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You may submit comments to the City Council on the Recommended Draft in writing, online via the Map App, or remotely at the public hearing.

To testify in writing you must provide your full name and mailing address.

Use the Map App:

<https://www.portlandmaps.com/bps/mapapp/maps.html#mapTheme=rpsr>

Click on the “Testify” button.

U.S. Mail

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 River Plan/South Reach Testimony
 1221 SW Fourth Avenue, Room 130, Portland, Oregon 97204

To testify at the City Council Hearing

You may speak for the time period allotted by City Council and your testimony will be added to the public record. You must provide your full name and mailing address.

Council hearing date: November 4, 2020, at 2 p.m. This will be held as a virtual hearing.

You can use a computer, mobile device or telephone to testify during the hearing. To testify during the hearing, please visit the project website to register:

www.portland.gov/bps/river-plan/south-reach . You will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the virtual hearing. The deadline to sign up for the November 4 Council hearing is Tuesday, November 3 at 4 p.m. Individuals have three minutes to testify, unless stated otherwise at the hearing. Email the Council Clerk at cctestimony@portlandoregon.gov with questions. To confirm the hearing date and time, check the City Council calendar at <https://www.portlandoregon.gov/auditor/26979>.

For more information

Visit the project website: <https://www.portland.gov/bps/river-plan/south-reach>

Contact the project team: bpsriverplan@portlandoregon.gov

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BACKGROUND REPORTS AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION

A. Resolutions and Ordinances

1. Resolution #36941 Tribal Relationship Resolution
<https://efiles.portlandoregon.gov/Record/5050997/>
2. Portland Resolutions 35715 and 35894, Salmon Recovery
 - a. Resolution 35715, Lower Columbia Steelhead Recovery Plan
<https://www.portlandoregon.gov/citycode/article/24569>
 - b. Resolution 35894, Portland Recovery Plan for Salmon and Trout
<https://efiles.portlandoregon.gov/Record/2840161/>
3. Multnomah County Planning Authority Ordinance # 176115.
4. Portland Resolutions 35978 and 36276, River Renaissance Vision and Strategy and directive to update Willamette Greenway Plan
 - a. Resolution 35978, River Renaissance Vision
<https://efiles.portlandoregon.gov/Record/2840245/>
 - b. Resolution 36276, River Renaissance Strategy
<https://efiles.portlandoregon.gov/Record/2619285/>

B. Plans

1. 2035 Comprehensive Plan, River Plan / South Reach complete Comprehensive Policies list.
<https://www.portlandoregon.gov/bps/2035-comp-plan.pdf>
2. Metro Title 3
<https://www.oregonmetro.gov/urban-growth-management-functional-plan>
3. Metro's Title 13, Nature in Neighborhoods
<https://www.oregonmetro.gov/urban-growth-management-functional-plan>
4. Willamette Park Redevelopment and Phasing Plan (2012)
<https://www.portlandoregon.gov/parks/article/529716>
5. Willamette River Recreation Strategy (2012)
<https://www.portlandoregon.gov/parks/article/478089>
6. Portland Climate Change Preparation Strategy (2014)
<https://www.portland.gov/sites/default/files/2019-07/climate-change-prep-strat-press.pdf>

7. 2015 Climate Action Plan
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11. Oaks Bottom Wildlife Refuge Coordinated Resource Management Plan (1988)
<https://www.portlandoregon.gov/parks/article/469550>
12. 1987 Willamette Greenway Plan
<https://www.portlandoregon.gov/shared/cfm/image.cfm?id=59067>
13. Portland 2035 Transportation System Plan
<https://www.portlandoregon.gov/transportation/77358>
14. TriMet Southeast Service Enhancement Plan (2016)
<https://trimet.org/future/pdf/southeast-final-report.pdf>
15. TriMet Southwest Service Enhancement Plan (2016)
<https://trimet.org/future/pdf/southwest-final-report.pdf>
16. Metro's Regional Transportation Plan (2018)
<https://www.oregonmetro.gov/regional-transportation-plan>
17. Southwest in Motion (2019)
<https://www.portlandoregon.gov/transportation/article/728914>
18. Central City Potential Swimming Beach Sites Study (2016)
https://www.portland.gov/sites/default/files/2020-01/central-city-potential-beach-sites-study_print.pdf

C. Other Resources

1. National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) Biological Opinion on the FEMA National Flood Insurance Program (*Endangered Species Act (ESA) Section 7(a)(2) Jeopardy and Destruction or Adverse Modification of Critical Habitat Biological Opinion and Section 7(a)(2) "Not Likely to Adversely Affect" Determination for the Implementation of the National Flood Insurance Program in the State of Oregon*)

- <https://www.fisheries.noaa.gov/resource/document/biological-opinion-implementation-national-flood-insurance-program-state-oregon>
2. South Reach Draft Existing Conditions Report
https://www.portland.gov/sites/default/files/2019-12/existing_conditions_report_052318_formatted-2.pdf
 3. Technical Memorandum on South Reach Archaeological Resources. See document in “Miscellaneous Documents” on the River Plan / South Reach documents page:
<https://www.portland.gov/bps/south-reach/river-plan-south-reach-project-documents>
 4. OHA summer warnings regarding Ross Island lagoon
<https://www.oregon.gov/OHA/PH/HEALTHYENVIRONMENTS/RECREATION/HARMFULALGAE/BLOOM/S/Pages/archive.aspx>
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