



1841—Distribution Preemption Act—recognized squatters rights. Those residing on property 14 months or more could purchase up to 160 acres at \$1.25/acre

1854—DLC act extended with residents receiving the 160 or 320 acres at a cost of \$1.25/acre. Stipulation for cultivation remained.

1862—Homestead Act - Citizens given 160 acres, must build a home on the land, reside on, and cultivate for 5 years.

1848, Aug 1, Oregon Territory officially formed

1859, Feb 14, Oregon gains statehood

1843—Provisional Government Approved

1850—Donation Land Claim Act—residents on property before Dec 1 received 320 acres, 640 if married. Must cultivate land for 4yrs
After Dec 1 residents were given 160 acres, 320 if married. Again must cultivate land for 4 years.

Distribution of Oregon Lands 1840—1850—1860's

