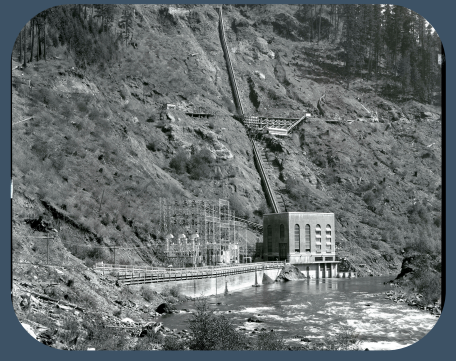


A century of Oregon's energy history at
Oak Grove Powerhouse

1921

Construction

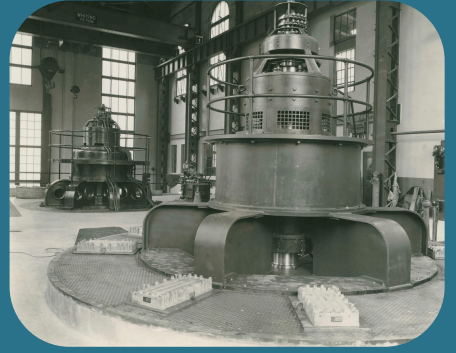
A railway, Harriet Lake reservoir, and flowline are created. Three Lynx community begins to house plant workers.



1924

Power Generation

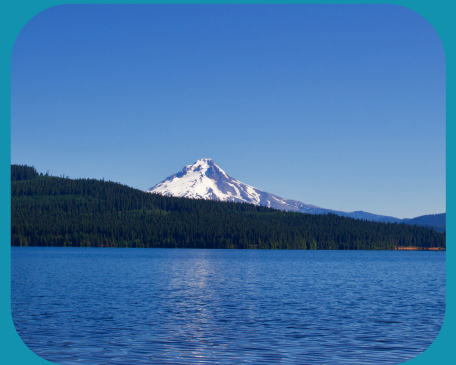
Unit 1 comes online in August 1924, followed by Unit 2 in 1930.



1953

Reservoirs

Frog and Timothy Lake are built to increase seasonal and peak-time flows to powerhouse.



1996

Flood

Oak Grove survives a major Willamette Valley flood. Near the powerhouse, logs flowed downstream at 35 miles per hour!

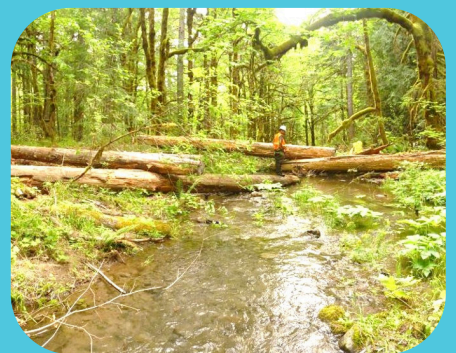


Willamette Falls during the flood. Photo courtesy of The Oregonian.

2010

Flows for fish

Restoration increases flows and transforms the Lower Oak Grove Fork into a haven for Chinook salmon.



2020

Fire

Oak Grove withstands the Riverside Fire, which burns many of the surrounding trees.



2024

Centennial

PGE celebrates 100 years of operations at the Oak Grove Powerhouse.

