

DOZA Design Overlay Zone Amendments

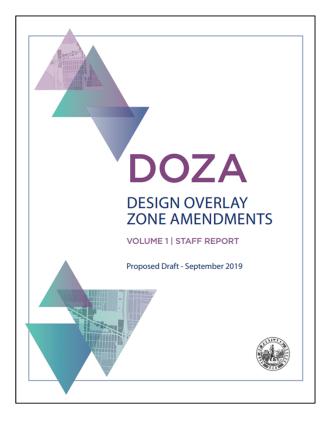
Joint Commission Hearing Planning and Sustainability Commission Design Commission

October 22, 2019

Timeline



What's in the DOZA Proposed Draft?



Volume 1: Staff Report

Volume 2: Code and Map Amendments

Volume 3: Portland Citywide Design Guidelines

Volume 4: Appendices (portlandoregon.gov/bps/doza)

- Appendix A: BDS Administrative Improvements
- Appendix B: Housing Affordability Memo (February 6, 2017)
- Appendix C: What We Heard Report
- Appendix D: Consultant Testing of Draft Standards and Guidelines

VALUE STATEMENTS

- The design of places matters
- Quality of design is more successful when it is inclusive
- Good design does not have to be expensive
- Design of new development should amplify character of a place and community
- Design can be discussed in everyday language



DOZA Proposals



- 1. **PURPOSE** of the Design overlay zone
- 2. MAP of where the Design overlay zone applies
- 3. THRESHOLDS for reviewing projects
- 4. **PROCESS** for reviewing projects
- 5. TOOLS for evaluating projects
 - Portland Citywide Design Guidelines
 - Design Standards

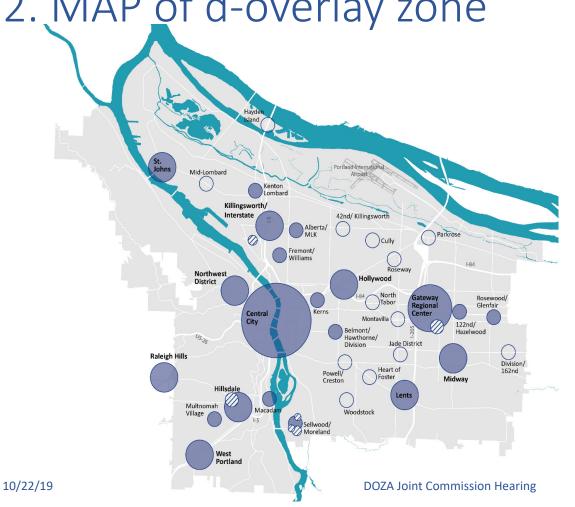
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1. Purpose of Design Overlay Zone

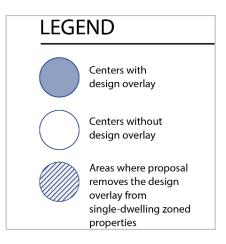


- Ensures that Portland is a city designed for people.
- Supports the city's evolution within current and emerging centers.
- Promotes design excellence through tools that:
 - <u>Build on context</u> by enhancing the distinctive physical, natural, historic and cultural qualities of the location while accommodating growth and change;
 - <u>Contribute to a **public realm**</u> that encourages social interaction and fosters inclusivity in people's daily experience; and
 - <u>Promotes quality and long-term resilience</u> in the face of changing demographics, climate and economy.



