Council Name: Environmental Justice Council

Leadership: The Council's leadership consists of a Chair and Vice Chair who are elected by the Council membership every two years. The Chair and Vice Chair will be members of the Council who are voted by the Council.

Supporting State Agencies: EJC will be supported by state agencies identified in <u>HB 4077</u> which include: Department of Environmental Quality, the State Department of Agriculture, the Water Resources Department, the State Department of Fish and Wildlife, the State Parks and Recreation Department, the State Department of Energy, the Oregon Watershed Enhancement Board, the State Forestry Department, the Department of State Lands, the State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries, the Department of Land Conservation and Development, the State Marine Board, the Public Utility Commission, the Department of Transportation, the State Fire Marshal and the Oregon Health Authority.

Scope: Defining guidelines on how to identify environmental justice communities, recommending best practices for meaningful engagement, equity analysis, and fair treatment, recommending best practices for establishing measurable goals for reducing environmental disparities, advising state agencies on environmental justice issues including community concerns and public participation processes.

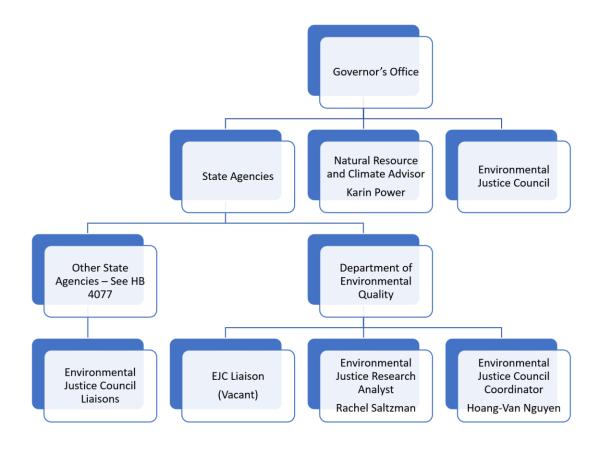
Subcommittees: Environmental Justice Mapping Tool and others as needed.

Processes: Environmental Justice Council consultation for agencies and public, environmental justice best practice identification and recommendations, biannual reporting to the Governor, development of environmental justice mapping tool and state agency usage recommendations.

Meetings: EJC meetings shall be held at least quarterly and open for public observation. All upcoming meetings will be posted on the EJC website at least 24 hours in advance. All other meetings including workgroup meetings will be scheduled as needed.

Organizational Structure

Environmental Justice Council



Environmental Justice Mapping Tool Leadership Team

Communications: All Environmental Justice Council communications are subject to Oregon public record and public meeting laws per ORS 192 and ORS 192.610-192.690.