- 16.292(2)(b) above, and the uses in LC 16.292(3)(g) through (m) below, are allowed subject to: submittal of a land use application for the proposed uses or developments pursuant to LC 14.050; compliance with the applicable land use requirements of LC 16.292(4)(a) through (g) below and elsewhere in this chapter of Lane Code; and review and approval of the land use application pursuant to LC 14.100 with the options for the Director to conduct a hearing or to provide written notice of the decision and the opportunity for appeal.
- The primary processing of forest or farm products or natural resources that require a location in proximity to the rural resource in order to operate. This activity may occur outside a building or in one or more buildings of any size.
- Manufacturing, assembling, processing, packaging, wholesale distribution, testing, or repairing that does not include radioactive materials or hazardous waste byproducts in the manufacturing process and that may occur outside a building or in one or more buildings containing not more than:
- 10,000 square feet of floor area in any one or combination of buildings on the same parcel or lot located in an area designated by the RCP as an unincorporated rural community; or
- (ii) 7,500 square feet of floor area in any one or combination of buildings on the same parcel or lot located in an area that is not designated by the RCP as an unincorporated rural community by the RCP.
  - (c) Forest or farm equipment storage yards, sales, rental or repair.
- (d) Lumber yards and sales of lumber and incidental materials. The square foot floor area devoted to incidental materials for sale, such as hardware and tools. shall not exceed: 4,000 square feet in any one or combination of buildings on the same parcel or lot located inside an unincorporated rural community or 3,000 square feet in any one or combination of buildings on the same lot or parcel located outside an unincorporated rural community.
- (e) Associated sale and administrative offices for the uses permitted by LC 16.292(3)(a) through (d) above. Offices that are for uses permitted by LC 16.292(3)(b) above shall comply the floor area requirements of LC 16.292(3)(b)(i) or (ii) above.
- (f) Outdoor advertising exceeding the requirements of LC 16.292(6)(c) below.
- (g) Communication facilities including but not limited to those for radio. television, computers, or satellites.
- Telecommunication facilities, including towers, antennas, and (h) ancillary facilities as allowed pursuant to LC 16.264.
- Electric transmission lines that require a combined right-of-way of (i) more than 25 feet in width.
- Expansion of an industrial use that is lawfully existing with the zone on the date that LC 16.292 is applied to the property.
- Uses and development similar to uses and development permitted by LC16.292(3)(a) through (g) above if found by the Director to be clearly similar to the uses permitted by LC 16.292(3)(a) through (g) above. Such a finding shall be made by the Director, and shall comply with the following criteria:
- The use and development shall be consistent with the purpose in LC 16.292(1) above.
- When compared with the uses and development permitted by LC 16.292(2)(a) through (g) and (3)(a) through (i) above, the use and development shall be similar to one or more of these uses and development. A comparison shall include an analysis of the:

- (aa) Goods or services traded from the site.
- (bb) Bulk, size, and operating characteristics of the proposed

use.

- (cc) Parking demand, customer types and traffic generation.
- (dd) Intensity of land use of the site.
- (iii) The use and development shall not exceed the carrying capacity of the soil or of existing water supply resources and sewer services. Factual information shall be provided about any existing or proposed sewer or water systems for the site and the site's ability to provide on site sewage disposal and water supply if a community sewer or water system is not available.
- (iv) The use and development shall not result in public health hazards or adverse environmental impacts that violate state or federal water quality regulations.
- For a use similar to one permitted by LC 16.292(3)(b) above. the use shall not include any new building that exceeds 10,000 square feet of floor area if the building is located in an area designated by the RCP as an unincorporated community, or 7,500 square feet of floor area if the building is located outside an area that is not designated by the RCP as an unincorporated community.
- (vi) It shall be the applicant's responsibility to provide sufficient information to allow the Director to make the above determination.
- A single family dwelling for a caretaker that meets the following conditions:
- The single family dwelling shall be for a caretaker in conjunction with an existing industrial use permitted by LC 16.292(2)(a) through (b) or (3)(a) through (e), (j) or (k) above or (m) below and located on the same lot or parcel as the existing industrial use;
- There are no other living quarters or dwellings on the lot, (ii) parcel or tract where the single family dwelling for the caretaker will be located; and
- (iii) The single family dwelling for the caretaker shall not be partitioned or separated by a boundary line adjustment from the portion of the same lot or parcel with the industrial use on it.
- (m) Wrecking yards, if completely enclosed by an approved type of fence, wall or hedge and that shall:
- (i) Be limited to land rezoned from Light Industrial (M-2) or Heavy Industrial (M-3) to Rural Industrial (RI):
- (ii) Be limited to persons who have continuously owned the land from the time it was rezoned from Light Industrial (M-2) or Heavy Industrial (M-3) to Rural Industrial (RI) and to the time of the special use permit application for the wrecking yard;
- (iii) Not adversely affect the livability or appropriate development of abutting properties and the surrounding vicinity;
- (iv) Not be adversely affected by known natural hazards, such as floods, landslides or erosion; and
- Not create a hazardous natural condition such as erosion. (v) landslide or flooding.
- Expansion of a lawfully existing use (per LC Chapter 16) not authorized elsewhere in LC 16.292.
- Criteria. New uses or development allowed by LC 16.292(3)(a) through (k) and (n) above, except for telecommunications facilities allowed by LC 16.292(3)(h) above, shall comply with the criteria in LC 16.292(4) below. Telecommunications

facilities allowed by LC 16.292(3)(h) above shall comply with the requirements in LC 16.264.

