# WILSONVILLE CITY COUNCIL GOALS 2021-2023 WORK PLAN



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### **Goal 1: Increase Mobility for all in Wilsonville**

## <u>Strategy 1.1</u> Advocate at the federal, state and regional level to complete the Boone Bridge replacement.

**Project Description:** Lobby key regional, state and federal leaders and agencies to raise awareness and for funding; communicate advancements with the community and provide council updates as needed.

#### Project Lead: Mark Ottenad / Bill Evans

#### Project Timeline:

Jan – Mar 2021:

• Acting in advance of City-sponsored legislation, the Oregon Transportation Commission reallocates \$3.7 million of 2020-23 STIF funds in March 2021 to advance next phase on engineering design for I-5 Boone Bridge and Seismic Improvement Project. Complete study to provide required NEPA analysis and projected final cost.

Apr – Jun 2021:

• Legislature names in HB 3055/SB 5006 of June 2021 the I-5 Boone Bridge and Seismic Improvement Project as a priority ODOT project on par with I-205/Abernathy Bridge, I-5/I-84 Rose Quarter and Highway 217 highway improvement projects with access to a potential \$30 million/year of bonded funding authorized over a six-year period.

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July – Sept 2021:

- ODOT has proposed in July 2021 for the 2024-27 STIP to advance a \$9-11 million highway modernization project that is component of the I-5 Boone Bridge Seismic Improvement Project: to build a limited-segment northbound auxiliary lane from the Wilsonville-Hubbard Cutoff Highway 551 on-ramp to the Miley Road / Charbonneau on-ramp to I-5.
- City staff meet with Congressional staff in August 2021 to discuss surface transportation issues and prospective funding for transportation infrastructure.
- Schedule ODOT staff to appear in Sept 2021 before City Council to present on transportation issues. including proposed tolling and developments south of Wilsonville.

#### **Previous Updates:**

Nov. 2021 - Compose articles for publication in The Boones Ferry Messenger updating community on various aspects of ODOT transportation improvements in South Metro I-5 Corridor.

Feb. 2022 - Compose articles for publication in The Boones Ferry Messenger updating community on various aspects of ODOT transportation improvements in South Metro I-5 Corridor. Metro advances Metropolitan Transportation Improvement Plan (MTIP) amendment to Joint Policy Advisory Committee on Transportation (JPACT) to advance I-5/Boone Bridge and Seismic Improvement Project.

April 2022 - On January 20, 2022, the Joint Policy Advisory Committee on Transportation (JPACT) approved Resolution No. 21-5215, For the Purpose of Amending the FY 2021-22 Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) to Amend the Funding and Add Detail to the Existing I-5 Boone Bridge Planning Project.

Mayor Fitzgerald provided testimony to the Oregon Transportation Commission and JPACT multiple times in January and February 2022.

On February 23, 2022, City staff met with ODOT staff to discuss elements of the I-5 Boone Bridge and Seismic Improvement Project, including Metro Council concerns.

On March 3, 2022, the Metro Council adopted Resolution No. 21-5215, which has the effect of providing \$200,000 to advance the NEPA study phase of the I-5 Boone Bridge and Seismic Improvement Project. Metro Councilors express concerns regarding the proposed I-5 Boone Bridge auxiliary lane as a system-wide highway capacity addition.

July 2022 - City staff worked with reporter Corey Buchanan of Portland Tribune/Wilsonville Spokesman to publicize Metro Council's advancing of the I-5 Boone Bridge and Seismic Improvement project with a June 10 article entitled, "ODOT may need to satisfy Metro concerns before new Boone Bridge is built."

Mayor Fitzgerald and staff hosted Metro District 3 Councilor Gerritt Rosenthal on a June 20 tour of Wilsonville with a focus on land-use and transportation issues, including I-5/Boone Bridge bottleneck, UGB/Urban Reserve expansion areas, and State-backed Aurora State Airport urbanization expansion in exclusive farm use (EFU) land.

#### **Quarterly Update: In Progress**

October 2022 - ODOT has announced project solicitation for 15% design and National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) analysis to be conducted in the following quarter to commence the initial phase of the project.

## <u>Strategy 1.2</u> Pursue a legislative strategy to support aligning the SMART service boundaries with the City limits.

**Project Description:** Work with Metro, FHwA, FTA, TriMet, Counties and other parties to elevate SMART to have a seat at the JPACT table and use leverage in 2026 when the WES agreement expires.

#### Project Lead: Mark Ottenad, Dwight Brashear

#### **Project Timeline:**

Jan – Mar 2021:

• Successfully advance City/SMART request for SMART seat on JPACT before FHwA and FTA via Metro MPO TMA review process in Feb 2021 before the Clackamas County Coordinating Committee, seeking letter of support/endorsement.

Apr – Jun 2021:

• Joint Policy Advisory Committee on Transportation (JPACT) Chair writes to Clackamas County Coordinating Committee (C4) acknowledging need for better transit coordination, and intends to convene meetings in summer or fall 2021.

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July – Sept 2021:

- *City/SMART follow-up with JPACT Chair and Metro staff for convening of meetings.*
- City/SMART write letter of welcome to new TriMet General Manager (GM) and request a meeting.

#### **Previous Updates:**

Nov. 2021 - City/SMART staff follow-up with C4 and Metro JPACT regarding proposed mediation. City/SMART staff follow-up with TriMet on meeting request with GM. Mayor meets with Metro Councilors to discuss various issues, including transit service boundary.

Feb. 2022 - City/SMART staff follow-up with C4 and Metro JPACT regarding proposed mediation. City/SMART staff met with TriMet GM.

April 2022 - City staff followed up with TriMet GM after the meeting by relaying the draft term sheet presented previously in October 2021. Subsequently in February, Dwight Brashear confirmed that TriMet legal department was reviewing the draft term sheet.

July 2022 - City received an email from TriMet on May 26 indicating that the proposed Term Sheet is still under review.

Mayor Fitzgerald and staff hosted Metro District 3 Councilor Gerritt Rosenthal on a June 20 tour of Wilsonville with a focus on land-use and transportation issues, including proposed SMART seat on JPACT and TriMet/SMART service-territory boundary.

#### Quarterly Update: In Progress

October 2022 - City Council approved submission of a 2023 legislative session concept for "SMART Service Territory Alignment with City Boundaries; Adjustment of TriMet District Boundary" to the Office of Representative Courtney Neron, HD 26, who has advanced to Legislative Counsel for drafting as a bill for potential introduction.

# <u>Strategy 1.3</u> Work with ODOT to incorporate the French Prairie Bridge crossing into the Boone Bridge project.

**Project Description:** Work with ODOT to confirm the French Prairie Bridge as the alternative transportation facility for the I-5 Boone Bridge and Seismic Improvement Project and in the Regional Mobility Pricing Project / Comprehensive Congestion Management and Mobility Plan.

Project Lead: Mark Ottenad, Zach Weigel

#### Project Timeline:

Jan – Mar 2021:

• The City submitted letters in March 2021 to Oregon Transportation Committee and Legislature advocating for named inclusion of the French Prairie Bridge.

Apr – Jun 2021

• The City submitted letters in May 2021 to Legislative leadership advocating for named inclusion of the French Prairie Bridge.

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Jul – Sept 2021

• Schedule ODOT staff to appear in Sept 2021 before City Council to present on transportation issues, including status of I-5 Boone Bridge project and status of French Prairie Bridge as potential alternative transportation facility.

