

An aerial photograph of a suburban neighborhood with many houses and trees. In the background, there is a large body of water and a mountain range under a clear sky. The text is overlaid on a dark blue rectangular background.

2026 State Legislative Agenda

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Why a Legislative Agenda



- City has historically adopted an agenda
- Reinforces City policy and priorities
- Guides staff response to legislation
- Tool for legislators

Types of Positions



- *Initiatives*: primary objectives or City-sponsored bills, timely for next session
- *Priorities*: similarly important objectives, may take longer to achieve or be led by partners
- *Principles*: steady policy positions and values statements, guide staff response to legislation proposed by others

2026 Initiatives



- Frontage Improvement Conditions Technical Fix
 - City proposed language in 2025 session that was not incorporated in final bill, seeking technical adjustment
- Oregon Housing Needs Analysis (OHNA) Rules
 - Lack of safe harbor and local control
 - Not aligned with original legislative intent for when punitive measures apply

2026 Priorities



- Boone Bridge Replacement Project
- Public Meetings Law interpretation
- Infrastructure financing
- Homelessness management

2026 Principles



- 18 principles in the categories of:
 - Governance
 - Transportation and public transit
 - Natural resources and environment
 - Housing and community development
 - Economy and workforce
- Reflective of longstanding Wilsonville positions

2026 Legislative Context



- “Short session” – 35 days maximum
- 2 bills per legislator, 3 per committee
- Coming off the transportation-focused special session
- State facing \$300 million plus budget deficit
- Little appetite for legislation with fiscal impact

Adoption / Questions



- Questions?
- Consider adoption tonight under New Business