

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING Amendments to Milwaukie Municipal Code

The Milwaukie Planning Commission will hold a public hearing at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, April 22, **2025** to consider a recommendation for proposed text amendments to the City's natural resources regulations (codified in Section 19.402 of the Milwaukie Municipal Code (MMC)) to generally improve the functioning and effectiveness of the existing regulations (file #ZA-2025-001).

The Planning Commission will hold this meeting both in person at City Hall (10501 SE Main St) and through Zoom video.

The public may participate in this meeting in person or by joining the Zoom webinar. The public may watch live on the city's YouTube channel or Comcast Cable channel 30 in city limits.

To participate in this meeting by phone dial 1-253-205-0468 and enter Webinar ID 863 9991 3734 and Passcode 629606. To raise your hand by phone dial \*9.

Written comments may be submitted by email to <u>planning@milwaukieoregon.gov</u>. The Planning Commission will take verbal comments. For Zoom webinar login information visit

https://www.milwaukieoregon.gov/bc-pc/planning-commission-85.

## Key Points of Proposed Changes to MMC Section 19.402 (Natural Resources)

- Provide a clear and objective review path for limited disturbance of water quality resources for housing development.
- Integrate the residential tree protections of MMC Chapter 16.32 (Tree Code).
- Simplify the process for verifying habitat conservation areas.

The amendments would apply only to properties that include designated water quality resource (WQR) or habitat conservation area (HCA) resources.

To learn more about the proposal: Call the staff contact assigned to the proposal or visit the project webpage at http://www.milwaukieoregon.gov/planning/za-2025-001. The staff report on the proposal will also be available after 9 a.m. on Tuesday, April 15, 2025, on the City's website at the meeting website noted above.

Copies of information in the file can be obtained for a reasonable fee. Copies of applicable City ordinances and the Comprehensive Plan are also available for review on the City's website.

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 below, or you may submit

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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 following the staff report presentation. Testimony and comments at this hearing must be directed towards the criteria identified. If you submit a written comment or comment in person at the hearing, you will be sent a copy of the decision or recommendation. All written and verbal comments become part of the permanent record.

Failure to raise an issue with sufficient specificity, and accompanied by statements or evidence sufficient to afford the responsible parties an opportunity to respond to the issue, will preclude any appeal on that issue to the Land Use Board of Appeals (LUBA).

If you have any questions, please contact Brett Kelver, Senior Planner, in the Planning Department at 503-786-7657 or kelverb@milwaukieoregon.gov.

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