#### Previous Updates:

Nov. 2021- ODOT presented an update on the Boone Bridge project to City Council in September.

Feb. 2022 – No Update.

April 2022 - On February 23, 2022, City staff met with ODOT staff to discuss elements of the I-5 Boone Bridge and Seismic Improvement Project, including the proposed French Prairie Bridge bike/ped alternative transportation facility. ODOT staff appear increasingly amenable to advancing concept of French Prairie Bridge as the I-5 Boone Bridge bike/ped alternative transportation facility.

July 2022 - Mayor Fitzgerald and staff hosted Metro District 3 Councilor Gerritt Rosenthal on a June 20 tour of Wilsonville with a focus on land-use and transportation issues, including French Prairie 'Bike-Ped-Emergency' Bridge as vital bike/ped crossing of Willamette River in lieu of using I-5 that would connect Portland Metro Ice Age Tonquin Trail with the Willamette Valley Scenic Bike Route via Champoeg State Heritage Area.

Quarterly Update: In Progress October 2022 – No Update.

### <u>Strategy 1.4 Leverage existing City funds to attract outside funding for</u> the I-5 bike and pedestrian bridge.

**Project Description:** Work with Metro, ODOT, Counties, Congressional staff and other interested parties to seek complementary funds without overhead that advance project.

Project Lead: Mark Ottenad, Zach Weigel

#### **Project Timeline:**

FY2021-22 July - Sept 2021:

- Bring pedestrian walkway and plaza designs for August 2021 City Council meeting.
- Oct Dec 2021:
  - Design should be complete in November 2021

#### Previous Updates:

Nov. 2021 - Design team presented 60% design to Planning Commission and City Council for feedback

in August. Design team is continuing with 90% design, incorporating feedback received to date.

Feb. 2022 - 90% design drawings were submitted in December. Design team is currently reviewing 90% construction drawings and specifications. Metro Intergovernmental Agreement requirements for funding design of the project have been satisfied. Staff continue to assess construction funding opportunities for the project.

April 2022 - 90% design is complete and the project is "construction ready". Staff continues to set aside Transportation System Development Charges as part of the annual CIP budget to accumulate funds for construction. The unfunded portion of the project is included in the Town Center Infrastructure Funding Plan and Urban Renewal Analysis that is currently underway. Staff continue to assess other available construction funding opportunities for the project.

Revised August 2022- 90% design is complete and the project is "construction ready". Staff continues to set aside Transportation System Development Charges as part of the annual CIP budget to accumulate funds for construction. The unfunded portion of the project is included in the Town Center Infrastructure Funding Plan and Urban Renewal Analysis that is currently underway. Staff continue to assess other available construction funding opportunities for the project.

#### **Quarterly Update: In Progress**

October 2022 – No Update.

<u>Strategy 1.5</u> Implement existing transportation plans and advance planning efforts to improve our local transportation network.

Project Description:

Project Lead: TBD

**Project Timeline:** 

Quarterly Update:

### **Goal 2: Support local business recover post-pandemic**

Strategy 2.1 Develop programs for business support using ARPA funds.

**Project Description:** Identify programs to support business.

Project Lead: Chris Neamtzu/ Bryan Cosgrove

#### **Project Timeline:**

*Immediate work (business needs), to be complete by the end of 2021. Work with Chamber of Commerce for Outreach.* 

#### **Previous Updates:**

Nov. 2021- The Executive Team has been engaged in a brainstorming exercise to come up with various project ideas and evaluation criteria. The City Manager and Finance Director are initiating a conversation with the City Council regarding project ideas for eligible expenditures using ARPA funds at the September 20, 2021 City Council meeting.

Feb. 2022 – City Council agreed to add resources for the new Economic Development Manager after he does an analysis of what might be needed for additional business support.

April 2022 - At this time, Staff has not identified a need for ARPA funds to support economic development through small business assistance, grants, or otherwise, and is awaiting further direction from Council on the issue. Another round of small business grants does not appear to be necessary, nor a responsible use of funds.

Possible areas of focus, eligible under ARPA final rules, peripherally related to economic development, include physical infrastructure development, childcare, and affordable housing, and workforce development.

July 2022 – No Update

**Quarterly Update: On Hold** *October 2022 – No Update* 

### <u>Strategy 2.2</u> Convene the Chamber of Commerce and Small Business Development Center (SBDC) to assess local business needs and available resources.

Project Description: See Strategy 2.1 above.

Project Lead: Chris Neamtzu/ Matt Lorenzen

#### **Project Timeline:**

*Immediate work (business needs), to be complete by the end of 2021. Work with Chamber of Commerce for Outreach.* 

#### **Quarterly Update: In Progress**

Feb. 2022 - New Economic Development Manager (EDM), Matt Lorenzen, has held initial meeting with Chamber CEO and has established relationship with Clackamas SBDC Director, Rob Campbell. If additional small business support is desired by Council, beyond a potential ARPA-funded project (see Strategy 2.1), EDM will execute, as desired.

Until such time, EDM is coordinating with Sherwood, Tigard, and Forest Grove to hold bimonthly (every other month) small business webinars/workshops (https://bit.ly/sml-biz-wbnr). EDM is working to establish a newsletter to Wilsonville business community to elevate and promote these webinars. In the interim, City communication channels will be utilized—website, social media, etc.

April 2022 - EDM has launched a <u>small-business newsletter</u> that aims to deliver relevant economic data and news as well as free or inexpensive training opportunities for small business operators.

We continue our partnership with other Westside small cities to organize and hold bimonthly small business webinars/workshops. The intent is to continue this webinar/workshop series indefinitely, as long as it remains relevant and well-received by attendees.

At this time EDM has not engaged the Chamber directly in order to assess local business needs.

July 2022 - No Update. The newsletter and small business workshops/webinars with partner cities continue.

#### **Quarterly Update: In Progress**

October 2022 - The small business newsletter continues. This month's edition will feature a registration link for a small business webinar, organized by Wilsonville EDM (co-hosted by other Washington County cities). The topic is <u>Business Transitions</u> and will feature speakers from the Clackamas Small Business Development Center who will talk to business owners about how to plan for such events as a sale to a third-party, management buy-out, or succession to family/next generation. In addition to the ec-dev newsletter, the Chamber of Commerce will be invited to promote the webinar to its membership and share the registration link on their website and on their communication channels.

# Goal 3: Expand home ownership for lower income levels and first-time home buyers

### <u>Strategy 3.1</u> Continue implementation of the City's Equitable Strategic Housing Plan (ESHP) and explore funding options including Construction Excise Tax (CET), Vertical Housing Development Zone (VHDZ), etc.

**Project Description:** This project explores implementation of several EHSP actions and recommendations, including those on the Actions Requiring Further Exploration list. This includes work already underway to implement Vertical Housing Development Zones (VHDZ) as a means to incentivize mixed-use development in Villebois Village Center and Town Center (part of Action 1D). The City has contracted with ECONorthwest to assist with this work. Additional work on EHSP implementation will require City Council direction to determine if the City desires to implement CET to serve as a funding source for future activities in support of affordable housing, as well as which aspects of Action 1E (Facilitate Connections to Partners and Housing Resources through City Liaison) are of highest priority to Council. Direction on these items will allow for future implementation of items on the Actions Requiring Further Exploration list.

