

# HOUSING POLICY & PLANNING

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## **Agenda**

- Comprehensive Plan Chapter 5: Housing Goals and Policies
- Housing Production Trends
- Housing Needs Analysis and Housing Production Strategy

# The Comprehensive Plan

#### Adopted with the Portland Comprehensive Plan

#### **Comprehensive Plan Elements**

- Vision and Guiding Principles
- Goals and Policies
- Comprehensive Plan Map
- · List of Significant Projects
- Transportation Policies, Street Classifications and Street Plans

#### **Key Implementing Tools**

- Zoning Code
- Zoning Map
- Service Coordination Agreements
- · Urban Renewal Plans
- Annexations
- Development Agreements

#### **Supporting Documents**

#### **Inventories and Analyses**

- Buildable Lands Inventory
- Employment Opportunity Analysis
- Housing Needs Analysis
- Natural Resource Inventory

#### **School Facility Plans**

#### **Public Facilities Plan**

- Transportation System Plan (TSP)
- Sewer
- Stormwater
- Water

#### Not Adopted with the Portland Comprehensive Plan

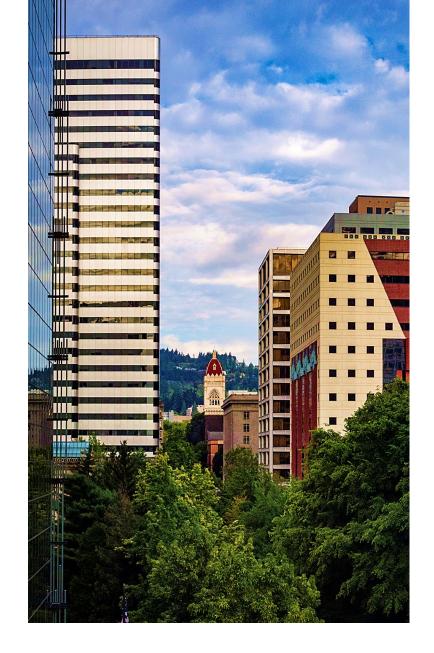
- Parks and Recreation
- Other Essential Facilities
- Detailed System Plans
- Transportation Modal Plans
- Project Details, Design and Cost
- Climate Action Plan





# 2035 Comprehensive Plan Chapter 5: Housing Goals and Policies





**Goal 5.A: Housing diversity** 

**Goal 5.B: Equitable access to housing** 

**Goal 5.C: Healthy connected city** 

**Goal 5.D: Affordable housing** 

**Goal 5.E: High-performance housing** 





#### **Diverse and expanding supply**

**Key Policies** 

- 5.2 Housing growth
- 5.4 Housing types
- 5.6 Middle housing
- 5.8 Physically-accessible housing



#### **Housing access**

**Key Policies** 

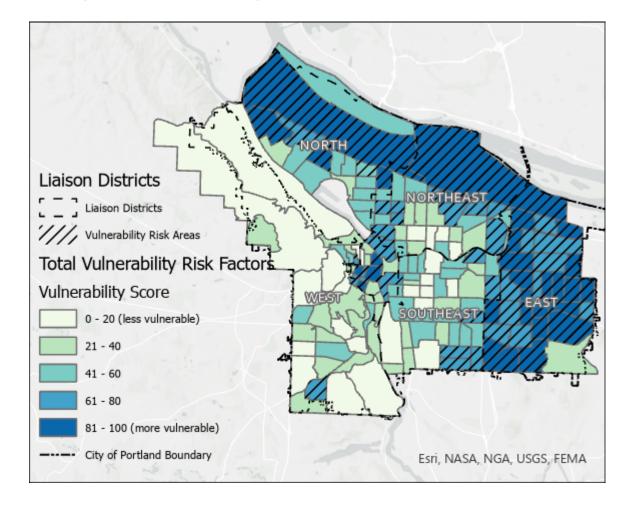
- 5.12 Impact analysis
- 5.15 Gentrification/displacement risk
- 5.16 Involuntary displacement
- 5.18 Rebuild communities

