



# Resolution 2026-05

## Adoption of 2026 Stormwater Master Plan

Meeting Date	Staff Contact	Email
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### SUMMARY AND REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION

The City of Coburg’s contract Engineer, Branch Engineering, along with technical assistance and review from Coburg City staff, have completed a comprehensive Stormwater Master Plan designed to update and replace the prior master plan completed in 1999.

#### Suggested Motion

*I move to approve Resolution 2024-05, a resolution adopting the 2026 Stormwater Master Plan as presented.*

### BACKGROUND

The City of Coburg embarked on the development of a Stormwater Master Plan in 2018 with the following objectives:

- Conduct a stormwater regulatory assessment
- Provide a current inventory and assessment of public stormwater facilities with supporting location maps.
- Develop prioritized improvement recommendations with associated cost estimates.
- Conduct a comprehensive analysis of the City’s current funding mechanisms and options to fund future capital projects.
- Support continued water quality regulatory compliance program for Total Daily Maximum Load (TMDL).

The City’s prior Stormwater Master Plan was completed in 1999. The current draft plan builds upon the 1999 plan and provides significantly improved infrastructure review, mapping and evaluation of adequacy given the development within City limits since the 1999 plan was completed.

Additionally, the 2026 Plan provides both policy and project recommendations intended to support current system maintenance as well as improvements to identified system deficiencies. The policy recommendations include two specific recommendations for the development of dedicated revenues to support both maintenance and capital improvements to the system. The first is a stormwater maintenance fee based on staffing, equipment and material needs for both residential and commercial stormwater system users. The second is a Stormwater Systems Development Charge (SDC) for new development revenue contribution for future system growth. Both the SDC and the maintenance fee will be developed

over the course of 2026 with initial Council review and direction in a Council work session, likely in the fall of 2026.

**RECOMMENDATION**

Staff recommends Council approval of the Stormwater Master Plan as presented, with the understanding that implementation actions will be developed, presented and approved by Council over the course of 2026 and integrated into future budgets and capital improvement planning processes.

**BUDGET / FINANCIAL IMPACT**

The Stormwater Master Plan budget appropriations come from the Street Fund with funds expended over the past 5-6 years as the plan was developed as a lesser priority item compared to the more critical water and wastewater infrastructure projects. The plan was originally estimated and budgeted at \$60,000 and the final total cost for the plan was just over \$102,000.

**PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT**

The draft plan executive summary and staff memo was presented to Council in its October 14, 2025 Council meeting and was publicly noticed as a specific agenda item.

**NEXT STEPS**

Upon Council approval, staff will begin developing an implementation plan for future revenue mechanisms described above, project planning within the Capital Improvements Plan process and stormwater maintenance planning in conjunction with the overall Vegetation Management Plan currently in development.

**ATTACHMENTS**

1. 2026 Stormwater Master Plan
2. Draft Resolution 2026-05