#### Project Lead: Kim Rybold

#### **Project Timeline:** Current project scope with ECONorthwest for VHDZ implementation Q4 2021 – Discuss commercial criteria and Town Center boundary options with City Council Q1 2022 – VHDZ adoption

#### Other activities

Q4 2021 – Council work session to gather input and direction on CET, ESHP Action 1E, and other items from the EHSP Actions Requiring Further Exploration list 2022 – Work to implement additional EHSP actions. Exact timing will depend on Council prioritization of EHSP Actions and funding opportunities.

#### **Previous Updates:**

Nov. 2021 - In August, the project team presented a memo to City Council to respond to questions and suggestions raised during a work session in May about potential VHDZ implementation in vertical, mixed-use areas of the City. Based on Council direction to examine criteria options for how to define eligible non-residential spaces as well as possible boundaries in Town Center, the project team conducted additional research and analysis on these topics during September in preparation for an upcoming Council work session in November.

Feb. 2022- The project team shared site design alternatives with City Council in November and gathered feedback on preferred options and possible development incentives. Based on this input, the team began drafting the RFQ with anticipated release in late Q1 2022.

April 2022- In February, the project team presented draft local criteria related to the definition and design of eligible non-residential spaces to City Council for confirmation that the criteria should be included in the City's VHDZ program. Based on Council's confirmation of the criteria, the project team began the process

to adopt a VHDZ program, including notifying affected taxing districts of the proposed program and evaluation of potential displacement impacts as required by state statute. Adoption of a VHDZ program is scheduled for consideration by City Council on May 2.

July 2022 - In April, the project team finalized the evaluation of potential displacement impacts as required by state statute and prepared a resolution for adoption of the VHDZ program, including local criteria, in portions of Villebois Village Center and Town Center. On May 2, City Council approved Resolution No. 2971 adopting the VHDZ Program. Staff began producing program materials, including application forms and marketing materials, which will be available in early summer.

#### Quarterly Update: In Progress

October 2022 - This summer, staff finalized application materials for the City's VHDZ program, and began work to explore CET as a funding source for affordable housing initiatives. In July, staff held a work session with City Council to present background information on how CET could be used by the City. At Council's direction, staff held a second work session in September to present the findings of how CET is used in other local jurisdictions, along with information on how CET can affect overall development costs and project feasibility.

# <u>Strategy 3.2</u> Explore examples of other programs to support home ownership for low-income residents and first-time homebuyers as part of the Frog Pond East and South Master Plan.

**Project Description:** The Frog Pond East and South Master Plan scope includes exploring affordable housing opportunities. This includes, per Council direction, a particular look at affordable home ownership opportunities.

#### Project Lead: Miranda Bateschell/ Dan Pauly

**Project Timeline:** Frog Pond East and South planning must be complete by December 2022.

#### **Previous Update:**

Nov. 2021 - The Frog Pond East and South Master Plan project is under way, including the component dealing with affordable housing and home ownership. EcoNW is the main consultant on this portion of the project. Council will hear more about the housing component of the project in a January work session.

Feb. 2022 – No Update.

April 2022- The Frog Pond East and South project team has completed and shared with City Council an Affordable Housing Analysis that discussed feasibility of programs to support affordable home ownership in the specific context of Frog Pond East and South. Efforts continue to do outreach around housing to learn more about potential solutions and programs. One recommendation to date is to adopt policies that allow a wide variety of housing in Frog Pond East and South to provide flexibility for different programs over the 10-15 year build out of Frog Pond East and South.

July 2022 - The Frog Pond East and South project team had a busy Spring with many outreach efforts around housing to learn more about potential solutions and programs regarding affordable home ownership. They held a community workshop, a number of focus groups, and conducted an online survey. The team also prepared land use and urban design alternatives to be discussed in June Planning Commission and City Council Work Sessions. The design alternatives allows for a wide variety of housing in Frog Pond East and South. In the coming months the project team will continue to work with the public, Planning Commission, and City Council, to develop a plan and policies for Frog Pond East and South that enable the type of development that can be supported by home ownership programs.

#### **Quarterly Update: In Progress**

October 2022 - The Frog Pond East and South Master Plan is coming together after public engagement and many Planning Commission and City Council work sessions. The Council is scheduled to adopt it by the end of the year. The draft Master Plan has policies to support a variety of housing that has potential to provide market-rate home ownership opportunities at a price lower than other recent development. In addition, the Master Plan has policies to avoid regulatory barriers to programs the City may develop for subsidized affordable housing during the life of the Master Plan.

<u>Strategy 3.3</u> Develop a concept plan, zoning strategy, public outreach, identify partners, pursue grant funding, and draft development agreement for a transit-oriented development (TOD) project at WES Transit Center site.

**Project Description:** This project explores implementation of Equitable Housing Strategic Plan Action 1A to evaluate options for transit-oriented development at the Wilsonville Transit Center. The first phase of this project will conduct a development opportunity study to establish the City's vision for development on this site and identify preferred site design alternatives and funding sources. The City has contracted with Leland Consulting Group to assist with this work. Based on this information, the City and Leland will prepare a developer solicitation (RFQ and RFP). The second phase of this project will occur once a developer is selected and will include a development agreement, project funding, and land use approvals.

#### Project Lead: Kim Rybold/Dwight Brashear

Project Timeline: Current project scope with Leland Consulting Group

Q3 2021 – Goals and Vision discussion with Council

Q4 2021 – Site Design Alternatives and Funding Strategy

Q1 2022 – Release RFQ/RFP for Developer Solicitation

Q2 2022 – Developer Selection

Additional work outside of the current scope (but within the July 2021-April 2023 timeframe) potentially includes development agreement, project funding, and land use approvals. Exact timing of these items will depend on the selected developer and funding opportunity application deadlines.

#### **Previous Updates:**

Nov. 2021- During July, the project team began an assessment of opportunities and constraints on the TOD project site, which was shared with City Council at a work session in September. The project team gathered Council's input on vision, goals, and priorities for future development on the site, which the team will use as a basis to develop site design alternatives that illustrate options for development on this site. The project team will present these site design alternatives to City Council in November.

Feb. 2022 - The project team shared site design alternatives with City Council in November and gathered feedback on preferred options and possible development incentives. Based on this input, the team began drafting the RFQ with anticipated release in late Q1 2022.

April 2022- On March 18, the project team released a request for qualifications (RFQ) to solicit statements of qualifications (SOQs) from interested development teams for the TOD project. On March 31, the project team hosted a TOD site tour for potential developers, social service agencies, and nonprofit organizations, which was well-attended. The published due date for SOQs is April 26, after which the City will select a short list of development teams to respond to a Request for Proposals (RFP), anticipated later this spring.

July 2022 - This Spring, the City received and reviewed submitted Statements of Qualifications (SOQ) from interested project developers based on the Request for Qualifications (RFQ) document released in March. During June, the City released a Request for Proposals (RFP) to three development teams who will provide more detailed proposals for development at the TOD site, including project design, a development program, pro forma information, and anticipated funding sources. Responses to the RFP are due to the City on July 1.

#### **Quarterly Update: In Progress**

October 2022 - In July, the City's project team reviewed RFP responses from three interested development teams and held interviews with all three teams to learn more about each team's approach to the project site. The project team continues to evaluate the development teams with the assistance of the City Manager who will aid the Review Team in arriving at a recommendation for a preferred development partner.

# Goal 4: Attract high quality industry and economic opportunity in Wilsonville

<u>Strategy 4.1</u> Leverage the Coffee Creek Urban Renewal District with the goal of attracting new industry that pays family-wage jobs in two years.

