

LEADERSHIP

Senator David Brock Smith

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The Oregon Sportsmen's Caucus hosted the NASC Executive Council Meeting in 2013 and the NASC Annual Summit in 2014. In 2017, the Oregon Sportsmen's Caucus was awarded the NASC Heritage Award. The strong bi-partisanship of the Caucus has resulted in a nearly perfect record when taking a position on legislation. Former Representative Sal Esquivel and Representative Brad Witt have both served on the NASC Executive Council. Key policy victories for the Caucus include advancing recruitment, retention and reactivation efforts through apprentice license programs, the establishment and expansion of the Oregon Conservation Fund, and anti-poaching legislation.



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Policy Highlights

- The Oregon Sportsmen's Caucus was instrumental in ensuring funding for CWD testing and mitigation during the 2024 session.
- Anti-poaching legislation championed by the Sportsmen's Caucus was signed into law in 2019 increasing penalties for poaching violoations.
- The Oregon Sportsmen's Caucus achieved a 100% success rate of bill positions during the 2019 legislative session



331,475 paid license holders - hunters



650,307 paid license holders - anglers



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