

City of Portland Annual Presentation February 9, 2012

## **Our Charge**

To provide "leadership and guidance to public agencies and other entities on how to strategically address communityidentified issues and allocate resources to improve livability in East Portland."





## **Structures: Guiding Principles**



East Portland Action Plan



East Portland Action Plan www.eastportlandactionplan.org



- Value the Past + Consider the Future
- Build Lasting Leadership
- Develop Partnerships
- Respect + Value
   Differences
- Ensure Participation
   Equitably + Prioritize
   Underrepresented
   Communities Involvement
  - Work Toward Action Plan Implementation

#### **GET INVOLVED**



We need you to help make the action item improvements a reality for East Portland.



#### Join us!

East Portland Action Plan meets: 4th Wednesday of each month 6:30 - 8:30 pm David Douglas School District Office Board Room 1500 SE 130<sup>th</sup> Avenue (SE 130<sup>th</sup> Ave. at Market - between Division & Stark)

Food provided. Childcare & interpretation provided upon request.

Questions? Contact Lore Wintergreen at 503-823-4035 lore.wintergreen@portlandoregon.gov or visit www.eastportlandactionplan.org

## **Committees & Representatives**

#### 2011 – 2012

General meetings average 45 participants 13 Committees with topic specific members 18 Issue Representatives

#### **Participating Members**

Community Members Business People Non-Profit Reps Agency Reps School District Reps Elected Officials

#### **Technical Advisors**

City of Portland Multnomah County Home Forward Tri-Met IRCO ODOT METRO



## **EPAPbike Subcommittee**

# Our mission is to make biking in East Portland safer and more fun!



Equity Bike Ride



Topiary Ride July 2011



### **Transportation Representative**







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#### From this ▼... to this ▼







### **Civic Engagement Subcommittee**



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Thank you Muchas Gracias!!





#### **Economic Development Subcommittee**

#### Economic investment is required to create family-wage jobs



East Portland Action Plan: Economic Development Assessment

Competitive Assessment Report Draft: February 2012





## **Housing Subcommittee**

Finding common ground to support a range of housing types that strengthen livable communities; encourage healthy, complete, and stable neighborhoods; and promote family wage jobs







### MAXaction Subcommittee



Growing a network of people to develop the MAX as a community asset in East Portland

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#### **Powell Blvd. Conceptual Design Project**



Street concept recommendation for SE 99<sup>th</sup> – SE 162nd



## Youth Subcommittee

Our mission: To bring forward the voices of East Portland youth







### EAST PDX YOUTH!

Learn what you can do to change East Portland:

When: December 14 Where: Room 117 Time: 3:00 - 4:00

**Drinks and snacks provided!** 

### SE122<sup>nd</sup> Avenue Rezone Project





## **Grants Committee**

#### 2011 Grant Awardees

**Bhutanese Refugee Community** 

**Glenfair Neighborhood Association** 











**Centennial Community Association** 



East Portland **Slavic Community Center** 









#### **Parkrose Community Foundation**



### **2011 Grant Award Financial Summary**

- Thirty one grant applications this round

   Total requested funds of \$125,548
   Funded 43% of requests
- Seventeen grant applications selected
   Funding total \$54,300
  - $_{\odot}$  Total of leveraged funds \$350,667

Estimated 646% leverage on funds awarded



## **Grants Committee**

East Portland Action Plan

#### 2011-12 Civic Engagement Grant Awardees



## Latino Learning Community/ Comunidad Latina Para el Aprendizaje

#### 3 Workshops/Tallers

- Mexican Consulate/ Consulado Mexicano
- Department of Human
   Services/El Departmento
   de Services Humanos
- Domestic Violence/
   Violencia Demestica
- 66 Attendees/ Personas
- 80 Children/Ninos





#### **Russian Speaking Network**

# Crime Prevention Begins at Home workshops6 sessions with 20 people





## Latino Network

#### Two rounds of workshops will address critical issues that participants see in their community:

 'City of Portland, Multnomah County, and Metro Government 101';

- Preparing Public Testimony'; and
- 'Tips on Talking to your Public Official'.



## The Rosewood Initiative

#### Over 2,000 volunteer hours last year





## **East Portland Thanks You**