- The location, design, size, shape and arrangement of the uses and structures shall be sufficient for the proposed intent and compatible with the surrounding vicinity.
- The quantity, location, height and materials of walls, fences, hedges. screen planting and landscape areas shall serve their intended purpose and shall minimize any adverse effect on existing or contemplated abutting land use.
- Suitable planting of ground cover or other surfacing shall be provided to prevent erosion and reduce dust, and suitable methods shall be provided for the continued maintenance of the planting or surfacing.
- The location, design and size of the uses shall be such that the residents or establishments to be accommodated will be adequately served by community facilities and services or by other facilities suitable for the intend uses.
- Based on anticipated traffic generation, adequate additional right-ofway and road improvements shall be provided by the development in order to address any traffic safety or congestion concerns created by the development. Consideration shall be given to the need and feasibility of widening and improving abutting streets to specifications of LC Chapter 15, "Roads," and also to the necessity for such additional requirements as lighting, sidewalks and turn and deceleration/acceleration lanes.
- There shall be a safe and efficient circulation pattern within the boundaries of the development. Consideration shall include the layout of the site with respect to the location and dimensions of vehicular and pedestrian entrances, exits, drives, walkways, buildings and other related facilities.
- There shall be adequate off street parking and loading/unloading facilities provided in a safe and efficient manner. Consideration shall include the layout of the parking and loading/unloading facilities, and their surfacing, lighting and landscaping.
- (h) Hazards and Impacts. The proposed use shall not result in public health hazards or adverse environmental impacts that violate state or federal water quality regulations.
- The proposed use and development shall not exceed the carrying capacity of the soil or existing water supply resources. To address this requirement, factual information shall be provided about any existing or proposed sewer or water systems for the site and the site's ability to provide on-site sewage disposal and water supply if a community water or sewer system is not available.
- No minimum is established, except what is necessary to accommodate any necessary sewerage and potable water concerns. Divisions shall comply with LC Chapter 13.
- Property Use and Development Standards. All uses and development permitted by LC 16.292(2) and (3) above shall comply with these development standards:
- Property Line Setbacks. Structures other than a fence or sign shall be located:
- At least 20 feet from the existing or planned right-of-way of a (i) State road, County road or a local access public road specified in LC Chapter 15; and
- (ii) 10 feet from all other property lines except as required in LC 16.292(6)(b) and (c) below.
- Riparian Setback Area. Except for property located between the Eugene-Springfield Metropolitan Area General Plan Boundary and the Eugene and Springfield Urban Growth Boundaries, where setbacks are provided for in LC 16.253(6). the riparian setback area shall be the area between a line 50 feet above and parallel to the

ordinary high water of a Class I stream designated for riparian vegetation protection in the Rural Comprehensive Plan. No structure other than a fence or sign shall be located closer than 50 feet from the ordinary high water of a Class I stream designated for riparian vegetation protection by the Rural Comprehensive Plan. A modification to the riparian setback standard for a structure may be allowed provided the requirements of LC 16.253(3) or LC 16.253(6), as applicable, are met.

- (c) Maintenance, Removal and Replacement of Indigenous Vegetation within the Riparian Setback Area. Maintenance, removal and replacement of indigenous vegetation within the riparian setback area designated for riparian vegetation protection by the comprehensive plan must comply with the provisions of LC 16.253(2) or LC 16.253(6), as applicable.
  - (d) Signs.
- (i) Signs shall not extend over a public right-of-way or project beyond the property line.
- (ii) Signs may be illuminated but shall not be flashing or capable of movement.
- (iii) Signs shall not exceed 200 square feet of surface area on any one of two sides.
- (iv) Signs shall not project above the height of the tallest structure on the property.
- (v) Signs shall advertise uses and development that are conducted on the same premises where the signs are located and that are permitted by LC 16.292(2) or (3) above; or
- (vi) Signs located in an area designated by the RCP as an unincorporated community shall advertise uses and development that are located in the same community where the signs are located and that are permitted by LC Chapter 16.
- (e) Parking. Off street parking shall be provided in accordance with LC 16.250. (Revised by Ordinance No. 6-02, Effective 5.16.02)

# RURAL PUBLIC FACILITY ZONE (RPF, RCP) RURAL COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

#### 16.294 Rural Public Facility Zone (RPF, RCP).

- (1) <u>Purpose</u>. The purposes of the Rural Public Facility Zone (RPF, RCP) are:
- (a) To implement the policies of the Lane County Rural Comprehensive Plan (RCP) pertaining to developed and committed exception lands. LC 16.294 applies only to developed and committed exception lands;
- (b) To provide land for public and semipublic uses and development that serve rural residents and people traveling through the area and that are by nature intensive or unusual uses not normally associated with other zones;
- (c) To provide protective measures for riparian vegetation along Class I streams designated as significant in the Rural Comprehensive Plan; and
- (d) LC 16.294 is not retroactive. The Director has no authority to initiate compliance with LC 16.294 for lawfully (per LC Chapter 16) existing uses.
- (2) <u>Permitted Uses and Development</u>. The uses and development in LC 16.294(2)(a) through (g) below are allowed subject to compliance with the general provisions and exceptions specified by this chapter of Lane Code and shall not be subject to compliance with the Site Review Procedures in LC 16.257.
- (a) Maintenance, repair or replacement of lawfully (per LC Chapter 16) existing uses and development not authorized elsewhere by LC 16.294.

- The uses and development authorized by LC 16.294(3)(a) through (q), (s) and (t) below with approval of a special use permit are otherwise allowed without approval of a special use permit if they comply with these conditions:
- The uses and development shall not change the number, size or (i) location of existing public facility structures on the subject property and shall not extend the public facility uses and development beyond the area of the existing public facility uses and development. The area of the existing public facility uses and development shall include all existing structures and outside areas in public facility use such as private drives, off street parking and loading areas, and outside storage areas, but shall not include setback areas required by LC 16.294(6)(a) through (b) below; or
- The use and development shall be a minor addition to a public facility structure that does not exceed 25 percent of the floor area of the structure that existed on the date that LC 16.294 was applied to the subject property and shall not be closer to a property line than the closest portion of existing public facility structures meeting the setbacks required by LC 16.294(6)(a) through (b) below. To verify compliance with this condition, the applicant shall submit to the Director an application for verification of compliance with conditions. And, the Director shall determine if the addition to a public facility structure complies with this condition; or
- (iii) The use and development shall be located at least 200 feet from all exterior boundaries of the subject property and shall meet the setbacks required by LC 16.294(6)(a) through (b) below; or
- (iv) The proposed development is a sign that complies with LC 16.294(6)(d) below, and is located on the wall of an existing building or is located outside the structural setback areas designated by LC Chapters 15 and 16 and is not illuminated.
- Public and semi public structures and uses rendering direct service to the public in local areas such as utility substations, wells, underground utility lines that do not require a right-of way more than 25 feet in width. For utility substations or buildings that are located within 100 feet of the boundaries of RR zoned property, native landscaping shall be provided between the utility substations or buildings and abutting RR zoned property to screen the utility substations or buildings from the view of the RR zoned property. Landscaping required by LC 16.294(2)(c) above shall be maintained.
  - (d) Fish and wildlife habitat management.
- Transportation facilities, services and improvements that are (e) authorized by OAR 660-012-0065(3) and (4) and that are part of an adopted Transportation System Plan.
- No more than eight dogs over six months in age on any tract subject to compliance with the following conditions:
  - (i) No more than two dogs shall be used for breeding.
- The tract where the dogs are located shall not be used as a place of business where dogs are boarded, or where dogs are bred or sold, or where dogs receive medical care.
- Uses and development accessory to existing uses and development allowed by LC 16.294(2)(a) through (f) above or (3)(a) through (v) below.
- Uses and Development Subject to Approval by the Director. The uses and development in LC 16.294(3)(a) through (q), (s) and (t) below, not meeting the conditions in LC 16.294(2)(b) above, and the uses in LC 16.294(3)(r), (u) and (v) below are allowed subject to: submittal of a land use application pursuant to LC 14.050; compliance with the applicable land use requirements of LC 16.294(4)(a) through (h) below and elsewhere in LC Chapter 16; and review and approval of the land use