# **Economic Vulnerability Analysis**

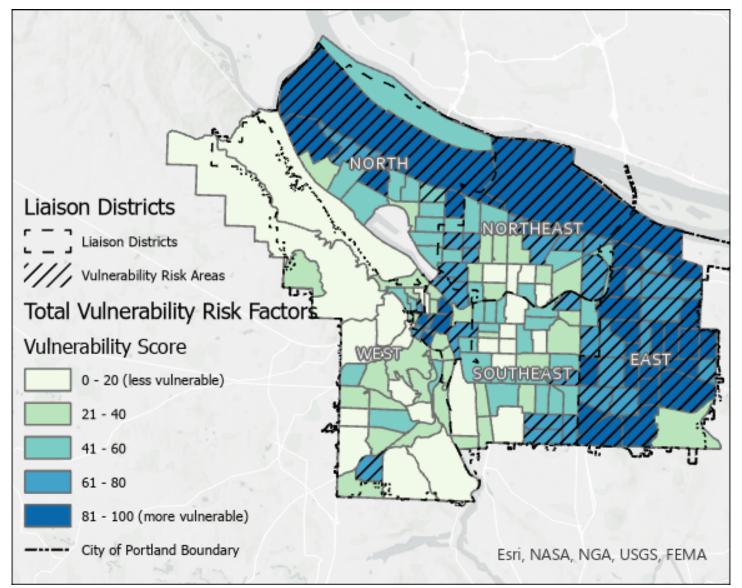
This risk assessment identifies areas where residents are more vulnerable to changing economic conditions, making resisting displacement more difficult.

These area's residents are more likely to:

- Be "housing cost-burdened," meaning they pay 30% or more of their income on housing costs;
- Belong to communities of color, particularly Black and Indigenous communities;
- Lack 4-year college degrees; and
- Have lower incomes.











#### **Housing location**

Key policies:

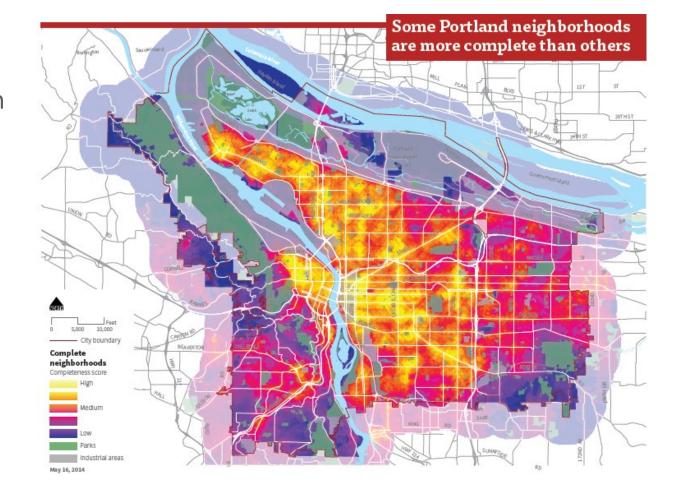
- 5.21 Access to opportunity
- 5.22 New development in opportunity areas

# **Complete Neighborhoods**

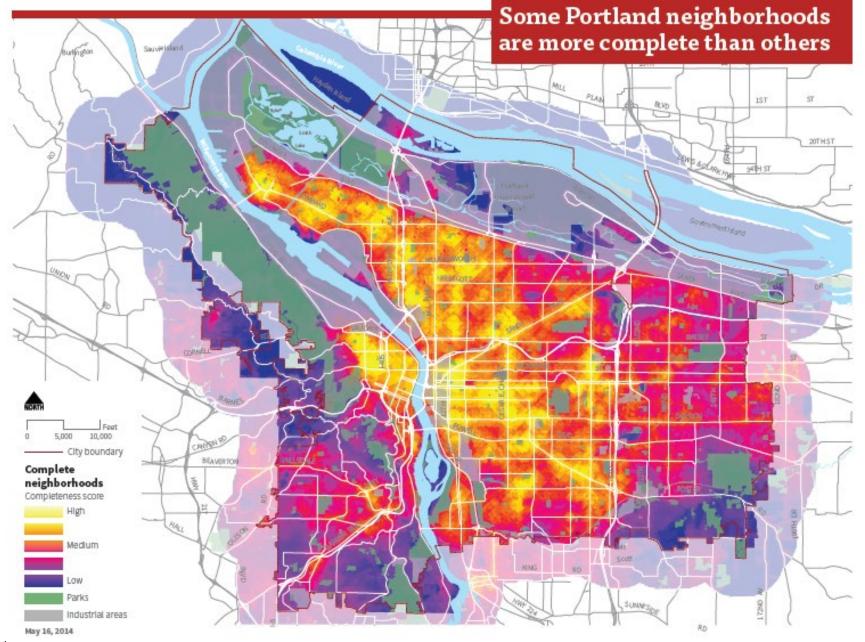
A "complete neighborhood" is an area where residents have safe and convenient access to goods and services they need on a daily or regular basis.

