Tigard: Affordable Housing and the SW Corridor

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Tigard's Citywide Housing Affordability Initiatives

□ SDC Deferrals for Housing (2020)

- Construction Excise Tax of 1% on commercial and residential development to fund Affordable Housing programs (2019)
- Incentive Zoning for Affordable Housing in the Downtown Plan District, potential density and height bonuses (2019)
- Affordable Housing Plan (2019)
- Update to Non-Profit Affordable Housing Tax Exemption Program (originally adopted in 1996), adds land-banking provisions (2019)
- SDC Exemption for Accessory Dwelling Units (2019)
- □ SDC Exemptions for Regulated Affordable Housing (2018)
- Housing Options Code Updates missing middle (2018)

Tigard Citywide Affordable Housing

Current Citywide Regulated Affordable Units: 690 units

Under construction: 312 units

- Fields- 264 units (1 mile from LRT station*)
- Red Rock Creek Commons- 48 units- (0.12 mile from LRT station)

Known planning: 140 units

o 80 units: Community Development Partners –

(0.25 mile from LRT station)

o 60 units: NHA Senior Center- (0.5 mile from LRT station)

Additional 500 units in potential pipeline

Potential total citywide total: 952 new affordable homes





SW Corridor Equitable Housing Strategy







Commit early financial resources to address near-term housing crisis and long-term needs





Prevent residential and cultural displacement



Goal 3

Increase choices for new homes for all household types and incomes

SW Corridor Equitable Housing Strategy Stretch Targets

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600 constructed

150-300 acquired and/or converted

Total: 750-900 affordable homes

SW Corridor Equitable Housing Strategy Implementation

Implemented through Tigard Affordable Housing Plan

- Metro CET grant led to Senior Center Senior Housing (50-60 units) currently being planned with Northwest Housing Alternatives
- Coordinating with TriMet on interagency Affordable Housing Memorandum of Understanding.

Pilot project for affordable home ownership and land trusts

\$25K to fund the community-centered organizational structure to champion and implement the strategy

Continuing to work with Unite Oregon on citywide equity issues





- Metro CET grant-funded Tigard Triangle Equitable Urban Renewal Implementation Strategy
- Worked with Unite Oregon to develop community priorities
- Ranked affordable housing development assistance as top near term urban renewal investment priority- up to \$2 million available 2021-2023 budgets