



# LOWER SOUTHEAST RISING



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**Welcome to the  
Lower Southeast Rising Area Plan  
Project Advisory Committee!**



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# Agenda

Time	Agenda Item
6:00 p.m.	Welcome and opening remarks
6:10 p.m.	Project Advisory Committee introductions and opening discussion
6:30 p.m.	Public comment
6:35 p.m.	Presentation: Background information
7:15 p.m.	Wrap up and next steps



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# City and Agency Staff Introductions

## Project Team Introductions

- **Bureau of Planning and Sustainability (BPS) staff** – Marty Stockton, Bill Cunningham, Eric Engstrom, and Andrea Pastor
- **Portland Bureau of Transportation (PBOT) staff** – Bryan Poole, Mauricio Leclerc, Zef Wagner, Corrine Montana, and Shane Valle
- **Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) staff** – Hector Rodriguez-Ruiz

Comments/questions can be shared directly to Bryan and Marty [via email](#)



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# Project Advisory Committee Introductions

- Name and Preferred Pronoun (if comfortable)
- What is your relationship to the Project Area?
- What motivated you to participate in this committee?



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# Public Comment



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# Presentation: Background Information



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# What Will We Cover Today?

- Project background
- Why the City (BPS and PBOT) is initiating this project
- Project goals and timeline
- Committee charge and bylaws
- Committee roadmap



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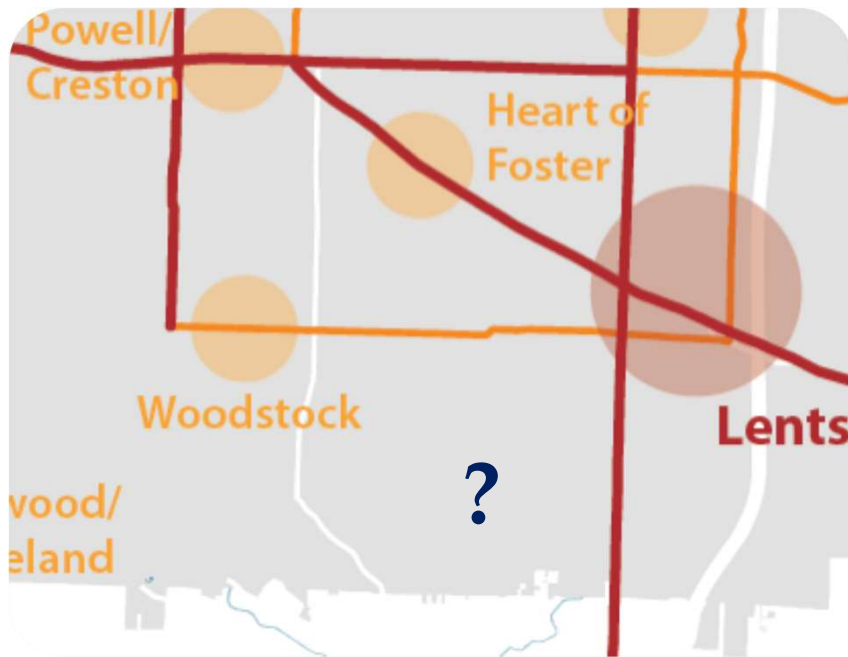
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# Why the City is initiating this project

## Study Area Exploration

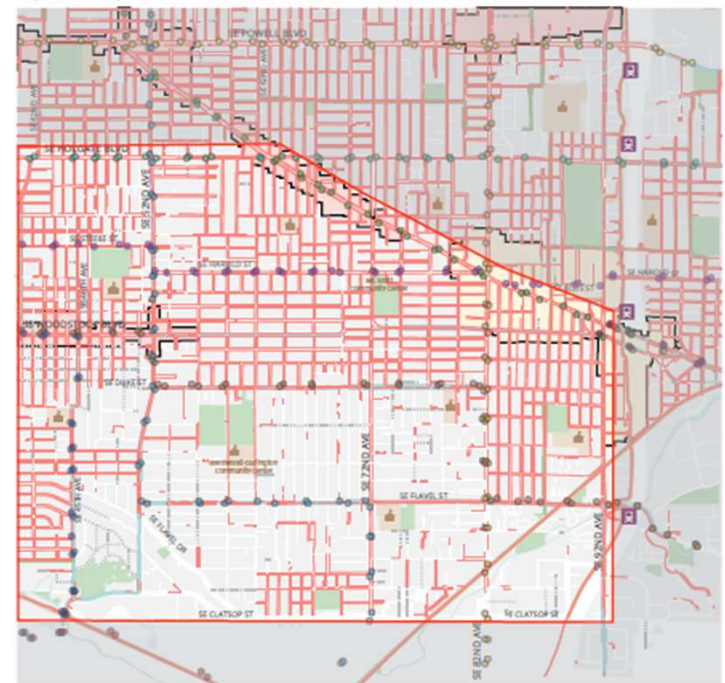


### LOWER SOUTHEAST RISING AREA PLAN PROJECT MAP



#### Project Elements:

- |  |   |   |
|--|---|---|
|  Project area               |  Bike lane             |  Town Center         |
|  Sidewalk                   |  Neighborhood greenway |  Neighborhood Center |
|  Gravel / unimproved street |  Multi-use path        |  School              |
|  |   |  Park                |
- MAX stops:  Bus stops: Line 9 Line 10 Line 14 Line 17 Line 19 Line 34 Line 71 Line 72 Line 73 Line 75



## Project Goals

The goal of this plan is to develop strategies to **increase livability and housing stability**, as well as improve access to employment, schools, local services and amenities, and recreational opportunities.