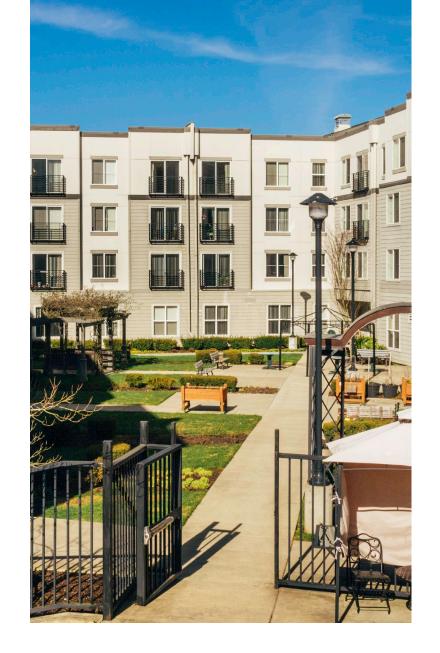
#### Factors include:

- Healthy food (grocery stores)
- Shops and commercial services
- Elementary schools
- Parks and natural areas
- Transit
- Bikeways
- Sidewalks









### **Housing affordability**

Key policies:

- 5.26 Regulated affordable housing target
- 5.30 Housing cost burden
- 5.35 Inclusionary housing
- 5.36 Impact of regulations on affordability
- 5.37 Mobile home parks





#### Homelessness

• 5.46 Housing continuum

### Health, safety, and well-being

- 5.46 Healthy housing
- 5.51 Healthy and active living
- 5.54 Renter protections

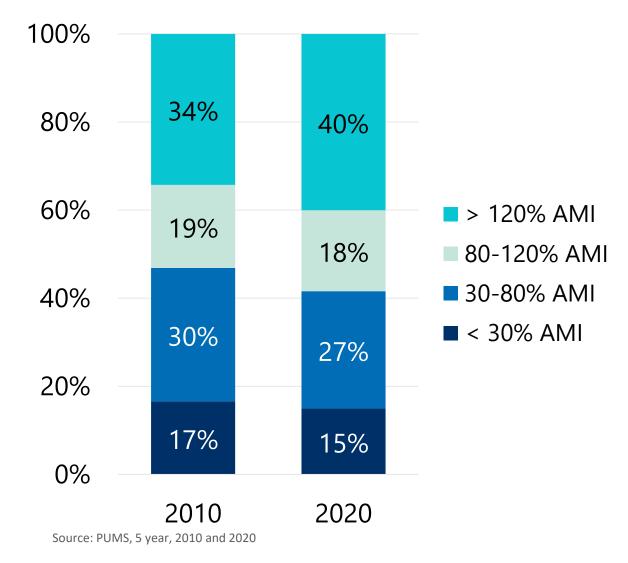


# **Housing Trends**



#### Income

- Portland is becoming a wealthier city overall, with 39.3 percent of households making \$100,000 or more
- The 2022 Median Income for a Family of Four in the Portland MSA is \$106,500
- The number of lower-income households is decreasing.
- Incomes increased for all racial and ethnic groups from 2010 to 2020, with household income levels rising most significantly for white households.





# **Housing Cost Burden** (share of Portland households)

Income Level	Spending on Housing Costs		
(AMI)	<30%	>30%	Total
Extremely Low 0-30%	2%	13%	15%
Very Low 30-60%	4%	13%	17%
Low 60-80%	6%	5%	11%
Moderate 80-120%	15%	4%	20%
High 120%+	36%	2%	38%



Source: BPS Analysis of PUMS, 2021 ACS 5 yr

# **Existing Housing Stock**All Occupied Units

Туре	2010	2021	
<b>Detached houses</b>	58%	54%	
Middle housing (up to 4 units)	13%	13%	
Small multi-dwelling (5-9 units)	5%	4%	
Medium multi-dwelling (10-19 units)	6%	5%	
Large multi-dwelling (20+ units)	16%	21%	
Other (primarily mobile homes)	2%	1%	
<b>Total Housing Units</b>	100%	100%	