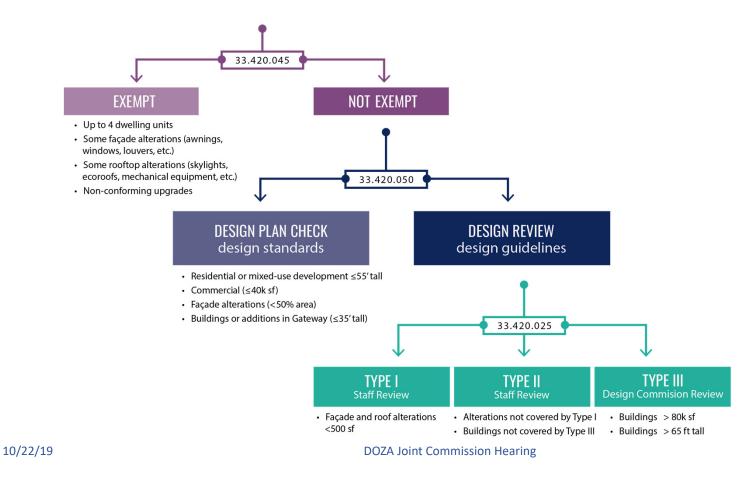
2. MAP of d-overlay zone

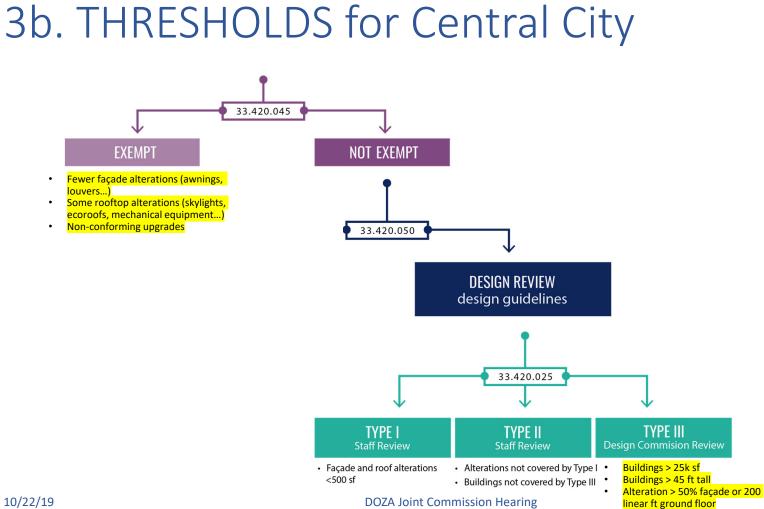
Remove the Design overlay zone from singledwelling-zoned properties outside of the Terwilliger Design District



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3a. THRESHOLDS for outside Central City





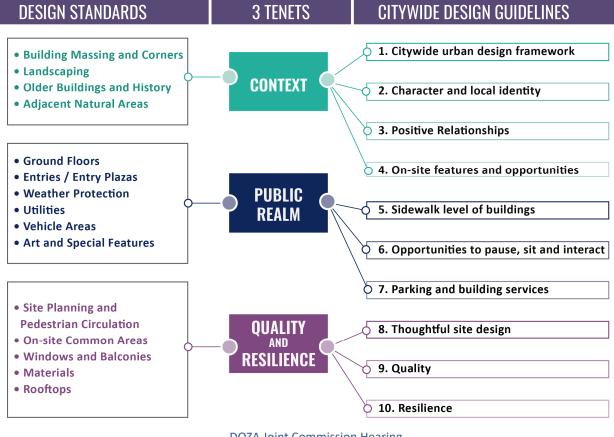
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4. PROCESS for reviewing projects



- a. Update the Design Commission membership rules
- b. Align Type III process with applicant's process (DAR)
- c. Make administrative improvements
- d. Clarify that design review cannot require a reduction of proposed FAR
- e. Clarify that mitigation may be required for modifications

5. TOOLS for reviewing projects



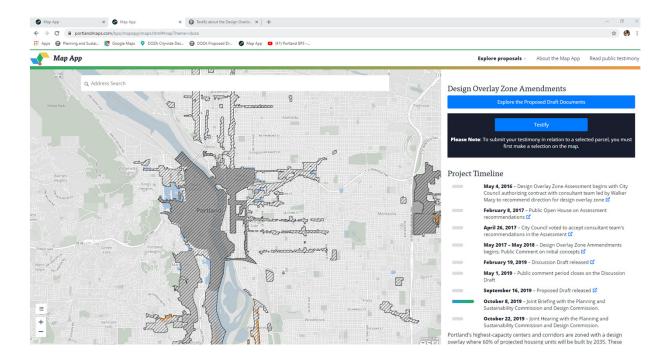
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Public Testimony

• At the hearing today



- Map App:
 - <u>https://www.portlandmaps.com/bps/testimony/</u>
 - Select "DOZA"

Public Testimony open until November 15 at 5pm