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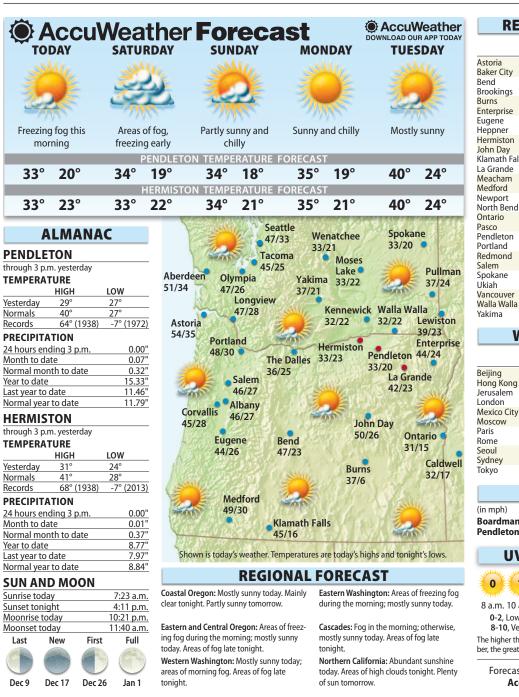
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Shown are noon positions of weather systems and precipitation. Temperature bands are highs for the day

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# Trump administration rolls back Obama-era oil train safety rules

#### Associated Press

PORTLAND The Trump administration has angered environmental groups and residents of the Columbia River Gorge by



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Birmingham	39	24 sf	49	24 pc	Nashville	42	23 рс	44	22 c
Boise	35	19 s	35	18 c	New Orleans	43	33 r	55	37 s
Boston	41	30 pc	36	30 sn	New York City	42	33 pc	37	31 sn
Charleston, SC	47	39 r	50	30 r	Oklahoma City	51	26 s	53	25 s
Charleston, WV	38	20 pc	38	22 sf	Omaha	40	25 рс	37	25 s
Chicago	37	24 pc	31	18 sf	Philadelphia	43	33 pc	37	28 sn
Cleveland	36	24 s	35	22 sn	Phoenix	67	43 s	74	50 s
Dallas	53	33 s	60	34 s	Portland, ME	39	23 pc	37	25 sn
Denver	57	31 pc	59	29 s	Providence	43	28 pc	36	27 sn
Detroit	35	25 pc	35	18 sn	Raleigh	42	32 sn	42	24 sn
El Paso	48	27 s	55	31 s	Rapid City	49	28 pc	53	36 s
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Fargo	32	14 pc	27	20 pc	Sacramento	62	34 pc	63	34 s
Honolulu	82	67 pc	83	70 pc	St. Louis	42	30 s	37	23 pc
Houston	48	30 pc	61	34 s	Salt Lake City	38	22 s	39	23 s
Indianapolis	37	25 s	35	17 sn	San Diego	73	51 pc	76	55 pc
Jacksonville	57	47 r	55	31 r	San Francisco	63	47 рс	64	48 s
Kansas City	42	25 pc	39	23 s	Seattle	47	33 s	49	35 pc
Las Vegas	63	41 s	64	41 s	Tucson	61	38 s	72	46 s
Little Rock	44	26 pc	51	24 s	Washington, DC	45	35 c	38	30 sn
Los Angeles	78	50 pc	81	52 pc	Wichita	48	25 s	50	24 s

Los Angeles Weather (W): s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice.

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The remains of a truck that caught fire and exploded in Wallowa County near Troy, killing Ryan Sullivan of Baker City on Nov. 29.

## Baker man killed in bizarre accident

#### By STEVE TOOL EO Media Group

A Baker County man died in a grisly accident at a Wallowa County campground during the early morning hours of Nov. 29.