application pursuant to LC 14.100 with the options for the Director to conduct a hearing or to provide written notice of the decision and the opportunity for appeal.

- (a) Electric utilities such as: a generation plant, transmission facilities, right-of-ways, electricity regulating substations, and other facilities related to electricity generation and distribution.
- (b) Gas utilities such as: gas pipeline right-of-way, gas storage and distribution and gas pressure control substations.
- Water utilities such as: water treatment plants, water storage, intake and outtake facilities, water pipeline right-of-way, and other facilities related to water treatment and storage.
- (d) Sewage disposal including but not limited to: sewage treatment plants, sewage sludge drying beds and sewage pressure control stations.
- Solid waste disposal such as: refuse incineration, central garbage grinding stations, composting plants, sanitary landfills and refuse disposal.
- Educational facilities and services such as: nursery, primary and secondary education; colleges and professional schools; special training schools such as those for: vocations, trades, arts, music, dancing, driving, gymnastics and correspondence. Such uses must be located inside an unincorporated community.
- National Guard centers and meeting halls within one-half mile radius of Lane Community College.
- (h) Religious activities such as: churches, synagogues, temples, and monastery or covenant.
- Welfare and charitable services. Such uses must be located inside an unincorporated community.
- Professional membership organizations. Such uses must be located inside an unincorporated community.
- (k) Labor unions and similar organizations. Such uses must be located inside an unincorporated community.
- (1)Civic, social and fraternal associations. Such uses must be located inside an unincorporated community.
- (m) Business associations. Such uses must be located inside an unincorporated community.
- Sports assembly for lands owned and operated by public or private schools for primary, secondary or college education such as: stadiums or grandstands, foot race tracks, ball playing fields, and basketball, volleyball or tennis playing courts. Such uses must be located inside an unincorporated community or for schools that provide education primarily for rural residents living in the area.
- (o) Governmental services, such as: post office, fire station and sheriff or police station. Such uses must be located inside an unincorporated community.
  - (p) Cemeteries.
- (a) Health services such as: dental or medical offices or clinics, dental or medical laboratory, and convalescent and rest homes. Such uses must be located inside an unincorporated community.
- Communication facilities, such as: internet station and offices; radio station, studio and towers; and TV station, studio and towers.
- Telecommunication facilities, including towers, antennas, and ancillary facilities as allowed pursuant to LC 16.264.
  - (t) Heliport.
- Uses and development similar to uses and development permitted by (u) LC16.294(3)(a) through (t) above if found by the Director to be clearly similar to the uses

and development permitted by LC 16.294 (3)(a) through (t) above. Such a finding shall be made by the Director, and shall comply with the following criteria:

- The use and development shall be consistent with the purpose (i) in LC 16.294(1) above.
- (ii) When compared with the uses and development permitted by LC 16.294(3)(a) through (t) above, the use and development shall be similar to one or more of these uses and development. A comparison shall include an analysis of the:
  - (aa) Goods or services traded from the site:
  - (bb) Bulk, size, and operating characteristics of the proposed

use and development;

(cc) Parking demand, customer types and traffic generation;

and

- (dd) Intensity of land use of the site.
- (iii) The use and development shall not exceed the carrying capacity of the soil or of existing water supply resources and sewer services. Factual information shall be provided about any existing or proposed sewer or water systems for the site and the site's ability to provide on site sewage disposal and water supply if a community sewer or water system is not available.
- (iv) The use and development shall not result in public health hazards or adverse environmental impacts that violate state or federal water quality regulations.
- (v) It shall be the applicant's responsibility to provide sufficient information to allow the Director to make the above determination.
- A single family dwelling for a caretaker that meets the following conditions:
- The single family dwelling shall be for a caretaker in conjunction with an existing public facility use permitted by LC 16.294(2)(a) through (d) or (3)(a) through (u) above and located on the same lot or parcel as the existing public facility use;
- There shall not be any other living quarters or dwellings on the lot, parcel or tract where the single family dwelling for the caretaker will be located; and
- (iii) The single family dwelling for the caretaker shall not be partitioned or separated by a boundary line adjustment from portion of the same lot or parcel with the public facility use on it.
- Criteria. New uses or development allowed by LC 16.294(3)(a) through (u) above, except for telecommunications facilities allowed by LC 16.294(3)(s) above. shall comply with the criteria in LC 16.294(4) below. Telecommunications facilities allowed by LC 16.294(3)(s) above shall comply with the requirements in LC 16.264.
- The location, design, size, shape and arrangement of the uses and structures shall be sufficient for the proposed intent and compatible with the surrounding vicinity.
- The quantity, location, height and materials of walls, fences, hedges. screen planting and landscape areas shall serve their intended purpose and shall minimize any adverse effect on existing or contemplated abutting land use.
- Suitable planting of ground cover or other surfacing shall be provided to prevent erosion and reduce dust, and suitable methods shall be provided for the continued maintenance of the planting or surfacing.
- The location, design and size of the uses shall be such that the residents or establishments to be accommodated will be adequately served by community facilities and services or by other facilities suitable for the intend uses.

