# Inclusionary Housing Program Recommendations



#### **PORTLAND HOUSING BUREAU**

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### Senate Bill 1533 Background

- Mandatory affordability at 80% AMI and above
- Applies to rental and for-sale buildings with 20+ units
- Affordable units limited to 20% of all units
- Requires incentives for affordable units, such as SDC or fee waivers, financing, and tax exemptions
- Fee-in-lieu option

#### **Process Overview**

April 2016: Panel experts appointed and meetings begin
May 2016: Development prototypes
June 2016: Financial modeling assumptions
July 2016: Nexus analysis
August 2016: Economic and feasibility analysis
September 2016: Program Recommendations

#### Nearly 40 hours of public meetings over 7 months

#### **Policy Framework**

- Citywide program, calibrating the inclusion rate and incentives by geography
- Set mandatory program at 80% AMI, and develop supplemental incentives to reach below 60% AMI
- Prioritize units on site over fee-in-lieu revenue or units off-site

### **Policy Framework Continued**

- Inclusionary housing requirement for all buildings with 20 or more units
- Inclusionary units maintain comparable size, composition, and unit distribution in the building
- Maintain affordable units for 99 years
- Develop a policy that does not impede market rate development

#### **Program Recommendations** Mixed Use Zones

Proposed Comprehensive Plan Designation			Future Implementing Zones				
Mixed Use Dispersed			CM1, CE				
Mixed Use Neighborhood			CM1, CM2, CE				
Mixed Use Civic Corridor			CM1, CM2, CM3, CE				
Mixed Use Urban Center			CM1, CM2, CM3				
	Current Zones						
<b>Comprehensive Plan Designation</b>	CN1/2	CO1/2	СМ	CS	CG	EX	сх
Mixed Use Dispersed	CM1	CM1	CM1	CM1	CM1# CE#	CM1	n/a
Mixed Use Neighborhood	CM1	CM1+ CM2+	CM2	CM2	CM2# CE#	CM2	n/a
Mixed Use Civic Corridor	CM1	CM1+ CM2+	CM2	CM2	CM2# CE#	CM3	CM3
Mixed Use Urban Center	CM1	CM1+ CM2+	CM2	CM2	CM2# CE#	CM3	CM3

Commercial Mixed-Use 1 (CM1)





#### Mixed Use Zones Inclusion Rates

- Mandatory Inclusionary Requirement
  - Initial rate of 15% of Units at 80% AMI
  - In 2019, 20% of Units at 80% AMI
- Deeper Affordability Option
  - Initial rate of 8% of Units at 60% AMI
  - In 2019, 10% of Units at 60% AMI

#### •2-Year Phasing of Fee-in-Lieu

#### Mixed Use Zones Incentives

- Density Bonus
- •10 Year Property Tax Exemption on Affordable Units
- CET Exemption on Affordable Units
- Waiver of Parking Requirements
- •SDC Waivers on affordable units at 60% AMI

#### **Program Recommendations** *Central City*



#### Central City Inclusion Rates

- Mandatory Inclusionary Requirement
  - 20% of Units at 80% AMI
- Deeper Affordability Option
  - 10% of Units at 60% AMI

#### Central City Incentives

- Density Bonus
- 10 Year Property Tax Exemption on all units for sites with base FAR 5.0+
- CET Exemption on Affordable Units
- •SDC Waivers on affordable units at 60% AMI

#### Options to Comply

- Include affordable units in new development
- •Pay the fee-in-lieu
- Offsite Option
  - Build new units or dedicate market rate units as affordable
  - Location must be no more than 1/2 mile from sending site, or in an area with an equal or better opportunity mapping score
  - Units must be comparable in site, quality and bedroom count

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