

# Tualatin **urban renewal**

## What is Urban Renewal?

A financial tool that funds projects and activities in an urban renewal area which have been identified in an urban renewal plan. The purpose of urban renewal is to make public investments in designated geographic areas to remove blight, to improve property values, and to leverage private investment. Public investments spur redevelopment in areas where it might not otherwise occur

## **How is Urban Renewal Financed?**

Urban renewal uses tax increment financing to improve and redevelop designated areas of a city by reinvesting the area's property taxes. \*NOT NEW TAXES\*



## Who manages Urban Renewal?

The **Tualatin Development Commission** (Commission) is a separate municipal corporation responsible for governing Tualatin's one urban renewal area. The Commission provides direction and approval for projects and programs to invest in and improve specific geographic areas of the City.

The Commission is constituted by the Mayor and City Council with the Mayor acting as Chair. The City Manager serves as the **Executive Director** of the Commission

**Staff support** is provided by the Economic Development Department.

## **Phased Timeline**



# **PROJECT AREAS**

#### LEVETON TAX INCREMENT DISTRICT



#### DISTRICT 1: BASALT CREEK / SW AREA



#### DISTRICT 2: NORTH AREA



## **OVERALL TIMELINE**



# **Community Engagement**

#### LEVETON TAX INCREMENT DISTRICT

DISTRICT 1: BASALT CREEK / SW AREA

#### DISTRICT 2: North Area

- Staff Advisory Committee
- Area Outreach (*in progress*)

- Taskforce Committee
- Stakeholder Meetings
- Planning Commission
- Overlapping Tax Districts
- Community Forum

- Staff Advisory Committee
- Council Visioning
- Community Visioning
- Further Public Engagement TBD

## **Leveton Tax Increment District Plan Amendment**

*Project Goal*: To amend the Plan Document to expend the remaining funds on identified projects.

Already Identified:

• Future URA District Planning





#### **District 1: Basalt Creek Area, Southwest Industrial Concept Area**

*Project Goal:* To develop an urban renewal plan to finance and implement identified projects from area development plans – Basalt Creek Concept Plan, SW Industrial Concept Plan, Transportation System Plan, Tualatin | 2040, Moving Forward, etc.

Council

Stakeholder #1





# **District 1: Stakeholder Task Force**

#### OVERVIEW:

To advise the Tualatin Development Commission on District 1 Plan Development. Not required, but best practice.

#### **STRUCTURE:**

- Up to seven (7) members:
  - 4 property owners, 1 Tax District Rep, 1 Plan. Comm., 1 City Council Member
- Term, Resolution ends September 2021
- Duties:
  - Review urban renewal plan boundary and make recommendations;
  - Identify and recommend projects in the proposed area;
  - Review financial analysis and impacts of the proposed district and project.

### District 2: Town Center Area, I-5 Corridor, Tualatin-Sherwood Road

Questions for Consideration:

- Understand what is the area now?
- What vision do we have for the area?
- How can we implement that vision?





## NEXT STEPS 60-DAY MILESTONES:

#### Leveton:

URA 101 for Internal Staff Advisory Team
Finalize Project Identification – Staff

#### **District 1:**

- 1.) Stakeholder Taskforce Resolution Done
- 2.) Stakeholder Task Force Solicitation In progress

## QUESTIONS AND DISCUSSIONS?