**Project Description:** Attract industry with family-wage jobs to Coffee Creek Urban Renewal District.

**Project Lead:** Chris Neamtzu/ Matt Lorenzen

#### Project Timeline:

Once the Economic Development Manager position is filled, tasks will include:

- Coffee Creek marketing brochure update will include the new road project (infrastructure, zoning regulations and future projects)
- Investigate creation of a GIS Story Map to assist with marketing this project.
- Share info with City Council when appropriate
- Share info with Economic Development groups such as Greater Portland Inc., Small Cities Consortium, brokers and industrial developers.
- Identify and investigate tools to assist with land aggregation strategies (i.e. horizontal development agreement)

#### Previous Updates:

Nov. 2021 - The Economic Development Manager recruitment is underway.

Feb. 2022- Matt Lorenzen started on December 28, 2021 as the city's new Economic Development Manager (EDM). EDM is working on marketing collateral concepts, which will be developed into digital and print product, including a brochure and GIS Story Map. EDM is establishing relationships with partners including GPI, brokers, and developers in order to assess and access the marketplace. EDM is researching best practices regarding Horizontal Development Agreements, with the aim of initially meeting with property owners individually, and then convening property owners as a group with a basic deal structure/proposal later in 2022.

Pannatoni Development Company is currently constructing a new 110,366 SF industrial warehouse along SW Clutter Road in the Coffee Creek Industrial Area called the Coffee Creek Logistics Center. This is the first significant investment in the Coffee Creek Urban Renewal Area. The building is planned to have two tenants, and will be comprised of warehouse, distribution and manufacturing uses. Building occupancy will be in spring 2022.

Mildren Design Group has submitted an application for an existing Wilsonville business, Precision Countertops, for a new 84,000 SF showroom, office, warehouse and fabrication space along the east side of Garden Acres Road.

Along the west side of Garden Acres Road, Black Creek Group of Newport Beach, CA is proposing development of a 148,000 SF flex warehouse. This project is scheduled to go to the DRB in early 2022.

April 2022 – After preliminary research and discussion with local brokers, Economic Development Manager (EDM) is skeptical that a so-called Horizontal Development Agreement is the answer. Further investment in critical infrastructure remains priority #1, but the obstacle of disparate land

ownership cannot be overstated. The URTF will need to make recommendations aimed at overcoming this obstacle.

Panattoni Development Company building will have two tenants: A-dec, a dental office furniture equipment manufacturer, and Owens and Minor, a local medical supply company. Building occupancy will be in spring 2022.

Mildren Design Group has withdrawn their application for Precision Countertops so that additional work can be done value engineering the project. This project is anticipated to be re-submitted as an administrative review, the first land use application to propose to use the expedited path under the Form Based Code.

Black Creek Group's proposed project, along the west side of Garden Acres Road, is scheduled to go to the DRB and City Council for land use review in May of 2022. The project team anticipates initiating construction over the summer and into 2023.

July 2022 - Black Creek Group passed Design Review and has submitted for Building permits. They propose a speculative 148,000 sf warehouse/distribution facility at the north end of Garden Acres Rd., on the west side of the street. The site is just over 8 acres. Proposed tenants are unknown at this time.

New development in the urban renewal area (URA) (Panattoni and Black Creek Group) will be a boon to the tax increment the URA collects annually, and allow the city to initiate more of the infrastructure projects included in the Coffee Creek urban renewal plan.

#### **Quarterly Update: In Progress**

October 2022 - The Urban Renewal Task Force has completed its work and EDM presented the product of their work, the draft Urban Renewal Strategic Plan, to Council on October 17, 2022 for consideration. The draft plan contains recommendations for Coffee Creek, including the addition of Ridder Road improvements to the list of projects under the Coffee Creek UR plan.

Black Creek Group has been acquired by publicly traded, Ares Management. Branding and advertising for the "<u>Grahams Ferry Industrial Center</u>" bear the new name. Construction has begun and EDM is working with Ares' brokers (CBRE) to market the spec property. EDM has added the site to <u>Oregon</u> <u>Prospector</u>, the state's site selection/property locater tool, managed by Business Oregon.

Mildren Design Group has resubmitted their development proposal on behalf of Precision Countertops. Associate Planner, Cindy Luxhoj, has reviewed the application materials and issued an "incomplete" notice to the applicant. The City is awaiting a resubmittal.

# <u>Strategy 4.2</u> Advance the existing strategy for recruitment and expansion of the City's industrial areas.

**Project Description:** Develop a white paper for the existing strategy (i.e. no commercial uses in industrial zones, clean industry, story over time, etc.)

Project Lead: Chris Neamtzu (Mark Ottenad & Leo Consulting to assist)

**Project Timeline:** In writing and in presentation format, tell the story of Wilsonville's historic and successful industrial lands strategy. Research issues, summarize history, develop a white paper and create a presentation to share with City Council and the community. This is anticipated to be a living document that is updated as time goes on and circumstances change.

#### **Previous Updates:**

Feb. 2022- Staff have begun to assemble materials that will be the outline for the white paper and presentation, and are pulling information to assist with telling the historic story of industrial land development in Wilsonville. Early summer 2022 is tentatively targeted for the Council work session and public presentation on this topic.

April 2022 - Staff have begun to assemble materials that will be the outline for the presentation, and are pulling information to assist with telling the historic story of industrial land development in Wilsonville. Summer 2022 is targeted for the Council work session and public presentation on this topic.

July 2022 - The 120,000 sf, 2-story "Peyton Business Center" has been vacated by the State of Oregon and is now on market, for lease. Staff is working collaboratively with the brokers representing the building in order to generate and qualify leads. The space is best suited for office use and/or research and development activities. Ceilings have a maximum height of 12 feet and as such the facility is not conducive to many manufacturing operations.

Additionally, staff has begun some early work with more of an out-bound marketing focus. A print collateral piece has been developed and staff will soon launch an e-newsletter that will be distributed to several hundred regional brokers, site selectors, and developers, with a goal of "raising the Wilsonville flag" and generating continual interest in the development of Coffee Creek and other infill opportunities. Staff has also been in contact with public relations staff at Oregon Bio, the state trade association for the bioscience industry, and proposed a meeting to discuss how Wilsonville can partner and use their platform to attract other bioscience companies to complement Twist.

#### **Quarterly Update: In Progress**

October 2022 - Peyton Business Center remains vacant and may take some time to attract a new user. Brokers hosted an open house at the 120,000 sf facility in September. EDM attended and continues to coordinate with the brokers. EDM has also added this property to <u>Oregon Prospector</u> and shared with Greater Portland Inc. and Business Oregon.

EDM launched the Broker/Developer Newsletter—the Wilsonville Development Update—in August. Two editions have been sent. The <u>first edition</u> was more of a welcome message, while <u>the second</u> featured information about the WIN Program and Twist Bioscience. The newsletter is being sent to 450 subscribers—roughly 350 brokers and 100 employees of leading development companies in the Pacific Northwest.

### <u>Strategy 4.3</u> Develop a land aggregation strategy and conduct outreach with property owners to explore long term plans in Basalt and Coffee Creek.

**Project Description:** *Part of Strategy 4.1 above.* 

# <u>Strategy 4.4</u> Identify and convene key stakeholders for workforce development to understand challenges, gaps and opportunities to support local high-paying jobs for the Wilsonville community.

**Project Description:** Coordinate businesses outreach to gain a better understanding of specific business workforce needs; organize meetings between businesses and workforce development and educational partners.