- Based on anticipated traffic generation, adequate additional right-ofway and road improvements shall be provided by the development in order to address any traffic safety or congestion concerns created by the development. Consideration shall be given to the need and feasibility of widening and improving abutting streets to specifications of LC Chapter 15, "Roads," and also to the necessity for such additional requirements as lighting, sidewalks and turn and deceleration/acceleration lanes.
- There shall be a safe and efficient circulation pattern within the boundaries of the development. Consideration shall include the layout of the site with respect to the location and dimensions of vehicular and pedestrian entrances, exits, drives, walkways, buildings and other related facilities.
- There shall be adequate off street parking and loading/unloading facilities provided in a safe and efficient manner. Consideration shall include the layout of the parking and loading/unloading facilities, and their surfacing, lighting and landscaping.
- Hazards and Impacts. The proposed use and development shall not result in public health hazards or adverse environmental impacts that violate state or federal water quality regulations.
- The proposed use and development shall not exceed the carrying capacity of the soil or of the existing water supply resources and sewer service. To address this requirement, factual information shall be provided about any existing or proposed sewer or water systems for the site and the site's ability to provide on-site sewage disposal and water supply if a community water or sewer system is not available.
- No minimum is established, except what is necessary to accommodate any necessary sewerage and potable water concerns. Divisions shall comply with LC Chapter 13.
- Property Development Standards. All uses and development permitted by LC 16.294(2) and (3) above shall comply with these development standards:
- Property Line Setbacks. Structures other than a fence or sign shall be located:
- At least 20 feet from the existing or planned right-of-way of a State road, County road or a local access public road specified in LC Chapter 15; and
- At least 10 feet from all other property lines except as required in LC 16.294(6)(b) and (c) below.
- Riparian Setback Area. Except for property located between the (b) Eugene-Springfield Metropolitan Area General Plan Boundary and the Eugene and Springfield Urban Growth Boundaries, where setbacks are provided for in LC 16.253(6), the riparian setback area shall be the area between a line 50 feet above and parallel to the ordinary high water of a Class I stream designated for riparian vegetation protection in the Rural Comprehensive Plan. No structure other than a fence or sign shall be located closer than 50 feet from the ordinary high water of a Class I stream designated for riparian vegetation protection by the Rural Comprehensive Plan. A modification to the riparian setback standard for a structure may be allowed provided the requirements of LC 16.253(3) or LC 16.253(6), as applicable, are met.
- Maintenance, Removal and Replacement of Indigenous Vegetation within the Riparian Setback Area. Maintenance, removal and replacement of indigenous vegetation within the riparian setback area designated for riparian vegetation protection by the comprehensive plan must comply with the provisions of LC 16.253(2) or LC 16.253(6), as applicable.
  - (d) Signs.
- (i) Signs shall not extend over a public right-of-way or project beyond the property line.

- (ii) Signs may be illuminated but shall not be flashing or capable of movement.
  - (iii) Signs shall be limited to 200 square feet in area.
- (iv) Signs shall not project above the height of the tallest structure on the property.
- (v) Signs shall advertise uses and development that are permitted by LC 16.294(2)(a) through (g) or (3)(a) through (v) above and that are conducted on the same premises where the signs are located; or
- (vi) Signs located in an area designated by the RCP as an unincorporated community shall advertise uses and development that are located in the same community where the signs are located and that are permitted by LC Chapter 16.
- Parking. Off street parking shall be provided in accordance with LC 16.250. (Revised by Ordinance No. 6-02, Effective 5.16.02)

# RURAL PARK AND RECREATION ZONE (RPR, RCP) RURAL COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

#### 16.295 Rural Park and Recreation Zone (RPR, RCP).

- <u>Purpose</u>. The purposes of the Rural Park and Recreation Zone (RPR, RCP) are: to implement the policies of the Lane County Rural Comprehensive Plan (RCP); to recognize existing park and recreation areas by applying the RPR, RCP zone to these areas; to provide objective land use and siting criteria in order to allow the uses and development indicated in the State Park Master Plan, the Lane County Parks Master Plan or privately developed recreation uses on developed and committed (D&C) lands; and to provide protective measures for riparian vegetation along Class I streams designated as significant in the Rural Comprehensive Plan. LC 16.295 is not retroactive. The Director has no authority to initiate compliance with LC 16.295 for lawfully (per LC Chapter 16) existing uses and development.
- Permitted Uses and Development. The uses and development in LC 16.295(a) through (n) below are allowed subject to compliance with the general provisions and exceptions specified by this chapter of Lane Code and shall not be subject to the Site Review Procedures in LC 16,257.
- Maintenance, repair or replacement of lawfully (per LC Chapter 16) existing uses and development not authorized elsewhere by LC 16,295.
- The uses and development authorized by LC 16.295(3)(a) through (k) below with approval of a special use permit are otherwise allowed without approval of a special use permit if they comply with the following conditions:
- The use and development shall not change the number, size or location of existing park and recreation structures on the subject property and shall not extend the park and recreation uses and development beyond the area of the existing park and recreation uses and development. The area of the existing park and recreation uses and development shall include all existing structures and outside areas used for park and recreation use such as private drives, off street parking and loading areas, and outside storage areas, but shall not include setback areas required by LC 16.295(6)(a) through (b) below; or
- The use and development shall be a minor addition to a park and recreation structure that does not exceed 25 percent of the floor area of the structure that existed on the date that LC 16.295 became applicable to the subject property and shall not be closer to a property line than the closest portion of existing park and recreation structures meeting the setbacks required by LC16.295(6)(a) through (b) below. To verify compliance with this condition, the applicant shall submit to the Director an