Source: US Census Bureau ACS 5 Year, 2021, Table B25032



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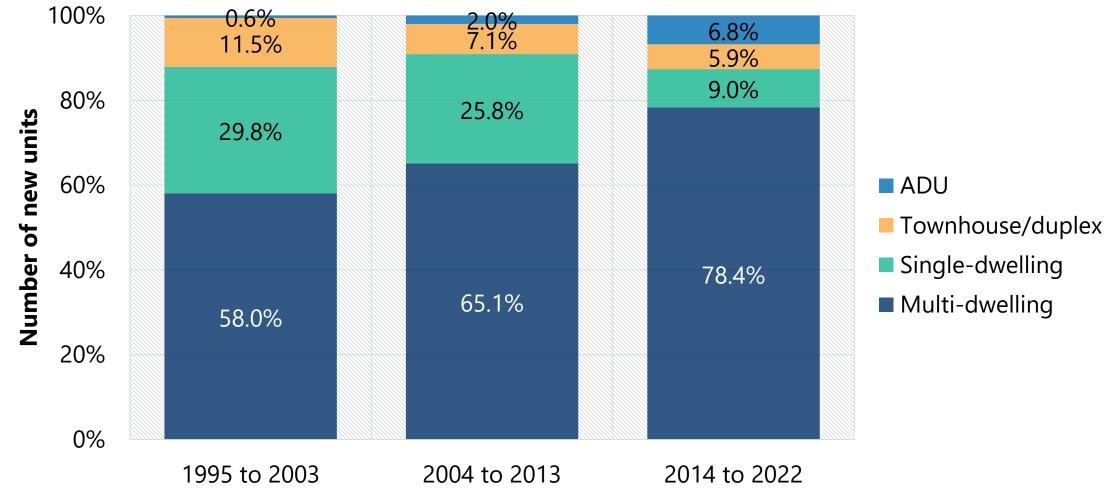
#### Renters

Туре	2010	2021	
Detached houses	23%	21%	
Middle housing (up to 4 units)	23%	21%	<b>—</b>
Small multi-dwelling (5-9 units)	11%	8%	
Medium multi-dwelling (10-19 units)	12%	10%	
Large multi-dwelling (20+ units)	30%	39%	
Other (primarily mobile homes)	1%	1%	
Total Housing Units	100%	100%	

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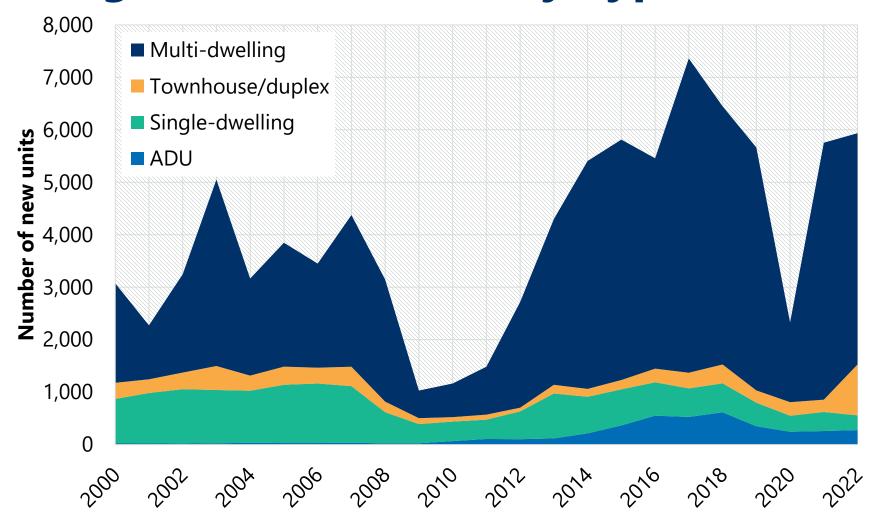


