



Transportation & Growth Management Program (TGM)

TGM is a partnership between ODOT and the Oregon Dept. of Land Conservation & Development.

TGM supports community efforts to expand transportation choices for people. By linking land use and transportation planning, TGM works in partnership with local governments to create vibrant, livable places in which people can walk, bike, take transit or drive where they want to go



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Tualatin Town Center TGM Outreach Public Workshop June 1, 2009				
Town Center Improvement Oplions		Flease Check Preference		
Do You Agree with the Fol	iowing Recommendations?	_	_	_
1. Center Street Concep	N	Yes	No	Other
2. Retail 'Main Street' Co	ancept	Yes	No No	Other
3. Town Center Plaza Co	oncept	Yes	No No	Other
4. Protected Bicycle/Pe	destrian Route Concept	Yes	D No	Other
5. Employment Location	Concept	Yes	No.	Other
				Cother





1995 - Astoria Gateway District Plan 1999 - Downtown Safeway Redevelopment Plan 2000 - Clatsop College Downtown Campus Plan 2003 - Downtown Retail Revitalization Strategy 2007 - Port of Astoria Master Plan



Downtown and Riverfront Plan, Milwaukie, Oregon 2002 Professional Achievement in Planning Award, APA, Oregon Chapter Adopted – 2000



2000 Community/Town Plan, Merit Award: Gold Nugget Awards 1999 Ahwanee Award 1998 Master Planned Community of the Year, National Association of Home Builders



2001 National Honor Award for Regional & Urban Design: American Institute of Architects 2000 Special Achievement Award: International Downtown Association























Background Information Reviewed

- Tualatin Transportation System Plan
- Tualatin Tomorrow Strategic Plan
- Central Urban Renewal Plan
- Tualatin Community Plan and Development Code
- City of Tualatin's Local Aspirations
- I-5 to 99W Connector Project Alternative 7
- Metro Growth Plan
- City of Tualatin Parks and Recreation Master Plan





















































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Great Streets = Great Downtowns



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Great Streets

- Help Make Community
- Are Physically Comfortable & Safe
- Are Symbols of a Community and It's History
- Can Be Remembered
- Are Joyful and Utilitarian
- Have Magic


























































What People Want:

- Convenience
- Bargains
- A retail "experience"





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Fundamental Characteristics Great Public Space

- In the center of the city
- At a crossroads (retail/pedestrian/auto/transit)
- Surrounded by buildings with active ground floor uses
- A place for:
 - All ages
 - All seasons
 - All hours of the day
- With large paved areas for holding public events
- Simple and elegant design

City Planning Ordinances of the Laws of the Indies

In 1573 Philip II of Spain issued a series of 148 ordinances regulating the planning and design of colonial cities in the Spanish Empire.

Open Space - Ordinance 112

The main plaza is to be the starting point for the town; if the town is situated on the seacoast it should be placed at the landing place of the port, but inland it should be at the center of the town. The plaza should be square or rectangular, in which case it should have at least one and a half its width for length inasmuch as this shape is best for fiestas in which horses are used and for any other fiestas that should be held.









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Critical National Issues

Environmental

- Global warming Economic
- Energy shortage
- Rising energy costs
 Health









































Bicycle Use Comparison

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Utrecht	(288,000)	31%	23%	46%	
 Wageninger 	ר (33,000)	41%	18%	41%	
CRANDALL ARAMBULA PC					



















































Potential Annual Economic Stimulus*					
	Population	Annual Stimulus			
Portland	545,140	\$1,560 million			
Salem	142,940	409 million			
Lake Oswego	37,000	106 million			
Pendleton	17,500	50 million			
* \$79 million for every 27,	600 population				

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Fundamental Requirements Office/Employment

- Medium to large parcels
- Good front door address
- Easy auto ingress and egress
- Adequate parking
- Adjacent to other offices
- High visibility
- Adjacent to pleasant surroundings














Fundamental Characteristics "Market Rate" High Density Housing

- In a "prestige" location
- Adjacent to other "Market Rate" Housing
- Adjacent to amenities (open space, shops, restaurants, entertainment and cultural)
- A safe environment
- Buffered from traffic noise
- On a pedestrian friendly street

Fundamental Requirements Senior Friendly Housing

- Housing near essential services (groceries, pharmacies, and public transportation)
- Housing near public amenities (parks, community centers, etc.)
- Housing choices (apartments and condominiumsmarket rate and affordable)
- Potential for retirement communities (independent living, assisted living, adult care)
- ADA accessible streets and public spaces

Fundamental Characteristics Multi-Family Housing

- Near parks and schools
- Close to a grocery store and other services
- On a pedestrian friendly street
- A safe environment
- Buffered from traffic noise
- Easy access to transit











































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