37-year-old Ryan "Sully" Sullivan of Baker City died at Grizzly Flat campground near Troy after his Chevrolet pickup backed over a live campfire, where it stopped and caught fire

#### **Retrial begins** for man whose murder conviction was tossed

SPRINGFIELD (AP) A second trial has begun for a man whose murder conviction was tossed by the Oregon Supreme Court, which found he was wrongfully interrogated after asking for a lawyer.

The Register-Guard reported Thursday that 35-year-old Robert Darnell Boyd is opting for a jury trial this time after a judge heard his case the first time.

The state's high court ruled last year that Boyd's statements to police shouldn't have been introduced at his 2012 trial in the beating death

#### with Sullivan inside. Sullivan and another Baker City man had been hunting and camping in the area.

Wallowa County Sheriff Steve Rogers stated that the reason for the truck backing over the campfire is unclear.

According to Rogers, personnel from the sheriff's office, the county's district attorney's office, Oregon State Police, U.S. Forest Service, Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife, Oregon State Fire Marshal and the Wallowa County Medical Examiner investigated the scene.

Sullivan is survived by his wife Nicole and two small sons, Declan and Jack, as well as a child on the way.

A fundraising site has been established to help the family: gofundme.com/ ryan-sullivan-memorial-fund.

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of his girlfriend, Allyson Archibald.

Boyd did not dispute at the first trial that he had killed Archibald. His defense attorney argued at the time that he did not intend to kill her. To gain a murder

conviction, prosecutors must prove the defendant intended to kill.

#### 13-year-old boy dies when pickup strikes his bike

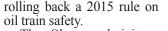
COTTAGE GROVE (AP) - A 13-year-old boy was killed when a pickup truck driven by an 85-year-old man struck him as he rode his bicycle on Highway 99S near Cottage Grove.

### Corrections

The East Oregonian works hard to be accurate and sincerely regrets any errors. If you notice a mistake in the paper, please call 541-966-0818.

The teen killed Wednesday has not been publicly identified. The driver of the truck is cooperating with police and has not been charged in the crash.

Highway 99S was closed for three hours while the Oregon State Police investigated.



The Obama administration rule change required trains carrying highly explosive liquids to have electronically controlled pneumatic brakes installed by 2021 — systems intended to help prevent fiery oil train wrecks like the one that happened in the Oregon last year, Oregon Public Broadcasting reported Thursday.

A Union Pacific train derailed in the small Columbia River town of Mosier in June 2016, spilling 42,000 gallons of crude oil and sparking a massive fire that burned for 14 hours.

The U.S. Department of Transportation under President Donald Trump now says, however, that the rule change would cost three times the benefit it would produce and is rolling it back, the station reported. Electronically controlled pneumatic brakes are supposed to be faster than the current industry standard — air-controlled brakes because the simultaneously signal to the entire train.

Industry officials reacted positively to the news.

Chet Thompson, of the American Fuel & Petrochemical Manufacturers, said in a statement that the rollback a



KGW-TV via AP, File

In this June 2016 file image, from video provided by KGW-TV, smoke billows from a Union Pacific train that derailed near Mosier, in the scenic Columbia River Gorge. The Trump administration is angering environmental groups and residents of the Columbia River Gorge by rolling back a 2015 rule on oil train safety.

"rational decision."

Conservation groups and lawmakers in the Northwest said the rollback was frustrating, but unsurprising.

"We're definitely frustrated that the Trump administration is weakening standards that are not strong enough to begin with," said Dan Serres, conservation director with Columbia Riverkeeper. "We saw that with the Mosier derailment, potentially if there was a better braking system in place, we wouldn't have seen so many cars come off the tracks.'

U.S. Sen. Jeff Merkley, an Oregon Democrat, also slammed the move.

"Oil trains are rolling explosion hazards, and as we've seen all too many timesand all too recently in Mosierit's not a question of 'if' but 'when' oil train derailments will occur. Degrading oil train safety requirements is a huge step backward and one that puts our land, homes, and lives at risk," he said in a statement.

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