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STATE BUILDING CODES DIVISION OPENS OFFICE IN WARRENTON

(Salem) Effective March 1, 2000, the City of Seaside will return the building inspection program for structural, mechanical, plumbing, and manufactured dwellings for the unincorporated areas of Clatsop County to the State of Oregon's Building Codes Division (BCD). BCD's new office is located in Warrenton, Oregon at the Premarq Center, 65 N. Highway 101, Suite G. Office hours are 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. The office phone number is (503) 861-7140, and fax is (503) 861-7324. For the office's first day of operation, please call (503) 325-9461 (pager) as an alternate telephone number, and BCD staff will return calls. The structural/mechanical inspector, Doug Alexander, and the plumbing inspector, Jim Brien, will be available in the office to answer customer permit or plan review questions from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. weekdays. At other times they will be in the field.

Until April 7, 2000, electrical permits will be issued at Anchor Mortgage, 1702 S. Holladay in Seaside, Oregon. Customers with electrical questions can call the electrical inspector, Lenny Jenner, at 503-717-1431. Effective April 10, 2000 electrical permits will be available from the BCD office at the Premarq Center in Warrenton. Until further notice, the City of Cannon Beach will also continue to provide electrical permit issuance to customers in the county.

Questions about any of these changes can be directed to Etta Foote, BCD field operations manager, at 503-373-1983.

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