

I am requesting that the record be left open to allow comments on the Proposed Draft 2035 Comprehensive Plan for at least 90 days after the definitions of the mixed use zones and campus institutional zones have been made public. Both the Multnomah Neighborhood Association and Southwest Neighborhoods Inc. have submitted similar requests. Without the definitions and the deadline extension, the citizens and Neighborhood Associations will not be able to evaluate the impact of the new zoning designations.

I would also like to request that additional hearings on the Proposed Draft be scheduled, including one in Southwest Portland out of the central city.

Please add this to the record.

Re: The Role of Neighborhood Associations

I am requesting that the following policies be added to Chapter 2, Community Involvement, in the Proposed Draft 2035 Comprehensive Plan:

New Policy #1: *Neighborhood Associations are Portland's acknowledged Citizen Involvement Program.*

New Policy #2: *All of the policies adopted in the current comprehensive plan concerning neighborhood plans, area plans, neighborhood livability, neighborhood character, and neighborhood stability must be included in the proposed draft.*

I am also requesting the following changes to the glossary to be consistent with the City Code 3.96:

Neighborhood: *A geographically contiguous self-selected community. A Neighborhood is defined by the geographic boundary as established by the Neighborhood Association and as accepted by the City.*

Neighborhood Association: *A Neighborhood Association is the basis of Portland's acknowledged Citizen Involvement Program. It is an autonomous organization formed by people for the purpose of considering and acting on issues affecting the livability and quality of their Neighborhood, formally recognized by the Office of Neighborhood Involvement, and subject to Portland Code Chapter 3.96.*

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Please add this to the record.

Thank you,

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