Specifically, the project will:

- Explore potential new neighborhood commercial and housing opportunities and ways to prevent displacement.
- Link affordable housing, economic development, and business stabilization opportunities.
- Enhance access to transit and pedestrian and bicycle network connectivity.



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# Project Timeline

## PROJECT TIMELINE\*



\*Timeline approximate and subject to change



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# Committee Charge and Bylaws and Committee Roadmap



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## **Committee charge:**

Can we identify ways to address the livability, stability and access in the Lower SE Rising Area?



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## **The Committee will advise staff by:**

- Assisting with the development of the Public Involvement Plan
- Providing input to staff about the project area
- Reviewing plans on land use and transportation alternatives
- Providing feedback on implementing strategies, including affordable housing choices, economic development, and housing and business stabilization

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# Working agreement

## BPS Shared Ground Rules

1. Listen to understand, not to respond
2. W.A.I.T.
3. Assume good intentions, but attend to impact.
4. Be willing to make mistakes and be forgiving of those who do.
5. Allow for, and appreciate, disagreement of opinions, ideas, methods – respectfully.
6. Personal stories stay, lessons can be shared.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ (fill in the blank.)



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## Committee member responsibilities

- Leading with Equity
- Adhere to Oregon and Civil Rights law
- Attendance
- In-meeting participation
- Information sharing
- Conflict of interest disclose



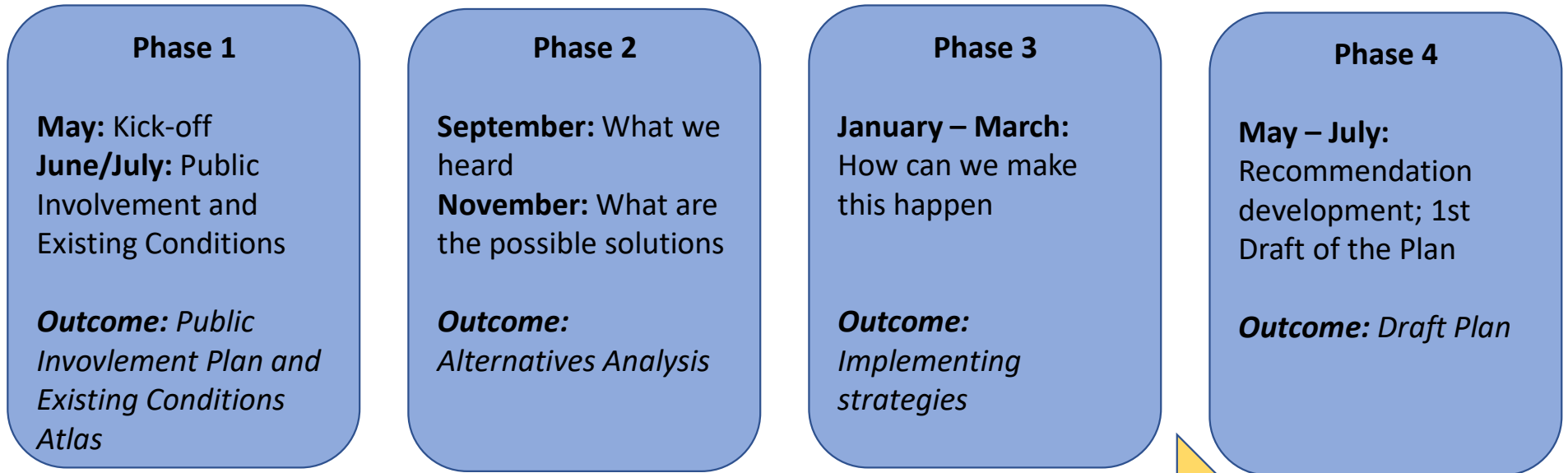
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# Committee Roadmap and meeting plan



**Throughout:** The Committee may forward recommendations at any time during the process about City decisions and relevant discussions about the project area.



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# Wrap up and next steps



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# Next Steps

## Next meeting:

June/July TBD, 2021 from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

## Next meeting topics:

- Public Involvement Plan
- Existing Conditions

## Action items:

- Doodle Poll to confirm a standing date
- Review draft committee charter and bylaws
- Read *Volunteer Guide for Boards and Commissions*



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