



City of Tualatin

## CITY OF TUALATIN Staff Report

**TO:** Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council  
**THROUGH:** Sherilyn Lombos, City Manager  
**FROM:** Megan George, Deputy City Manager  
**DATE:** August 8, 2022

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**SUBJECT:**  
2023 Legislative Agenda for the League of Oregon Cities

**RECOMMENDATION:**  
Staff recommends the City Council direct staff to submit the attached ballot to the League of Oregon Cities indicating the City's top five priorities.

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:**  
The League of Oregon Cities (LOC) is soliciting input from cities on their top legislative priorities for the 2023 Legislative Session. Over the last few months, policy committees comprised of city staff and elected officials from across the state met to review issues and develop policy priorities for the upcoming legislative session. The complete list of priorities is included in the attachments. Each city has the opportunity to return a ballot indicating their top five priorities and any additional comments for the LOC Board of Directors to consider in shaping their legislative agenda.

The Executive Team reviewed the list of issues and identified five priorities:

- Address Measure 110 Shortcomings
- Adequate Funding for State Climate Initiatives
- Marijuana Taxes
- Cybersecurity and Privacy
- Infrastructure Financing and Resilience

In addition, staff suggests the City submit comments in support of the following three priorities:

- Infrastructure Funding to Support Needed Housing
- Return to Work
- Property Tax Reform

**OUTCOMES OF DECISION:**  
Tualatin's ballot will be considered along with all other ballots submitted by cities in Oregon by the LOC Intergovernmental Relations Department and LOC Board of Directors. The LOC Board of Directors will then adopt a list of priorities to guide their work in the upcoming 2023 legislative session.

**ALTERNATIVES TO RECOMMENDATION:**  
The City Council may direct staff to make changes to the ballot. There are twenty-nine issues listed

and the opportunity to provide additional comments about the listed issues or other issues that did not make the list.

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**ATTACHMENTS:**

- 2023 Legislative Priorities Packet
- 2023 Legislative Priorities Ballot (Staff's Recommendation)