Project Lead: Mark Ottenad, Matt Lorenzen

**Project Timeline:** With new, revamped economic-development program and staff, commence implementation in FY22-23.

#### **Previous Updates:**

Project started April 2022- City Public Affairs and Economic Development staff have attended workforce-oriented meetings of the Clackamas Workforce Partnership (CWP) and Washington County Economic Development Dept. Councilor Linville speaking with CWP regarding prospective participation as ex-officio on the CWP Board. Councilor Akervall has attended CWP and Washington County meetings focused on childcare-related issues as they affect workforce availability for employers.

July 2022- On April 18, Mayor Fitzgerald appointed Councilor Linville as the City Council's representative to the board of Clackamas Workforce Partnership (CWP), serving in an ex-officio capacity.

On June 15, the City hosted along with Clackamas Community College the "2022 Wilsonville Business Summit" at the College's Wilsonville campus. Mayor Fitzgerald and CCC President Tim Cook welcomed business managers and discussed workforce issues that employers are facing today, including a shortage of skilled labor and rising costs.

#### Quarterly Update:

October 2022- Staff from the City and from Clackamas Community College (CCC) convened approximately 50 representatives from local industry as well as public- and nonprofit-agency partners from workforce development agencies at the CCC Wilsonville Campus, to discuss challenges and opportunities facing employers as they endeavor to hire and retain employees in a highly competitive and dynamic labor market. Several ongoing partnerships have emerged as a result of the meeting. City staff has an upcoming meeting scheduled with CTE (Career & Technical Education) staff and administration at Wilsonville High School.

Separately, staff has been working with Clackamas Workforce Partnership (CWP) to better understand how the issue of childcare is impacting local employers and workforce participation among Wilsonville residents and employees who work here. Two surveys for residents and employees were administered and a memo, with survey findings, has been prepared for presentation to Council for their consideration in November.

<u>Strategy 4.5</u> Conduct outreach to help us prioritize infrastructure investments in the industrial area to expedite private investment.

**Project Description:** *Part of 4.1 – See above* 

## Goal 5: Align infrastructure plan with sustainable

### financing sources

<u>Strategy 5.1</u> Conduct a financial analysis to explore costs and revenue options to fund the City's major infrastructure projects that are currently without identifiable funding.

**Project Description:** Staff to gather information and work with a consultant to identify revenue options, available funds, help council prioritize projects and identify funding plan for the next 5 - 10 years.

Project Lead: Kris Ammerman, Keith Katko, Delora Kerber, Jeanna Troha

#### Project Timeline:

Part 1- Staff to gather information (all projects, all project costs, saved revenue or known revenue sources/ options) and compile by the end of Dec. 2021.

Part 2 – Staff to meet with a consultant to discuss a scope of work

(SOW – identify revenue options and funds available, help council prioritize projects and identify funding plan for the next 5 - 10 years)

Part 3 – RFP for the scope of work.

*Part 4 – Select a consultant to perform the analysis and help the council to prioritize/ identify funding sources.* 

#### **Previous Update:**

Nov. 2021 - Staff has gathered a list of projects. Staff will work with the consultant to finalize the scope of work

*Feb. 2022 - Financial analysis to explore costs of the City's major infrastructure projects is complete. Prioritization, rankings, and potential funding strategies are continuing to be examined before recommendations are presented to City Council. The City continues to work with FCS Group.* 

April 2022- No update.

July 2022- No update.

#### **Quarterly Update: In Progress**

October 2022 - Staff has compiled a list of unfunded infrastructure and facility projects. The list is being reviewed internally by appropriate staff to update cost estimates and for prioritization. Staff will present the project list to Council in November/December 2022. The presentation will include recommendations on available and likely funding sources, and project prioritization based on existing city master plans and previous Parks Bond Task Force input. Many of the projects are related to parks development and facility improvements for the Community Center, Library, Police Station and Kiva building, which will likely require a combination of General Obligation bonds and General Fund support for completion.

#### <u>Strategy 5.2</u> Update the urban renewal strategic plan.

**Project Description:** Team meetings to be set with City's urban renewal consultants to move forward investigation of potential geographies where a new Urban Renewal Area could be established. Begin with a clear plan for the sunset of current urban renewal areas (West Side and Year 2000) and look at new URA opportunities for Town Center.

**Project Lead:** Chris Neamtzu/ Keith Katko/ Bryan Cosgrove (Principal)

**Project Timeline:** *Expedite - meeting to be set with Elaine Howard and Tiberius Solutions to move forward. The scope will be used to update the timeline.* 

Start with sunset of the current area and look at new Urban Renewal Area (URA) for Town Center Project with new Economic Development Manager.

#### Previous Updates:

Nov. 2021 - A scope of work has been created by the consultant team to update the 2014 Urban Renewal Strategic Plan. The Economic Development Director position has been on the street since the middle of September, 2021. Once the new Economic Development Manager is hired, the new staff person will initiate the process with one of the first steps being to reconstitute the Urban Renewal Advisory Committee.

Feb. 2022 – The Economic Development Manager is working to reconvene the Urban Renewal Task Force (TF), which was active during the development of the Wilsonville Investment Now (WIN) program. Members of the TF include residents, industry/employers, brokers/developers, business advocacy groups, and the affected taxing districts.

Scope of work for a consultant contract has been finalized. Staff is working with Legal to amend an existing consultant contract to include the strategic plan scope of work. First meeting with TF, staff, and consultant penciled for the week of February 14, 2022.

#### April 2022 -

On March 2, 2022 Economic Development staff and consultants conducted Urban Renewal Task Force (URTF) meeting #1. Council President Akervall is the Chair of the URTF.

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Task Force meeting was conducted on April 7, where the Task Force went over the Wilsonville Investment Now (WIN) Zone program as well as the Coffee Creek URA.

The 3<sup>rd</sup> meeting is planned for late May, where discussions will continue on evaluating existing plan areas, a look at the use of UR for affordable housing projects and a look forward at other possible areas where this tool could be used to incent investment. It is anticipated that there will be 5-6 total meetings. Council will review and approve the final plan in Q4 2022.

July 2022 - The Task Force (TF) met in May and no meeting was held in June, due to scheduling difficulties. The next meeting will be July 13.

At the May meeting, the TF was briefed by Senior Planner, Kimberly Rybold, on the Town Center plan and the critical role urban renewal could play in bridging the funding gap that exists for planned infrastructure prescribed by the Town Center plan. The group was supportive of the idea of forming a new UR area in the Town Center area at such time the city is in a position to do so.

The July meeting will focus on how urban renewal can be used as a tool for Affordable Housing development.

August's meeting will focus on Basalt Creek as an urban renewal candidate area, and the balance of the meeting will be spent summarizing the thoughts and recommendations of the TF regarding all the topics and areas discussed since the reconvening of the TF in March '22. A September summary meeting will be scheduled to review the final recommendations and report of the TF, and to celebrate the accomplishment!

Staff intends to present the recommendations of the TF and a final report to Council in Q4 2022.

#### Quarterly Update: In Progress

October 2022 - The Urban Renewal Task Force held its final meeting in September and approved a draft Strategic Plan, which was presented for Council consideration during work session on October 17. Final adoption is targeted for November 2022.

# <u>Strategy 5.3</u> Establish the Arts and Culture Board and fund a feasibility study for performing arts facility.

**Project Description:** Develop implementation plan and retain consultant to work on forming the Arts and Culture Commission; after establishing and seating the commission, work to prioritize ACHS Recommendations that develop a five-year action plan with annual one-year implantation plan to be presented to the council including funding a feasibility study for a performing arts facility.

