

2025 Legislative Agenda

State

Seismic Valving at Six Water Reservoirs - \$1.75 Million

The City seeks funding to retrofit all six of Tualatin's water reservoirs to include seismic valving. In the event of an earthquake, seismic valves capture the stored water and prevent it from leaking into the distribution system. Each retrofit is estimated to cost \$291,666. The City identified this project in the Water Master Plan, adopted in 2023.

Veteran's Plaza Shade Structure - \$250,000

The City seeks funding to install a shade structure at the new Veterans Plaza, located at the Lake of the Commons in Downtown Tualatin. Extensive community engagement led to the design of the new community-gathering place. Construction of the plaza began in spring of 2024 and is expected to be complete in fall of 2024. Due to inflation, a planned shade structure was removed from the project. If funding is secured, the shade structure could be installed at any time.

Electric Vehicle Chargers – \$4.7 Million

The City seeks funding to install 119 charging ports for electric vehicles on public property. Tualatin currently has limited charging infrastructure with only eight publicly accessible locations, clustered in the NE part of the community. The City's Climate Action Plan identified that passenger vehicles are responsible for 74% of all local transportation emissions and indicated that widespread EV adoption was necessary to achieve the emissions reduction goal of net zero by 2050. Each charger is estimated to cost \$39,000.