#### New housing by unit type Portland Urban Service Area, 1995-2022



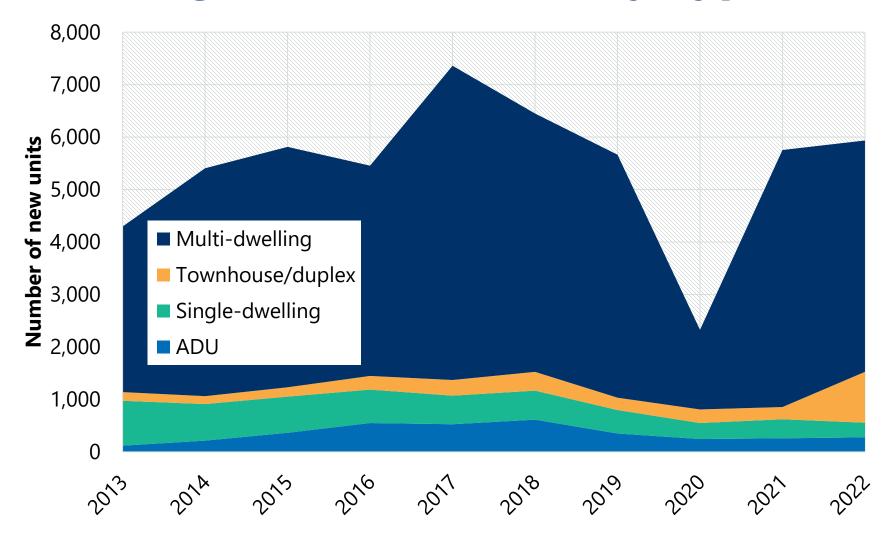


## **Housing Units Permitted by Type, 2000-2022**





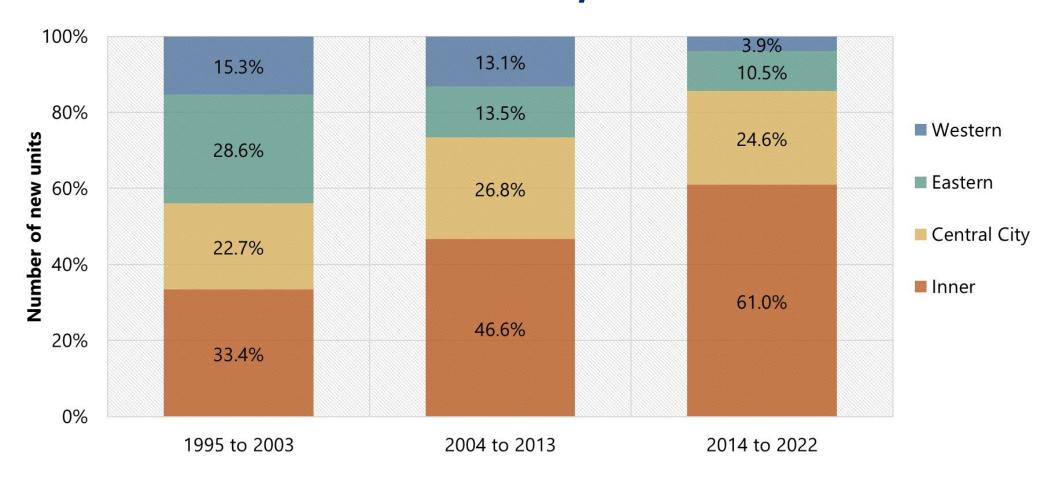
## **Housing Units Permitted by Type, 2013-2022**



Multidwelling unit production represented 80% of all housing units produced in 2021 and 78% in 2022



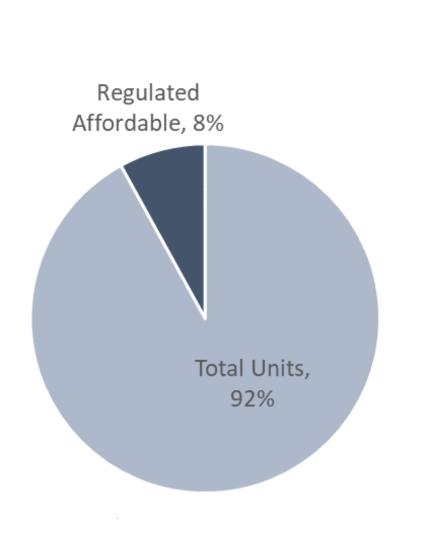
## Recent Development by Pattern Area Portland Urban Service Area, 1995-2022