- application for verification of compliance. And, the Director shall determine if the addition to a park and recreation structure complies with this condition; or
- (iii) The use shall be located at least 200 feet from all exterior boundaries of the subject property and shall meet the setbacks required by LC16.295(6)(a) through (b) below; or
- (iv) The proposed improvement is a sign that complies with LC 16.295(6)(d) below, and is located on the wall of an existing building or is located outside the structural setback areas designated by LC 16.295(6)(a) through (b) and is not illuminated.
- A single family dwelling for a caretaker that meets the following conditions:
- The single family dwelling shall be for a caretaker in (i) conjunction with an existing park and recreation use permitted by LC 16.295(2)(a) or (b) above or (3)(a) through (k) or (o) below and located on the same lot or parcel as the existing park and recreation use;
- (ii) There are no other living quarters or dwellings on the lot, parcel or tract where the single family dwelling for the caretaker will be located; and
- (iii) The single family dwelling for the caretaker shall not be partitioned or separated by a boundary line adjustment from the portion of the same lot or parcel with the park and recreation use on it.
- (d) Farm use or forest operations or forest practices including, but not limited to, reforestation of forestland, forest road construction and maintenance, harvesting of a forest tree species, and disposal of slash.
  - Towers and fire stations for forest fire protection. (e)
  - (f) Fishing without any lodging accommodations.
  - Aids to navigation and aviation. (g)
- Water intake facilities, related treatment facilities, pumping stations (h) and distribution lines.
- Forest management research and experimentation facilities as defined by ORS 526.215.
- Uses to conserve soil, air, and water quality and to provide for wildlife and fisheries resources.
- (k) Public and semipublic structures and uses rendering direct service to the public in local areas, such as utility substations, pump stations, wells, and underground utility lines or above ground utility lines that do not require a right-of-way more than 25 feet in width. For utility substations or buildings that are located within 100 feet of the boundaries of RR zoned property, native landscaping shall be provided between the utility substations or buildings and abutting RR zoned property to screen the utility substations or buildings from the view of the RR zoned property. Landscaping required by LC 16.295(2)(k) above shall be maintained.
- Transportation facilities, services and improvements that are authorized by OAR 660-012-0065(3) and (4) and that are part of an adopted Transportation System Plan.
- (m) The following uses and developments that are included as part of an adopted State Master Park Plan or adopted Lane County Parks Master Plan that comply with OAR Division 34, State and Local Park Planning:
- Campgrounds that are used for temporary overnight camping including: recreational vehicle sites, tent sites, camper cabins, yurts, teepees, covered wagons, group shelters, and campfire program areas.

- (ii) Day use areas: picnic shelters, barbecue areas, swimming areas (not swimming pools unless located in a developed and committed lands exception area), open play fields, play structures;
- (iii) Recreational trails: walking, hiking, biking, horse, or motorized off road vehicle trails; trail staging areas;
- (iv) Boating and fishing facilities: launch ramps and landings. docks, moorage facilities, small boat storage, boating fuel stations, fish cleaning stations. boat sewage pump-out stations:
- Amenities related to park use intended only for park visitors and employees: laundry facilities; recreation shops; snack shops not exceeding 1,500 square feet of floor area;
- (vi) Support facilities serving only park lands wherein the facility is located: water supply facilities, sewage collection and treatment facilities, storm water management facilities, electrical and communication facilities, restrooms and showers, recycling and trash collection facilities, registration buildings, roads and bridges, parking areas and walkways:
- (vii) Park maintenance and management facilities located within a park; maintenance shops and yards, fuel stations for park vehicles, storage for park equipment and supplies, administrative offices, staff lodging;
- (viii) Natural and cultural resource interpretative, educational and informational facilities: interpretive centers, information/orientation centers, selfsupporting interpretative and information kiosks, natural history or cultural museums, natural history or cultural educational facilities, reconstructed historic structures for cultural resource interpretation, retail stores in state parks not exceeding 1,500 square feet for sale of books and other materials that support park resource interpretation and education;
- (ix) Visitor lodging and retreat facilities in state parks; historic lodges, houses or inns and the following associated uses in a state park retreat area only:
- (aa) Meeting halls not exceeding 2,000 square feet of floor area;
  - (bb) Dining halls (not restaurants).
- (n) Uses and development that are accessory to existing uses and development permitted under LC 16.295(2)(a) through (m) above or (3)(a) through (o) below.
- Uses and Development Subject to Approval by the Director. The uses and developments in LC 16.295(3)(a) through (k) below, not meeting the conditions in LC 16.295(2)(b) above, and the uses and development in LC 16.295(3)(l) through (o) below, are allowed subject to: submittal of a land use application pursuant to LC 14.050; compliance with the applicable land use requirements of LC 16.295(4)(a) through (h) below and elsewhere in LC Chapter 16; and review and approval of the land use application pursuant to LC 14.100 with the options for the Director to conduct a hearing or to provide written notice of the decision and the opportunity for appeal.
  - Golf course. (a)
  - Riding stables. (b)
  - (c) Yachting clubs.
  - Game rooms, miniature golf, go cart tracks. (d)
- Boat rentals or boat storage and incidental minor repairs and sale of gas.
- A clubhouse for an existing golf course. The clubhouse may include a restaurant, retail trade of food or new general merchandise, and recreation areas.

- A State or Lane County Park that is located on developed and committed exception area lands and that is not included in an adopted master park plan. These parks may include any of the uses mentioned in LC 16.295(2)(m) above.
  - (h) Race track.
  - Recreational shooting. (i)
  - (j) Airport and flying field.
  - Expansion of lawfully (in terms of LC Chapter 16) existing uses.
- Communication facilities including but not limited to those for radio. (I) television, computers, or satellites.
- (m) Telecommunication facilities, including towers, antennas, and ancillary facilities as allowed pursuant to LC 16.264
- Electric transmission lines that require a combined right-of-way of more than 25 feet in width.
- (0)Uses and development similar to uses and development allowed by LC16.295(3)(a) through (n) above if found by the Planning Director to be clearly similar to the uses and development allowed by LC 16.295(3)(a) through (n) above. Such a finding shall be made by the Director and shall comply with the following criteria:
- The use and development shall be consistent with the purpose in LC 16.295(1).
- (ii) When compared with the uses and development permitted by LC 16.295(3)(a) through (n) above, the use and development is similar to one or more of these uses and development. A comparison shall include an analysis of the:
  - (aa) Goods or services traded from the site;
  - (bb) Bulk, size, and operating characteristics of the proposed

use:

(cc) Parking demand, customer types and traffic generation;

and

- (dd) Intensity of land use of the site.
- The use and development shall not exceed the carrying (iii) capacity of the soil or of the existing water supply resources and sewer service. Factual information shall be provided about any existing or proposed sewer or water systems for the site and the site's ability to provide on-site sewage disposal and water supply if a community water or sewer system is not available.
- (iv) The use and development shall not result in public health hazards or adverse environmental impacts that violate state or federal water quality regulations.
- It shall be the applicant's responsibility to provide sufficient information to allow the Director to make the above determination.
- Criteria. New uses or development allowed by LC 16.295(3)(a) through (o) above, except for telecommunications facilities allowed in LC 16.295(3)(m) above, shall comply with the criteria in LC 16.295(4) below. Telecommunications facilities allowed by LC 16.295(3)(m) above shall comply with the requirements in LC 16.264.
- The location, design, size, shape and arrangement of the uses and structures shall be sufficient for the proposed intent and compatible with the surrounding vicinity.
- The quantity, location, height and materials of walls, fences, hedges, screen planting and landscape areas shall serve their intended purpose and shall minimize any adverse effect on existing or contemplated abutting land use.
- Suitable planting of ground cover or other surfacing shall be provided to prevent erosion and reduce dust, and suitable methods shall be provided for the continued maintenance of the planting or surfacing.

- The location, design and size of the uses shall be such that the residents or establishments to be accommodated will be adequately served by community facilities and services or by other facilities suitable for the intend uses.
- Based on anticipated traffic generation, adequate additional right-ofway and road improvements shall be provided by the development in order to address any traffic safety or congestion concerns created by the development. Consideration shall be given to the need and feasibility of widening and improving abutting streets to specifications of LC Chapter 15, "Roads," and also to the necessity for such additional requirements as lighting, sidewalks and turn and deceleration/acceleration lanes.
- There shall be a safe and efficient circulation pattern within the boundaries of the development. Consideration shall include the layout of the site with respect to the location and dimensions of vehicular and pedestrian entrances, exits, drives, walkways, buildings and other related facilities.
- There shall be adequate off street parking and loading/unloading facilities provided in a safe and efficient manner. Consideration shall include the layout of the parking and loading/unloading facilities, and their surfacing, lighting and landscaping.
- (h) Hazards and Impacts. The proposed use will not result in public health hazards or adverse environmental impacts that violate state or federal water quality regulations.
- The proposed use and development shall not exceed the carrying capacity of the soil or of the existing water supply resources and sewer service. To address this requirement, factual information shall be provided about any existing or proposed sewer or water systems for the site and the site's ability to provide on-site sewage disposal and water supply if a community water or sewer system is not available.
- Area. No minimum is established, except what is necessary to comply with LC 16.295 and other requirements of LC Chapter 16. Land divisions shall comply with LC Chapter 13.
- Property Development Standards. All uses and development allowed by LC 16.295(2) and (3) above shall comply with the following development standards:
- Property Line Setbacks. Structures other than a fence or sign shall be located:
- At least 20 feet from the existing and planned right-of-way of a State road, County road or a local access public road specified in LC Chapter 15; and
- (ii) 10 feet from all other property lines except as provided below. in LC 16.295(6)(b) and (c).
- Riparian Setback Area. Except for property located between the Eugene-Springfield Metropolitan Area General Plan Boundary and the Eugene and Springfield Urban Growth Boundaries, where setbacks are provided for in LC 16.253(6), the riparian setback area shall be the area between a line 50 feet above and parallel to the ordinary high water of a Class I stream designated for riparian vegetation protection in the Rural Comprehensive Plan. No structure other than a fence or sign shall be located closer than 50 feet from the ordinary high water of a Class I stream designated for riparian vegetation protection by the Rural Comprehensive Plan. A modification to the riparian setback standard for a structure may be allowed provided the requirements of LC 16.253(3) or LC 16.253(6), as applicable, are met.
- Maintenance, Removal and Replacement of Indigenous Vegetation within the Riparian Setback Area. Maintenance, removal and replacement of indigenous vegetation within the riparian setback area designated for riparian vegetation protection by the comprehensive plan must comply with the provisions of LC 16.253(2) or LC 16.253(6), as applicable, are met.

- (d) Signs.
- (i) Signs shall not extend over a public right-of-way or project beyond the property line.
- (ii) Signs may be illuminated but shall not be flashing or capable of movement.
- (iii) Signs shall advertise uses and development that are conducted on the property.
- (iv) Signs shall not project above the height of the tallest structure on the property.
  - (v) Signs shall not contain more 200 square feet in area.
- Parking. Off street parking shall be provided in accordance with LC 16.250, (Revised by Ordinance No. 6-02, Effective 5.16.02)

## LAND DIVISIONS RURAL COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

#### 16.300 Land Divisions.

- Relationship of Lane Code Chapter 13 into Lane Code Chapter 16. LC Chapter 13 is the procedure for partitioning or subdividing lands under the jurisdiction of the Lane County Rural Comprehensive Plan with the following addition:
- (a) Definitions. Abbreviations, terms, phrases, words and their derivatives shall be construed as specified in LC 16.090 instead of as specified in LC 13.010. (Revised by Ordinance No. 7-87, Effective 6.17.87)

## RURAL COMPREHENSIVE PLAN AMENDMENTS RURAL COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

#### 16.400 Rural Comprehensive Plan Amendments.

- Purpose. The Board shall adopt a Rural Comprehensive Plan. The general purpose of the Rural Comprehensive Plan is the guiding of social, economic and physical development of the County to best promote public health, safety, order, convenience, prosperity and general welfare. The Rural Comprehensive Plan shall be considered to be a dynamic policy instrument that can be modified to reflect changing circumstances and conditions as well as to correct errors and oversights. It is recognized that the Rural Comprehensive Plan affects the people of Lane County, and it is, therefore, important that the ability by individuals to propose amendments be free of restraint.
- Scope and Organization. The Rural Comprehensive Plan shall conform to the requirements of Statewide Planning Goals. The Rural Comprehensive Plan shall consist of components which shall be organized into categories by Plan type or geographic area as described in LC 16.400(3) below.
  - Plan Categories.
- Rural Comprehensive Plan. This category includes all plans relating to lands beyond the Eugene-Springfield Metropolitan Area General Plan boundary and the urban growth boundaries of the cities within Lane County.
- Special Purpose Plan. This category includes Plans addressing a single or special need. The Plans may apply Countywide or to a limited area.
- Rural Comprehensive Plan Described. The Rural Comprehensive Plan of Lane County shall consist of the following components:
  - (a) Rural Comprehensive Plan.