Project Lead: Mark Ottenad/ Kris Ammerman

#### **Project Timeline:**

FY2021-22 July – Sep 2021

- Develop multi-departmental Implementation Plan for the Formation of an Arts and Culture Commission and scope of work for PSA to retain consultant to advance plan.
- Consultant undertakes research on specific issues to be resolved for the commission's formation, including conducting community meeting, to help shape recommendations.
- Oct Dec 2021
  - Public feedback and City Council direction sought for recommendations of key components of Arts and Culture Commission; resolution of formation brought to City Council.
- Jan Mar 2022
  - Advertise openings on Arts and Culture Commission; arrange interviews.
- Apr Jun 2022
  - City Council confirms appointment of Arts and Culture Commission.
  - Initial meetings of Arts and Culture Commission to develop priority recommendations for City Council consideration, including funding feasibility study for a performing arts facility.

#### **Previous Updates:**

Nov. 2021 - Develop multi-departmental Implementation Plan for the Formation of an Arts and Culture Commission and scope of work for PSA to retain consultant to advance plan.

Conduct meeting with local-area arts and culture supporters to present on ACHS and Implementation Plan for forming an Arts and Culture Commission.

Consultant undertakes research on specific issues to be resolved for the commission's formation, including conducting community meeting, to help shape recommendations.

Feb. 2022 - Consultant and staff developed an initial proposal for consideration by management of structural components of Arts and Culture Commission. Public feedback and City Council direction was sought for recommendations of key components of Arts and Culture Commission formation.

After receiving public comments and discussing the charter, City Council passed a resolution to formally establish the committee. City commences recruitment for new Arts, Culture, and Heritage Commission members.

April 2022 - Recruitment for volunteers to serve on the new Arts, Culture and Heritage Commission took place during January 2022, followed by interviews with Mayor Fitzgerald and appointment of the ACHC on February 24, 2022.

Park and Recreation staff selected dates in April and May for first two meetings of the ACHC.

July 2022 - The City's Arts, Culture, and Heritage Commission has been established and has held three meetings to date. At the Commission's May meeting they adopted the following Goals Prioritization of Arts, Culture, and Heritage Commission (ACHC) for the FY2022-23 work program. Summary of Priority Goals by ACHC:

• Provide public-sector leadership and coordination to support arts, culture and heritage activities, events, facilities and programs;

- Work with partners to advance an arts and cultural center/facility;
- Develop a long-term, sustainable public-arts program;

• Make recommendations concerning the goals and objectives, and the selection and disbursement of funds of the Community Cultural Events and Programs Matching Grant Program.

#### **Quarterly Update: In Progress**

October 2022 – The ACHC started to work on their initial priority project, which was to re-cast the former Community Tourism Matching Grant Program to the renamed Community Cultural Events and Programs Matching Grant Program.

## Goal 6: Engage the community to support emergency

### preparedness and resiliency

<u>Strategy 6.1</u> Work with emergency response providers to identify gaps and enhance Wilsonville's emergency preparedness planning for all types of emergencies/ disasters.

**Project Description:** Collaborate with partner agencies (Counties, TVF&R, PGE, NW Natural and Metro, RDPO) on how they are preparing for emergencies and their response plans. Participate in annual Emergency Preparedness exercises (e.g. Cascadia Rising Event). Present information to City Council.

#### Project Lead: Delora Kerber/ Martin Montalvo

**Project Timeline:** Complete by the second quarter of 2023

• Ground Truth the Hazard Mitigation Plan (Ice Storms, Wildfires, Debris Management)

- Update City's Emergency Management Plan
- Communicate with Council on information gathered from other emergency response agencies.
- Presentations to Council from other emergency agencies on their preparedness and response plans.

#### **Previous Updates:**

Nov. 2021 - At the September 9 City Council meeting, PGE made presentation on their responses and mitigation to the February Ice Storm.

Feb. 2022 - No Updates.

April 2022 - Staff invited local and regional Emergency Services, and other agencies to become the City of Wilsonville's partners in emergency management. Partners are requested to allocate staff time as needed for outreach coordination, participation in community events, sharing of existing outreach materials and co-branding.

*July 2022- Tualatin Valley Fire District hosted a presentation titled "Wildfire Prevention" which provided information on how to prepare your home for wildfire season at the Wilsonville Library on June 30.* 

#### **Quarterly Update: In Progress**

October 2022 - Tualatin Valley Fire District (TVFR) canceled their presentation on "Wildfire Prevention" and have not yet rescheduled.

### <u>Strategy 6.2</u> Connect the community (residents and businesses) with emergency response resources and educational materials to improve individuals' response planning.

**Project Description:** Educate community members on emergency preparedness through community events, publications, websites and Annual event "Fair"

**Project Lead:** Delora Kerber / Martin Montalvo with assistance from Bill Evans

#### Project Timeline: Complete by the end of 2022.

 Publish Quarterly messages in the Boones Ferry Messenger– Spring: Extreme Heat Safety; Fireworks Safety; Wildfire Preparedness Summer: Winter Weather Safety; Holiday Fire Safety; Rain/flooding Preparedness Fall: Winter Weather Safety; Spring & Flood Safety; Cyber Security Safety Winter: Wildfire Awareness; Pet Preparedness; Summer Safety and Extreme Heat Safety

- Publish special section in BFM for September Emergency Preparedness month & October Great Shakeout Earthquake Drill
- Develop Council narrated educational videos on emergency preparedness
- Develop scope and budget for the development of City's Emergency Preparedness brand and messaging information for use on website, at events, etc.
- Update City's Emergency Preparedness website. Add Council videos
- Organize an Emergency Preparedness Fair for September 2022. Include emergency response partners.
- Research incentive plans to encourage community members to prepare for disasters. Examples: 5 gallon water jug with emergency preparedness information; go Bag instructions; packaged Emergency Preparedness kits; phone battery chargers; first Aid kits; 30 days to prepare instructions
- Pursue grant opportunities to fund incentive plans.

#### **Previous Updates:**

Nov. 2021 - Issued the September Boones Ferry Messenger as the first-ever newsletter dedicated fully to emergency preparedness

Over the past several months, 4-5 social media posts on Facebook (and other platforms) have been made encouraging preparedness and providing links to Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) preparation resources

Drafted scope of work with consultant to develop Community Education Plan, Emergency Education Campaign, and messaging information for use on website, events, etc.

Feb. 2022 - In October, included an article about the Oregon Great Shakeout event held in the Boones Ferry Messenger. This event is a reminder of the actions to take during an earthquake. As part of the exercise at 10:21, participants were asked to "Drop, Cover and Hold on".

In early December, an Emergency Preparedness survey was issued and advertised through various social media platforms, email newsletter and the Boones Ferry Messenger. The survey is a foundational public opinion survey which will inform the City's emergency education plan, messaging and campaign content and was offered in English and Spanish languages. The survey period was completed in early January and the results are being compiled.

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April 2022 - The emergency campaign brand was revealed.

At the March 21, 2022 Council Meeting staff presented information about Emergency Preparedness Program – Building a More Resilient Community. Included in the presentation were the results of the 155 responses to the Emergency Preparedness Survey along with proposed actions, communications, activities and themes for the Community Education Campaign. A new webpage was created <u>https://www.ci.wilsonville.or.us/ready</u> to provide one location for citizens to find information related to preparedness and resiliency.

March website focus was Emergency Transportation Routes and Transportation Planning.

