

# **City Manager's Report**

## Information and Updates for the Mayor and City Council

September 9, 2022

## **UPCOMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS**

MEETING/EVENT	DATE	TIME	LOCATION
Council Meeting	September 21	5 p.m. Work Session 7 p.m. Regular Meeting	Council Chambers / Virtual
Council Meeting	October 5	5 p.m. Work Session 7 p.m. Regular Meeting	Council Chambers / Virtual

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## **DEPARTMENT UPDATES**

Western Planner 2022: Stan Steadman Article of the Year Awarded to City of Bend Staff

Pauline Hardie, Lynne McConnell, and Allison Platt were awarded the Western Planner 2022: Stan Steadman Article of the Year Award for their article **Opening Zoning Barriers to the Missing Middle in Bend, Oregon**. More details about the award are available in the **Award Letter**.

Congratulations Pauline, Lynne, and Allison!

### PROJECT AND PROGRAM UPDATES

#### **CouncilAll Email Summary**

131 total emails were sent to CouncilAll from August 16<sup>th</sup> through September 5<sup>th</sup>. The top themes and concerns included:

- Houselessness
- Noise
- Affordable Housing

For more information, view the current **CouncilAll Summary Report**.

#### Stevens Road Tract Conceptual Plan / HB 3318 Sections 4 & 5 Approval

The Department of Land Conservation and Development (DLCD) awarded an approval regarding the City's Stevens Road Tract Conceptual Plan and verification of the City's compliance of Sections 4 and 5 of HB 3318. Thank you to the entire Growth Management team for their hard work and dedication to meet this milestone. More details regarding DLCD's review and comments are included in the **DLCD**Award Letter.

#### **Infrastructure Funding Tracking Update**

Since the last funding update in July, there are several efforts underway to advance the Council goal to track and aggressively pursue federal, state and local funding sources that provide sustainable funding for needed infrastructure:

- The City has decided to pursue becoming a certified Local Public Agency (LPA);
- The City is preparing to submit applications to four different discretionary competitive grant programs;
- The infrastructure funding tracking internal task force is continuing to meet monthly; and
- The City has been selected to participate in the Local Infrastructure Hub Grant Application Bootcamp.

More details regarding each of these updates are available in the **Infrastructure Funding Tracking Update**.

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