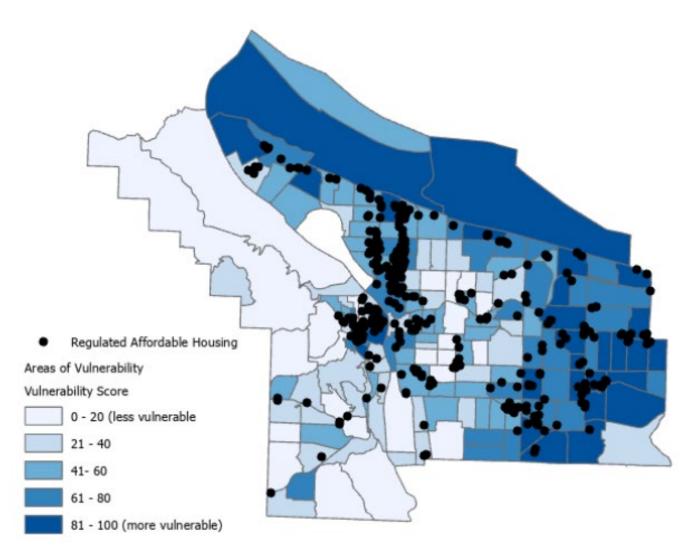




#### **Affordable Housing Inventory**

Of Portland's 24,231 regulated affordable housing units, 65% are located within areas considered vulnerable.

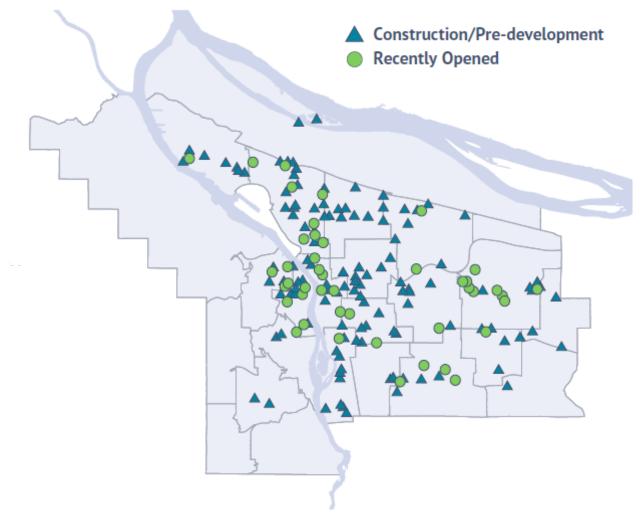




# **Affordable Housing Pipeline**

There are **3,436 units** in the affordable housing development pipeline.

- **One-third are deeply affordable to** households earning 0-30% AMI.
- 38% are family-sized units
- 24% are Permanent Supportive **Housing** (PSH) units for homeless households.





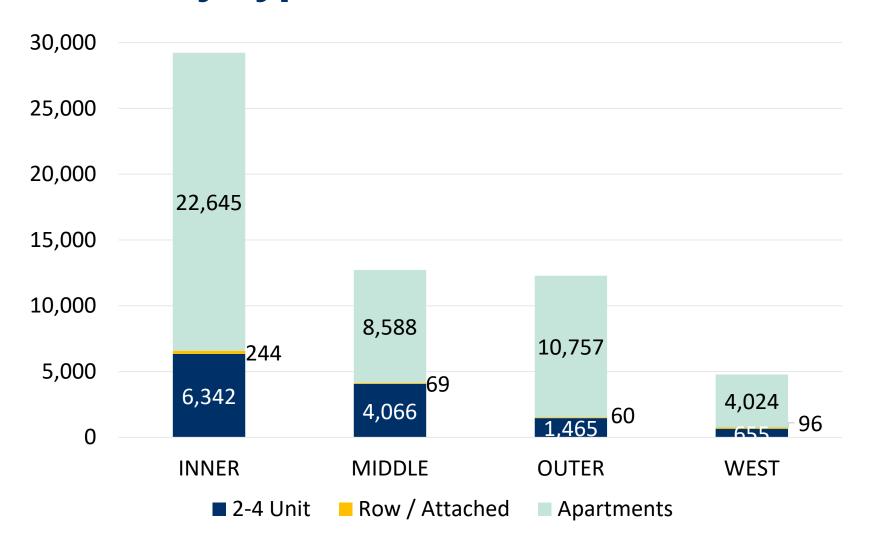
## **Unregulated/Naturally Occurring Affordable Housing (NOAH)**

"Units provided by the private market without government subsidy that are affordable to people earning 80% of the area median income."

