



# MULTNOMAH COUNTY AGENDA PLACEMENT REQUEST

(Revised: 09/23/13)

## Board Clerk Use Only

**Meeting Date:** 12/1/16  
**Agenda Item #:** R.1  
**Est. Start Time:** 9:30 am  
**Date Submitted:** 11/3/16

**Agenda Title:** Public Hearing and First Reading of Ordinance Amending Multnomah County's Comprehensive Plan, Including the Comprehensive Plan Map and the Multnomah County Transportation System Plan, to Incorporate the City of Portland's 2035 Comprehensive Plan, Including the Associated Comprehensive Plan Map and Transportation System Plan.

*Note: Title should not be more than 2 lines but sufficient to describe the action requested. Title on APR must match title on Ordinance, Resolution, Order or Proclamation.*

## Requested

**Meeting Date:** December 1, 2016 **Time Needed:** 20 minutes  
**Department:** Community Services **Division:** Land Use Planning  
**Contact(s):** Michael Cerbone, Planning Director  
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## Presenter

**Name(s) & Title(s):** Michael Cerbone, Multnomah County Planning Director, and Eric Engstrom, City of Portland Principal Planner

## General Information

### 1. What action are you requesting from the Board?

Conduct a public hearing and adopt the proposed Ordinance.

### 2. Please provide sufficient background information for the Board and the public to understand this issue. Please note which Program Offer this action affects and how it impacts the results.

Pursuant to an intergovernmental agreement executed in 2002 (the "IGA"), the City of Portland, Oregon (City), provides, with certain exceptions, land use planning services for those areas of unincorporated Multnomah County located within the City's Urban Services Boundary (the "Unincorporated Urban Areas").

Because the County retains legislative authority over the Unincorporated Urban Areas, the County assumed an obligation in the IGA to amend County land use policies and regulations to apply applicable City land use policies and regulations, and all subsequent amendments thereto, to the Unincorporated Urban Areas.

Through Ordinance No. 187832 (June 15, 2016), the City Council adopted the 2035 Comprehensive Plan, including the associated Comprehensive Plan Map, as well as amendments to its Transportation System Plan. These legislative actions by the City fall within the scope of the IGA.

With respect to City Ordinance No. 187832, the most direct impact to the Unincorporated Urban Areas is the redesignation of 137 residential lots to a lower residential density. This redesignation is due to, and consistent with, the site and infrastructure constraints associated with these lots.

**3. Explain the fiscal impact (current year and ongoing).**

Adoption of the City's Plan has no fiscal impact on the County. The City will incur the cost of preparing and mailing notice of the Board's hearing on this matter and recoups its IGA-related planning services costs through collection of application fees.

**4. Explain any legal and/or policy issues involved.**

Notice requirements have been satisfied as described in Section 5 below.

Because the City's Plan was adopted as a periodic review task rather than as a post-acknowledgement plan amendment, the City's adopting ordinance specified a delayed effective date of January 1, 2018, to provide for review by the Oregon Land Conservation and Development Commission.

Through the IGA, the City and County agreed to coordinate the effective dates of legislative acts; accordingly, the effective date proposed for this ordinance is the effective date specified in City Ordinance No. 187832, January 1, 2018.

Under the IGA, if the Board chooses not to adopt the proposed Ordinance, the City may terminate the IGA; in such event, the County would resume responsibility for land use planning in the Unincorporated Urban Areas.

**5. Explain any citizen and/or other government participation that has or will take place.**

Pursuant to State and City notice requirements, as well as the terms of the IGA, the City provided public notice of their pending action on City Ordinance No. 187832 to all affected property owners, including all property owners within the Unincorporated Urban Areas, and provided such property owners an opportunity to be heard at several public hearings culminating with hearings before the City's Planning Commission and the City Council. In addition, the City has notified the property owners with the Unincorporated Urban Areas of this hearing before the Board. Further, the Board Clerk has published notice of this public hearing of this ordinance in accordance with state and county notice requirements.

The City's Planning Commission considered and recommend the legislative actions proposed in City Ordinance No. 187832 in accordance with the City Planning Commission's public legislative process.

The City Council considered and took the legislative actions set forth in City Ordinance No. 187832 in accordance with the City Council's public legislative process.

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**Required Signature**

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**Elected  
Official or  
Department  
Director:**

/s/ Kim E. Peoples

**Date:**

November 3, 2016

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