# Exhibit A To Ordinance No. 5-04

FINDINGS IN SUPPORT OF AN ORDINANCE AMENDING LANE CODE CHAPTER 16 TO ADOPT RIPARIAN PROTECTION REGULATIONS OUTSIDE THE EUGENE-SPRINGFIELD METROPOLITAN AREA GENERAL PLAN (METRO PLAN) URBAN GROWTH BOUNDARY AND INSIDE THE METRO PLAN BOUNDARY

The following criteria from Lane Code 16.252(2) shall be applied by the Lane County Board of Commissioners in approving or denying an amendment to the Lane Code:

The changes in the requirements of Lane Code Chapter 16 shall be enacted to achieve the general purpose of this chapter and shall not be contrary to the public interest.

The Lane County Board of Commissioners makes the following findings with respect to the criteria set forth in Lane Code 16.252(2). The revisions to the riparian regulations in Lane Code 16.253 and various zones implement the policies of the Eugene-Springfield Metropolitan Area General Plan (Metro Plan) applicable to the area between the Metro Plan boundary and the Eugene and Springfield urban growth boundaries. The revisions provide and coordinate the regulations governing the development and use of lands in Lane County. They also make clear what regulations apply for the protection of riparian resources in the Rural Comprehensive Plan and the Metro Plan where Lane Code Chapter 16 applies. For those reasons, the revisions to the riparian regulations in Lane Code Chapter 16 achieve the general purposes of this chapter and are not contrary to the public interest. In addition, the revised riparian regulations are consistent with and implement the applicable Metro Plan Goal 5 policies that address riparian resources. To the extent necessary, findings addressing the Statewide Planning Goals are included below.

The following information, analysis, reports, minutes and materials are included along with other material, in the record of this proceeding. While this supporting background material may not all be specifically mentioned or referenced in the findings, they provide most of the factual basis for these findings.

- 1. February 10, 2004 minutes and staff notes of the Second Reading/Public Hearing of the Lane County Board of Commissioners.
- 2. Testimony submitted for the February 10, 2004 Second Reading/Public Hearing of the Lane County Board of Commissioners;
- 3. January 21, 2004 minutes and staff notes of the First Reading and setting the Second Reading/Public Hearing of the Lane County Board of Commissioners.

- 4. September 23, 2003 Lane County Planning Commission Work Session and June 3, 2003 Lane County Planning Commission Public Hearing staff notes and minutes; and staff notes and minutes for the Lane County Planning Commission, November 18, 2003.
- 5. Testimony submitted for the June 3, 2003 Planning Commission Public Hearing and comments submitted at the May 7, 2003 Public Workshop on the amendments to the Lane Code Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations.

Findings of consistency with the Statewide Planning Goals adopted by the Land Conservation and Development Commission are presented for the amendments to Lane Code Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations. These amendments implement Statewide Planning Goal 5 requirements for riparian corridors in the area outside the Eugene and Springfield urban growth boundaries (UGB) and inside the Metro Plan boundary. These amendments are a product of the Metropolitan Natural Resources Study, a task in the Eugene-Springfield Metropolitan Area General Plan Periodic Review Work Program, and implement the Goal 5 riparian corridor policies of the Metro Plan.

Goal 1—Citizen Involvement: To develop a citizen involvement program that insures the opportunity for citizens to be involved in all phases of the planning process.

The Metro Plan designates the Joint Planning Commissions Committee (JPCC) as the official public involvement body for the Metro Plan. The JPCC is comprised of two planning commissioners from the Cities of Eugene and Springfield and Lane County. As part of the Periodic Review Work Program adoption process, the JPCC approved the following public involvement plan for Periodic Review projects:

- An Interested Parties Mailing List will be maintained throughout the Periodic Review process and it will be used to notify those listed of significant events such as workshops, forums, Citizen Advisory Committee work, public hearings, etc.
- Workshops will be conducted to keep the public informed about the status of all work tasks and the Metro Plan.
- Newspaper Ads and News Releases will be prepared and released to the local media prior to all events.
- Flyers, Fact Sheets, and Frequently Asked Questions papers will be prepared and distributed throughout the process, as needed.
- Presentations by project staff to local citizen and special interest groups will continue to be available on request.
- Public Hearings will be held on all changes to the Metro Plan text or diagram.

On April 26, 2003, more than twenty days prior to the June 3, 2003 joint planning commission public hearing, approximately 1,350 notices of the June 3 and June 17, 2003 public hearings were mailed to all property owners outside the UGB and inside the *Metro Plan* boundary, and to the Periodic Review Interested Parties Mailing List. The notice described the amendments to the Lane Code Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations. A Periodic Review Newsletter was included with the notice and was sent to the interested parties list as well as affected property owners. A total of 5,500 newsletters were mailed. Notice of the joint public hearings regarding the amendments to the Metro Plan and to the Lane Code was published in the Register-Guard on May 4, 2003 and May 13, 2003 and in the Springfield News, April 30, 2003, at least twenty days prior to the public hearings. Materials related to these amendments to the Lane Code riparian protection regulations were posted on the web site <a href="www.co.lane.or.us">www.co.lane.or.us</a>. The notice was posted on the Metropolitan Natural Resources Study web site, <a href="www.ci.eugene.or.us/NRS/Default.htm">www.ci.eugene.or.us/NRS/Default.htm</a>. A draft of the proposed Lane Code amendments was available for review at the Lane County Land Management Division office.

News releases were provided to the media on April 23 and May 6, 2003. A Public Workshop was held on the amendments to Lane Code and to the Metro Plan on May 7, 2003. Notice of the workshop was provided in: the news releases; the April 30, 2003 and May 4, 2003 newspaper display ads; and the Periodic Review Newsletter which was distributed as described in the previous paragraph. About 37 people attended the May 7 workshop and several people provided oral or written comment. For the most part, staff responded at the workshop to questions posed by workshop participants. Fact sheets, flyers, reports, and other written materials were provided at the workshop and available before and during the public involvement process.