Phone recharge battery packs with the Wilsonville Ready logo were purchased and will be used as an incentive for participation in preparedness activities.

July 2022 - Included articles in the Boones Ferry Messenger with the following topics:

- April Preparing Your Home for Catastrophe
- May Take Action Now to Protect Against Wildfires
- June Pets and Emergency Preparedness
- Updated WILSONVILLE READY website <u>https://www.ci.wilsonville.or.us/ready</u> to include videos, checklists and resource/toolkits related to the monthly topics of Home Preparedness, Extreme Heat/Wildfire and Preparing Your Pets.
- Made presentation with the theme of Let's get "2 WEEKS READY" to the Wilsonville Rotary Club on April 28.

Started planning for the Emergency Preparedness Fair to be held this fall. Quarterly Update: In Progress

October 2022 – Included articles in the Boones Ferry Messenger and posted information on <u>https://www.ci.wilsonville.or.us/ready</u> with the following topics: July – Be prepared for utility outages August – Get Two Week Ready September – General Emergency Preparedness (National Emergency Preparedness Month)

On July 12, City of Wilsonville staff and Tualatin Valley Fire and Rescue (TVFR) hosted a Community-Wide Program at the Charbonneau Country Club. City staff presented City's Emergency Preparedness Plan "Wilsonville Ready". TVFR talked about what actions citizens can take to help the first responders and how to cope with smoky air during wildfire season.

On September 1, between 10 am and noon, the City held an Emergency Preparedness Fair at the Stein-Boozier Barn. There were an estimated 100+ attendees. City staff and our partners – Portland General Electric, Clackamas County, Washington County, Wilsonville police, Tualatin Valley Fire and Rescue and Gregg & Rachel Leo – provided displays and shared information on how to be prepared for any type of emergency.

After the attendees visited the nine different information stations and received stamps on their event passport, they brought the passport to the redemption table. With a spin of "the wheel of disaster" it was determined what prize each attendee was awarded.

# Goal 7: Protect Wilsonville's environment and increase access to sustainable lifestyle choices

# <u>Strategy 7.1</u> Update the City's Comprehensive Plan to include a section on the environmental impacts of the Aurora State Airport.

**Project Description:** City is currently engaged with HHPR consulting to develop a scope of work for a citizen engagement process to update the Comprehensive Plan to include statements about the Aurora Airport. City staff has initiated this process and anticipates completion over the next 12 months.

#### Project Lead: Miranda Bateschell

**Project Timeline:** *City staff has initiated this process and anticipates completion over the next 12 months.* 

#### **Previous Updates:**

Nov. 2021 - Scope and schedule completed. Kickoff meeting for the project team scheduled for mid-October. Work sessions with Planning Commission in November and City Council in December scheduled to cover project scope and goals as well as initial stakeholder feedback.

Feb. 2022 - Kickoff meeting for the project team occurred in mid-October followed by work sessions with Planning Commission in November and City Council in December. Project team began outlining initial outreach and stakeholder interviews for early 2022.

April 2022- Following work sessions with the Planning Commission and City Council last quarter, the project team conducted community outreach on airport good-neighbor issues and policies. Community outreach included interviews with key stakeholders, a survey, and online open houses. The team also researched the approaches used by other communities in adopting good-neighbor policies related to nearby airports. The project team is busy drafting policies and objectives for the Wilsonville Comprehensive Plan, which will be the topic of discussion at upcoming work sessions with the Commission and Council.

July 2022 -The project team presented results of recent work and outreach results to the Planning Commission and City Council in April and May work sessions and gathered their feedback. The project team continued to develop draft policies for City adoption later in the summer.

#### Quarterly Update: In Progress

October 2022 - The project team presented draft Comprehensive Plan Policies to the Planning

# <u>Strategy 7.2</u> Participate in the Aurora State Airport planning discussions to represent Wilsonville's environmental interests.

**Project Description:** Participate in the Aurora Airport Master Plan public agency stakeholder group and keep up to date on all aspects of the Master Plan update. Use memorandums to inform Council and obtain direction under City Managers business or Communications for updates. Consider engaging with specialized airport consultants to assist with reviewing and fact checking data.

#### Project Lead: Chris Neamtzu

**Project Timeline:** Staff will keep the Council updated on all meetings over the next few months. A memo under City Manager's business or communications will be provided. This also will be brought to City Council meetings, as direction is needed.

#### **Previous Updates:**

Nov. 2021 - On October 13, 2021 the Oregon Department of Aviation announced the first PAC Meeting for the Aurora State Airport Master Plan Project. The meeting will be held virtually Tuesday, November 16, 2021 from 3:00pm-5:00pm via Zoom Webinar. This meeting will provide an opportunity for the PAC, community, neighbors, and other project stakeholders to learn about the Airport Master Plan project and the vision for the Airport over the next 20-years.

Feb. 2022 - On Tuesday November 16, 2021 the Oregon Department of Aviation (ODA) initiated an 18 month process to complete a new airport master plan for the Aurora Airport by facilitating Policy Advisory Committee (PAC) meeting #1. The purpose of the meeting was to introduce the project, establish an understanding of the role/expectations of the PAC, and prepare for upcoming meetings as well as provide opportunities for public input.

Staff from Century West and JLA Public Involvement led the meeting, supported by staff from the Oregon Department of Aviation. The meeting included a summary of history of planning efforts at the airport, Federal Aviation Administration plan overview, airport master planning introduction, and a brief discussion of existing conditions.

At 32 members, the PAC is very large. Members will provide input at key decision points in an advisory capacity; as a sounding board. No recommendations will be made by the committee; the group will be asked for feedback through poll questions and break out room discussions. All viewpoints will be represented in the meeting summaries. Perhaps most notable is that as the airport sponsor, ODA staff will be the final decision-making authority. They will decide what is included in the Master Plan.

#### April 2022 - Aurora Airport Master Plan PAC Meeting #2 and Public Open House #1

On Tuesday, March 1, 2022 the Oregon Department of Aviation (please note the new acronym ODAV) conducted Policy Advisory Committee meeting #2 on the Aurora Airport Master Plan. The meeting was attended by over 60 individuals. Following distribution of three draft chapters of the Master Plan document totaling over 75 pages three days prior to the PAC meeting, there was not sufficient time to read and absorb the substantial technical information contained in the materials prior to the PAC meeting. In response to concerns raised by staff, ODAV staff did offer to conduct an additional working session with interested PAC members and Century West Consultants to allow for PAC members to delve deeper into the presented materials. The working session is scheduled for April 5.

The first three chapters of material include:

- Introduction
- Existing Conditions Analysis (41 pages)
- Aviation Activity Forecasts (28 pages)

PAC meeting #2 was immediately followed by Public Open House #1, where an abbreviated presentation was made by the Century West consultant team, followed by citizen input and Q and A. The project team had very few answers to many of the questions raised, and stated that all questions would be written up with responses prepared as part of the summary notes and minutes that will be prepared for the two meetings.

#### Aurora Airport Master Plan Working Session on Chapters 1-3 of the Master Plan

On April 4, ODAV staff along with consultants from Century West conducted a two hour working session on chapters 1-3 of the draft Aurora Airport Master Plan. The purpose of the meeting was to continue conversations about existing conditions and preliminary forecasts (based aircraft and operations). The consultant briefly reviewed chapter 2 – existing conditions and chapter 3 – preliminary aviation activity forecasts. Each PAC member was given an opportunity to ask questions. Again, answers to most questions were not provided, and the ODAV team frequently deferred to the fact that "FAA will review" to determine adequacy.

