PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE



THE CITY OF OAKRIDGE PLANNING COMMISSION WILL HAVE A PUBLIC HEARING

Amendments to Oakridge Zoning and/or Comprehensive Plan

The City of Oakridge Planning Commission will hold a Public Hearing at **7:00 p.m. on Tuesday March 17th 2020 at the Council Chambers located at the Willamette Activity Center Room 8, 47674 School Street, Oakridge OR, 97463** to consider proposing recommendations to City Council on adoption of the 2020 Oakridge Transportation System Plan.

Summary of Proposed Adoption

The City of Oakridge Transportation System Plan (TSP) is a long-range plan that sets the vision for the city's transportation system, facilities, and services to meet state, regional, and local needs for the next 20 years. The purpose of the TSP update is to address growth in Oakridge as well as regulatory changes that have occurred since adoption of the City's previous TSP. Within the proposed TSP will be proposed amendments to the City of Oakridge Land Use, Development Codes and for the TSP to be adopted as the Transportation element of the Comprehensive Plan. The overall principles of the TSP are to assist in meeting the following goals:

Goal 1 – Economic Development Goal 2 – Transportation System Characteristics Goal 3 – Mobility for All Goal 4 – Transportation and Land Use Planning Goal 5 – Plan Implementation Goal 6 – Safety

To Learn more about the Proposals: Call City Staff contact assigned to this Project, the staff report will be available for viewing on March 10th, 2020 at the following Locations

- City Hall, 48318 East 1st Street (open from 8am to 1pm and re-open at 2pm to 5pm)
- Oakridge Library (call 541-782-2258 for current hours)
- TSP Website http://oakridgetsp.com/

Copies of the information on the TSP can be obtained for a reasonable fee (\$.25 per page) Copies of the applicable City Ordinances and the Comprehensive Plan are also available for review at the locations listed above.

To comment on a proposal: You are invited to attend this hearing or submit comments in writing before the meeting time. You may send written comments in advance to the staff contact listed above, or you may submit your comments in person at the hearing. If you want to present verbal testimony, either pro, con, or to raise questions, you will be invited to speak during the public comment sections of the meeting. All written and verbal comments become part of the permanent record.

If you have any questions, please contact Rick Zylstra, Community Services Director in the Planning Department at 541-782-2258 or email to <u>rickzylstra@ci.oakridge.or.us</u>

TESTIMONY MAY BE PRESENTED AT THE HEARING OR BY SUBMITTING A WRITTEN STATEMENT TO THE CITY RECORDER AT OAKRIDGE CITY HALL BEFORE 5:00 P.M. MARCH 17, 2020, OR AT THE HEARING. FAILURE TO RAISE AN ISSUE AT THIS HEARING, IN PERSON OR BY LETTER, OR FAILURE TO PROVIDE SUFFICIENT SPECIFICITY TO AFFORD THE DECISION-MAKER AN OPPORTUNITY TO RESPOND TO THE ISSUE PRECLUDES APPEAL TO THE STATE OF OREGON LAND USE BOARD OF APPEALS BASED ON THAT ISSUE. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ABOUT THIS NOTICE, PLEASE CONTACT JACKIE SIMS, (541) 782-2258

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