. The Destination Newport Committee is comprised of seven members and there is one vacancy. The person filling this vacancy must be a city resident who is the owner or operator of a retail establishment. The meetings are held on the third Thursday of the month, at 2:00 P.M., at the Newport City Hall.

The Committee is responsible for advising the City Council regarding the preparation of the advertising budget funded by the city's transient room tax. The Committee is also charged with making recommendations regarding the placement of advertising, the hiring of advertising consultants, and all other matters relating to advertising the city as a tourist destination.

Anyone interested in serving on this Committee should apply using the city's committee application which is found on the city website at www.newportoregon.gov; click on "City;" then on "Committees;" and then on "Application for Committee/Commission." The completed form can be submitted electronically. Hardcopies of the committee application form can also be obtained by contacting the City Manager's Office at 169 SW Coast Highway, Newport, Oregon 97365, or by calling 541.574.0613. The application deadline is October 11, 2013.

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