Of Portland's 116,000 unregulated multifamily units, NOAH accounts for up to 53% (61,000).



#### **NOAH By Type and Market Area**







## **Housing Needs Analysis and Housing Production Strategy**



# What is the Housing Needs Analysis?

- Statewide Planning Goal 10 requires cities to inventory "buildable lands" and ensure that there is enough zoned land to accommodate housing needs over the next 20 years.
- Cities are now required to update this analysis every six years.



# How We are Organizing the HNA

- 1. Community Profile (Existing Conditions)
- 2. Housing Inventory and Production (Existing Conditions)
- 3. Housing Forecast (Future Demand)
- 4. Residential Buildable Lands Inventory (Supply)
- 5. Housing Capacity Analysis



# What is the Housing Production Strategy?

- A set of specific actions, measures, and policies needed to address the next 20-year housing needs identified in the HNA.
- Action categories:
  - Changing the Zoning Code and Map
  - Reducing regulatory burdens
  - Creating financial incentives
  - Identifying funding for affordable housing
  - Land acquisition, preservation and partnerships

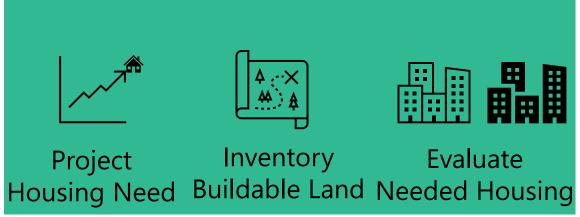


### **Existing Conditions**

## **Housing Capacity Analysis**

## **Housing Production Strategy**









# **Housing Forecast**



## **2035 Comprehensive Plan** (2015 Growth Scenarios Report)

Planned for 123,000 additional housing units by 2035

**Centers and Corridors** – 75% of new housing units

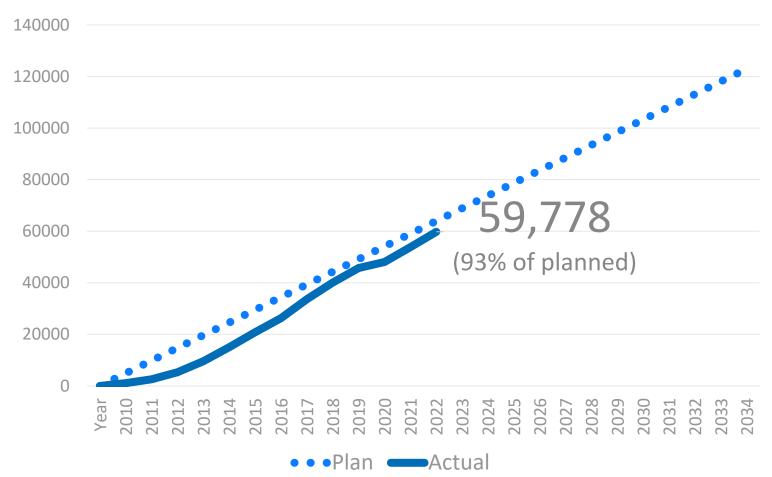
**Central City** – 30% of new housing units

Complete Neighborhoods – 77% of new housing units

Housing Types – 80% in multi-dwelling buildings



#### **Historic Growth Rate Housing Forecast Compared with Actual** (2010-2022)



## **Buildable Land Inventory**



#### **Buildable Land Inventory (BLI)**

#### What is it?

An assessment of the **development capacity** of land within the City of Portland to accommodate forecasted housing and employment needs through the year 2045.



