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Emily Gray describes herself as an extrovert who is also 'giddy and happy to be in an Excel spreadsheet.'

## **Gray:** New business manager for historical society is an extrovert

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for my kids to be near their grandparents," she said. "I love the sense of community. You find so many unique people together. I don't think I've found that anywhere else I've been."

She earned an associate degree in applied sciences at the college and then an accounting degree online at Eastern Oregon University. Upon

graduation from the community college in 2010, she earned the outstanding business student award.

Academic success appears to run in the family. Her oldest son, Enoch, recently graduated from Oregon State University at 19 years old. He earned a bachelor's degree in economics and a minor in actuarial sciences.

With her education finalized and family entrenched in the community,

Gray made the move to the nonprofit historical society, which she believes offers her a chance to maximize both her skills and personality.

"I love what they stand for and what they're doing in the community, and I wanted to be a part of that," Gray said. "I love accounting and I knew that would be a part of it. I'm an extrovert and I love being around papels."

### **Art:** Oregon Coast Visitor Center launches project

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"The goal of this project is to help residents and visitors connect with artists, gain a deeper sense of place, and improve artists' livelihoods," said Marcus Hinz, the visi-

tors association's executive director.

Part of the inspiration came from a desire to connect and elevate the work artists have long been doing on the coast into one cohesive guide. Kevan Ridgway, the chairman of the marketing committee at the Cannon Beach Chamber of Commerce, is using this year to gather any documentation he can find about coastal artists and taking community suggestions about what should be featured on the trail.

There are only 10 cities along the coast without any form of public art. An objective for this project is to work on ways to find funding to introduce art into these communities. One of the ways Ridgway plans to do this is by partnering with the environmental cleanup group SOLVE, which would contribute materials for marine debris-related art to make the endeavor more cost-effective for the artists and the towns.

"Public art is a form of community expression," Ridgway said. "So for visitors, public art is a great way to learn about a place. Hopefully the Oregon Coast Art Trail will entice patrons of the arts to wander into local galleries, inquire about local theater performances, or plan a future visit to explore more of the art trail."

While the ultimate goal is to encourage visitors to visit the area in the fall, spring and winter months, Ridgway believes it will contribute just as much for the residents of the coast, he said.

"This will connect visitors and residents with artists," Ridgway said. "We don't want to do something that doesn't add value for the residents."



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Jim Stanovich/The Daily Astorian The Astoria Column will be part of a new public art trail.



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Elk and human interactions have been on the rise.

# Elk: Warrenton town hall held amid rising concerns

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for help to reduce population levels, a strategy that could also be used against elk. But Thursday's town hall

was more about living with the elk.

Herman Biederbeck, biologist with the state Department of Fish and Wildlife, said the elk population is recovering from past hunting. There are about 6,000 in the Saddle Mountain Wildlife Management Unit covering most of Clatsop County, he said, including about 125 around Warrenton and more than 300 on the Clatsop Plains west of U.S. Highway

About 400 bulls are taken each year from permitted hunting, he said, and the state has a goal of increasing the population to about 7,800 in the

management unit.

Pierce and Oregon State Police
Sgt. Joe Warwick reminded people of
the importance of staying clear of elk
and not feeding them. Feeding familiarizes the animals to humans and

can lead to aggressive behavior. Warrenton has passed a no-feeding ordinance. Biederbeck has recommended a similar ordinance in Gearhart.

"Nearly all the feeding issues (in Warrenton) come from locals," Pierce said. The police are also trying to dis-

The police are also trying to discourage people from blocking traffic to stop and take pictures of elk.

Residents have complained of feeling helpless in the face of herds that damage property and sometimes trap them.

"I have them in my yard constantly," said Dixie Black, adding they have probably eaten thousands of dollars worth of plants.

North Coast Christian School teacher Kirstin Salmi said she often has to use a megaphone to scare away elk hanging out in the playground and endangering children. She has a hazing permit to scare elk, but said she needs more training in how best to frighten them.

to frighten them. While everyone enjoys seeing elk,

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said J.P. Jenkins, "let's get the elk back in the woods. Let's chase them out."

Many elk come into the valleys and Clatsop Plains because the territory provides the best foraging, Biederbeck said. Past attempts at sterilization and relocation have proven ineffective.

Immediate safety issues involving elk are worthy of a 911 call, Pierce said. Police have removed and in some cases euthanized some problem elk. Balensifer also called on people to report others who are feeding elk to the police.

For preventing property damage, Biederbeck recommended fencing and a wide range of plants elk don't eat. But to improve public safety requires changing human behavior, he said.

Balensifer will take feedback from the town hall to the Warrenton City Commission for a robust conversation about elk and human interaction, he said.

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