



CITY OF GEARHART

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THIS IS TO NOTIFY YOU THAT THE CITY OF GEARHART HAS PROPOSED LAND USE REGULATIONS THAT MAY AFFECT PERMISSIBLE USES OR THE VALUE OF YOUR PROPERTY AND OTHER PROPERTIES IN THE GEARHART URBAN GROWTH BOUNDARY

Notice is hereby given the Gearhart City Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on Thursday, September 9, 2021 at 6:00 pm., Gearhart City Hall 698 Pacific Way, Gearhart, Oregon 97138. The purpose of the hearing is to consider the first draft of a proposed Gearhart Parks and Recreation Master Plan prepared by the Park Plan Citizens Advisory Committee and funded by the Oregon Park and Recreation Department.

PROPOSAL: The proposal amends the Gearhart Comprehensive Plan by referencing and enacting the Gearhart Parks and Recreation Plan policies, strategies and maps. The amendments apply to sections of the Comprehensive Plan including the General Development Goals, Recreation Goal 8, Transportation Goal 12, Necanicum Estuary Goal 16, Coastal Shorelands Goal 17, Beaches and Dunes Goal 18. The amendments apply to the Gearhart Zoning Ordinance Sections 3.9 Parks and Open Space Zone, 4.080 Pedestrian Access, Circulation & Bike Parking provisions.

REVIEW CRITERIA: Relevant approval criteria are found in the Gearhart Zoning Ordinance Article 11 Amendment Criteria; the Gearhart Comprehensive Plan and the Oregon Statewide Planning Goals.

All documents and evidence relied upon and applicable criteria pertinent to the amendments will be available for review on the city website www.cityofgearhart.com and at Gearhart City Hall at the office of Chad Sweet, 503-738-5501 and copies may be obtained at a reasonable cost. The Draft Plan and staff reports will be available for inspection at no cost and may be obtained at reasonable cost seven (7) days prior to the hearing. All interested parties are invited to express their opinion for or against the request at the hearing or by letter addressed to the Gearhart Planning Commission, Post Office Box 2510, Gearhart, Oregon 97138, or by email at planning@cityofgearhart.com received prior to 4:00 o'clock pm the day of the hearing. The public hearing will be conducted in accordance with Section 13.050 of the Gearhart Zoning Ordinance. The final decision will be made by the Gearhart City Council.

Any person testifying may appeal the decision, however, failure to raise an issue, including constitutional or other issues regarding conditions of approval, with sufficient specificity to afford the City and parties to the request an opportunity to respond to the issues precludes appeal on said issue to the State Land Use Board of Appeals (LUBA), or to seek damages in circuit court due to a condition of approval.

About this Notice: In 1988 Oregon voters passed a law known as Ballot Measure 56. It requires that notices be mailed to landowners when a change in land-use laws might limit the use of their property. The law requires the City of Gearhart to use the wording in such notices, even though the wording does not describe the likely effects from the change in land use laws. The Measure also requires the notice to say that the City of Gearhart has determined that the proposed land use changes "*may change the value of your property*". However, the City of Gearhart does not know how these amendments might affect the value of your property, if at all.

NOTICE TO MORTGAGE LIENHOLDER, VENDOR OR SELLER: ORS 215 REQUIRES THAT IF YOU RECEIVE THIS NOTICE IT MUST BE PROMPTLY FORWARDED TO THE PURCHASER.

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