#### **2035 Housing Capacity**

2035 Comp Plan capacity was an additional 267,000 housing units.

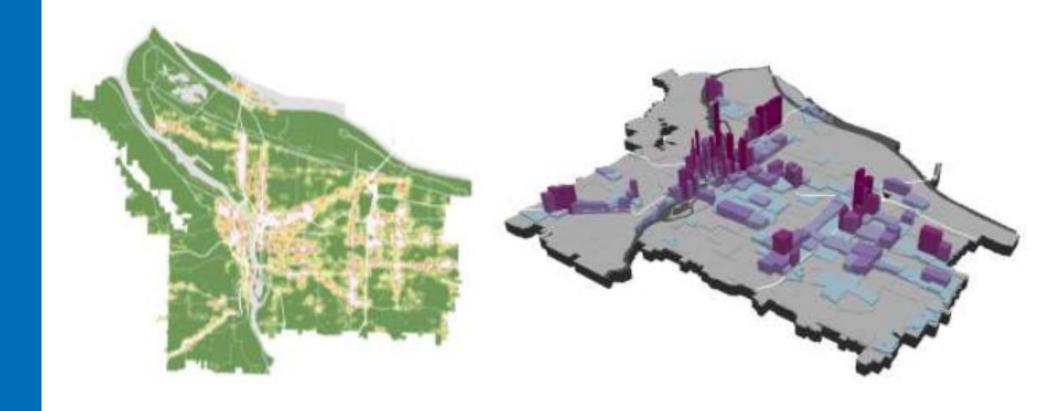
- 70 percent of capacity in centers and corridors.
- Only 11 percent of capacity in singledwelling zones.

Figure 5: Residential Development Capacity (Proposed Plan).





## **2035 Housing Capacity**





#### **Buildable Land Inventory** Methodology

- 1 Vacant Land Inventory
- 2 Redevelopment Feasibility Analysis
- 3 Calculate Gross Development Capacity
- 4 Apply Development Constraints (to sites from Steps 1 and 2).
- 5 Add Recent (2020-22) Development (as actual capacity)

#### **Development Growth Capacity =**

[(Step 1 + Step 2) x Step 3] + Step 4



# **Next Steps**



# **Immediate Takeaways**

- Expect to have more than enough zoned development capacity to accommodate our projected household growth
- Need to address the challenge of developing certain housing types (family-sized units, affordable housing, accessible/visitable)
- Need to address the existing housing need (costburdened households) and stabilization strategies for vulnerable communities
- Need to think strategically about how to increase housing choice in areas of high opportunity/complete neighborhoods

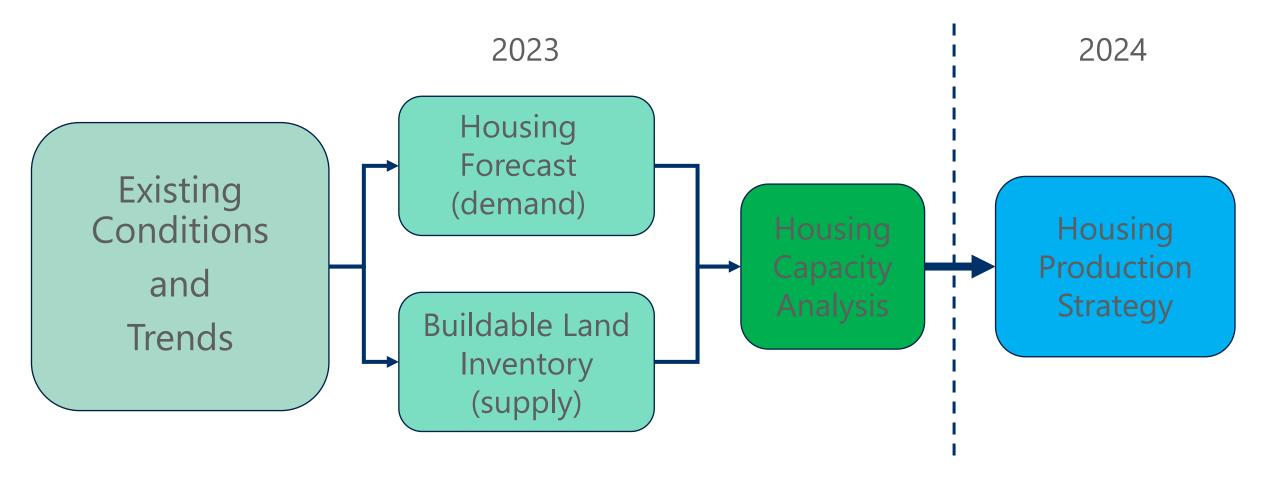


# **Next Steps**

- June 2023 HNA Discussion Draft final report Internal and External Outreach
- August 2023 HNA Proposed Draft published
- September/October 2023 Planning Commission
- November/December 2023 City Council adoption
- 2024 Housing Production Strategy



#### Schedule







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