ODAV also provided a very brief overview of the survey results that were collected as part of open house #1.

Several PAC members had concerns about the adequacy and accuracy of the data provided, and pointed out the flaws with the methodology that relies on a 2019 forecast that was based on information contained in the un-adopted 2012 Master Plan. Substantial comments on Chapters 1-3 were sent to ODAV on April 12. Staff submitted a 23 page letter with significant technical analysis and dozens of questions on the first three chapters of the master plan document.

Next PAC meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, May 3, 2022 from 3:00-5:00 pm on Zoom.

#### July 2022 - Aurora Airport Master Plan PAC Meeting #3

On Tuesday, May 3, ODAV conducted PAC meeting #3. The meeting was again challenged by technical difficulties, with the City's PAC alternative not receiving the link to the zoom meeting in a timely manner. The day after PAC/public comments were due to ODAV on April 12 for the draft Aurora State Airport Master Plan Chapters 1-3, ODAV submitted to FAA on April 13 the draft Chapters along with the public comments. ODAV shifted the focus of PAC meeting #3 to revisit what is

included in an Airport Master Plan and to respond to PAC member's requests to answer some of the questions raised at previous meetings.

Then, on April 29, ODAV requested FAA ignore ODAV's April 23 submission, and indicated that ODAV will be submitting an updated Draft Chapter 3 - Aviation Activity Forecasts in the coming weeks for FAA review. This updated draft chapter will include revisions and responses to comments received from the Planning Advisory Committee following PAC meeting #1 (February 25), PAC Meeting #2 and Open House (March 1), and the PAC work session (April 5). PAC comment period for Draft Chapter 3 closed on April 122. The reason for all of this appears to be the fact that the city's PAC member and staff raised significant concerns with the accuracy of the technical data included in the draft master plan leading to ODAV's request to withdraw the FAA review.

The next PAC meeting is not scheduled, but is anticipated to be sometime this summer.

#### Quarterly Update: In Progress

October 2022 - FAA staff has sent in their comments on draft chapters 1-3 of the Airport Master Plan and ODAV has posted a summary, as well as the full 17MB file of all FAA comments, on the project website's resource page: <u>https://publicproject.net/auroraairport</u>.

The Master Plan consulting team has taken months to review and make any necessary changes or revisions. In August, ODAV sent an email stating that in few weeks they will post the latest draft and schedule the next PAC meeting (and provide the standard 30-day notice of the meeting). It is anticipated that the next meeting will be a hybrid meeting (both in person and virtual). As of October 1, there have been no additional updates and the next PAC meeting has yet to be scheduled.

# <u>Strategy 7.3</u> Develop a Wilsonville climate action strategy in alignment with Clackamas County's planning efforts.

**Project Description:** Natural Resources Manager to track and participate in the Clackamas County process in developing a Climate Action Plan. Consider the creation of a local plan that represents Wilsonville's interests. Report to City Council regarding work products and status of planning effort.

Project Lead: Chris Neamtzu/ Kerry Rappold

Project Timeline: TBD

#### **Previous Updates:**

Nov. 2021 - The first meeting of the Cities Workgroup was held October 12, 2021. At the meeting, Staff, from cities in Clackamas County, provided information on their current climate goals and areas of action, and the County staff gave an overview of the planning process. During the development of the County's Climate Action Plan, the Natural Resources Manager will report to the City Council regarding work products and status of planning effort.

Feb. 2022 - At the December 20, 2021 Council work session, staff provided an overview of the County's planning process. During the development of the County's Climate Action Plan, the Natural

Resources Manager will report to the City Council regarding work products and status of the planning effort.

April 2022 - At the meetings, County Staff provided information about the current climate goals and areas of action, inventory data, and the planning process. Future meetings of the Cities Workgroup will be scheduled for late summer/early fall to learn about the feedback from the public involvement process, receive additional modeling information, and help finalize the draft Climate Action Plan. During the development of the County's Climate Action Plan, the Natural Resources Manager will report to the City Council regarding work products and status of the planning effort.

July 2022 - In June, a community survey was posted on the County's project webpage. A link to the survey was shared with residents and businesses in Wilsonville. During the development of the County's Climate Action Plan, the Natural Resources Manager will report to the City Council regarding work products and status of the planning effort.

#### **Quarterly Update: In Progress**

October 2022 - Future meetings of the Cities Workgroup will be scheduled for fall to learn about the feedback from the public involvement process, receive additional modeling information, and help finalize the draft Climate Action Plan. In June, a community survey was posted on the County's project webpage. The survey results and analysis, from the County's June survey, are available at: <u>https://www.clackamas.us/sustainability/climateaction</u>. The Natural Resources Manager will continue to report to the City Council regarding work products and status of the planning effort.

# <u>Strategy 7.4</u> Explore options to expand access to urban gardening and other sustainable lifestyle choices.

**Project Description:** Explore urban garden options at City Parks, such as Arrowhead Park, encourage Homeowner's Associations to do more community gardening, and provide annual programming for sustainable lifestyle choices.

Project Lead: Kris Ammerman, Jeanna Troha

#### Project Timeline: TBD

#### **Previous Updates:**

Nov. 2021 - Staff provided estimates the cost to be \$100,000 (hard costs only) based on a garden similar in size to our current one in Memorial Park. Actual size would be dictated by site restrictions. Labor will be provided by the park maintenance team.

- Irrigation \$35,000
- Raised beds \$35,000
- Fence \$20,000
- Other \$10,000

Staff identified these location considerations;

- West side of town (Geographical Equity)
- Initially we looked at locating a garden at Arrowhead park, but there were too many conflicts with existing infrastructure
- Exact location undetermined at this time: only potential City owned site is Boones Ferry Park (excessive shade is the biggest concern with this site)
- Other potential sites would require Partnerships with community organizations (Churches, HOA's, School District, CREST, others?)

Feb. 2022 - Staff changed the community garden policy to allow only one garden plot (formerly multiple) per household, which allows the garden to serve more residents. Staff also conducted several educational programs on the benefits of composting and gave away 500 composting buckets to Wilsonville residents to promote sustainable lifestyle choices. The compose buckets were funded by a Wilsonville-Metro Community Enhancement Grant. Staff are still exploring potential locations, partnerships and funding options to develop a new community garden location within the city.

April 2022- As of opening day (April 21, 2022) there are still garden plots available to community members. We will monitor the demand this season and continue to look for opportunities for additional garden sites based on need.

July 2022- This season the Parks and Recreation Department changed our policy to allow gardening year round and only one plot per household in our Memorial Park Community Garden. Previously households were allowed to have multiple plots. We did this in an effort to be more inclusive and serve more residents. We achieved this by having more first time gardeners sign up for the program. At the end of the registration period we still had 28 plots remaining, which tells us that we are not yet at capacity. After the registration period closed we reopened the remaining plots and allowed gardeners to sign up for a second plot at that time. The plots did fill up when we allowed gardeners a second plot.

We believe the success with this policy change was two-fold:

- 1) We were able to serve more residents
- 2) It demonstrated that our Community Garden is not yet at capacity since we still had 28 plots remaining at the end of the initial registration period.

#### Quarterly Update: In Progress

October 2022 - No Update.

<u>Strategy 7.5</u> Continue implementation of Wilsonville's existing environmental programs and practices

Project Description:

Project Lead: TBD

Project Timeline:

Quarterly Update: