

# Residential Infill Project Proposed Draft

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# **Three Project Topics**



Smaller houses that better fit existing neighborhoods



More housing options for people's changing needs



Clear and fair rules for narrow lot development



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# Scale of Houses

- 1. Limit the size of houses while maintaining flexibility
- 2. Revise how height is measured
- 3. Improve front setbacks to better reflect those of adjacent houses
- 4. Improve building design





# **Housing Options**

Portland

- 5. Create a new Additional Housing Options overlay zone
- 6. Apply the new overlay zone in select areas
- 7. Provide incentives for affordable housing and historic preservation
- 8. Encourage more cottage cluster development





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# Housing OptionsCurrently allowed housing types:



#### Additional allowed housing types:

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### **Narrow Lots**

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- 9. Rezone some historically narrow lots from R5 to R2.5.
- 10. Improve building design for all narrow lots (less than 32 feet wide). BLIGAN

### 11. Revise cules for the R2.5 zone.





# Parking Summary

1 space per unit, except:

- Within 500' of "peak service"
- ADU
- Historically narrow lots (if provided, prohibited between the building and the street)
- 'a' overlay housing types
- Lots on alleys (if provided, must use alley)







# Testimony to date





### **Project Proposals**



#### **SCALE OF HOUSES**

- **1. Reduce size**
- 2. Revise height
- 3. Increase setbacks
- 4. Improve design



#### HOUSING OPTIONS

- 5. ADU's Duplexes, Triplexes
- 6. New 'a' overlay
- 7. Incent affordable units Historic resource flexibility
- 8. Cottage clusters

#### NARROW LOTS

- 9. Rezone lots
- **10.** Improve building design
- 11. Revise R2.5 rules