This Lane Code amendment proposal is subject to the public notification and hearing processes adopted by Lane County in LC 16.252. The amendments were considered at a public hearing before the Lane County Planning Commission on June 3, 2003. Notice of the Planning Commission public hearing was published in the Register-Guard on May 13, 2003. Written notice of the public hearing was mailed to all property owners outside the UGB and inside the Metro Plan boundary and interested parties.

Following a recommendation from the Lane County Planning Commission made at their regular meeting held November 18, 2003, the Lane County Board of Commissioners held a duly noticed, on the record, first reading to consider approval, modification, or denial of the *Lane Code* amendments on January 21,2004. The Lane County Board of Commissioners held the second reading/public hearing on the *Lane Code* amendments on February 10, 2004. The Oregon Department of Land Conservation and Development (DLCD) received drafts of the proposed amendments in compliance with Periodic Review requirements.

These processes afforded ample opportunity for citizen involvement consistent with Goal 1. Therefore, the amendments are consistent with statewide planning Goal 1.

Goal 2—Land Use Planning: To establish a land use planning process and policy framework

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as a basis for all decisions and actions related to use of land and to assure an adequate factual base for such decisions and actions.

This proposal to amend the Lane Code is consistent with amendment provisions codified in the Lane Code.

On May 25, 1995, DLCD formally acknowledged the Eugene-Springfield Metropolitan Plan Periodic Review Work Program, following adoption of the work program by the Eugene and Springfield City Councils and the Lane County Board of Commissioners. The amendments to the Lane Code riparian protection regulations are one of the products that implement the requirements of the Periodic Review Work Task pertaining to the Metropolitan Natural Resources Study.

Provisions in the Lane Code (LC 16.252(2)) specify the means by which the Lane Code may be amended. This proposal, and the process for reviewing the requested amendments, follows the procedures outlined in the Lane Code, thus conforming with the established land use planning process consistent with Goal 2.

The record shows that there is an adequate factual base to support the *Lane Code* amendments, as Goal 2 requires. Refer to the report "Lane County Statewide Planning Goal Compliance for Wetlands, Riparian Corridors, and Wildlife Habitat" prepared for Lane County by Lane Council of Governments, May 2003. This report describes the Goal 5 requirements and how the county has complied with them for the area outside the UGB and within the *Metro Plan* boundary. The report includes inventory maps of the statewide wetland inventory, Goal 5 significant riparian corridors, and Goal 5 significant wildlife habitat for the area outside the UGB and inside the *Metro Plan* boundary. The purpose of the maps is to: identify wetlands for purposes of notifying the Division of State Lands concerning applications for development permits or other land use decisions affecting Goal 5 wetlands; identify significant riparian corridors for the purposes of applying Goal 5 riparian protection provisions (Class I Stream Riparian Protection Regulations) in Lane Code Chapter 16; and identify significant wildlife habitat for purposes of notifying the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife concerning applications for development permits or other land use decisions affecting significant wildlife habitat on the Goal 5 inventory.

The Goal 2 coordination requirement is met. Goal 2 requires that plans be coordinated with the plans of affected governmental units and that opportunities be provided for review and comment by affected governmental units. To comply with the Goal 2 coordination requirement, the review of the amendments was coordinated with all affected governmental units. Specifically, notice was mailed to: Springfield, City of Eugene, School District 4J; and the following state agencies: Oregon Department of Land Conservation and Development, and Oregon Department of Transportation. There are no Goal 2 Exceptions required for these amendments.

Therefore, the amendments to Lane Code Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations are consistent with Statewide Planning Goal 2.

Goal 3—Agricultural Land: To preserve and maintain agricultural lands.

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The amendments to the Lane Code riparian protection regulations make no changes to agricultural land policies or designations in the Lane County Rural Comprehensive Plan or Metro Plan. The amendments apply to land outside the UGB and inside the Metro Plan boundary. The amendments make changes to the riparian setback requirements in the forest and agricultural zones in the Lane Code to make them consistent with the safe harbor inventory and implementation provisions for riparian corridors in the Goal 5 Rule and applicable Metro Plan policies. Therefore, the amendments to the Lane Code riparian protection regulations are consistent with Statewide Planning Goal 3.

Goal 4—Forest Land: To conserve forest lands by maintaining the forest land base and to protect the state's forest economy by making possible economically efficient forest practices that assure the continuous growing and harvesting of forest tree species as the leading use on forest land consistent with sound management of soil, air, water, and fish and wildlife resources and to provide for recreational opportunities and agriculture.

The amendments to the Lane Code riparian protection regulations make no changes to forest land policies or designations in the Lane County Rural Comprehensive Plan or Metro Plan. The amendments apply to land outside the UGB and inside the Metro Plan boundary. The amendments make changes to the riparian setback requirements in the forest and agricultural zones in the Lane Code to make them consistent with the safe harbor inventory and implementation provisions for riparian corridors in the Goal 5 Rule and applicable Metro Plan policies. Therefore, the amendments to Lane Code Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations are consistent with Statewide Planning Goal 4.

Goal 5—Open Spaces, Scenic and Historic Areas, and Natural Resources: To conserve open space and protect natural and scenic resources.

Oregon Administrative Rule (OAR 660, Division 23) requires local governments to inventory and evaluate Goal 5 resources and to develop land use programs to conserve and protect Goal 5 resources identified for protection. Lane County, Springfield, and Eugene jointly completed the Goal 5 requirements in Oregon Administrative Rule (OAR 660, Division 23) for wetlands, riparian corridors, and wildlife habitat for the area between the UGB and the *Metro Plan* boundary. The amendments to the *Lane Code* riparian protection regulations complete the Goal 5 requirements for riparian corridors in the area outside the UGB and inside the *Metro Plan* boundary. The amendments rely on the Goal 5 inventory of riparian corridors as shown on adopted *Metro Plan* maps, and apply protection measures for riparian corridors in compliance with the safe harbor implementation requirements for riparian corridors in the Goal 5 Rule and applicable Metro Plan policies. Therefore, the amendments to *Lane Code* Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations are consistent with Statewide Planning Goal 5.

Goal 6—Air, Water and Land Resources Quality: To maintain and improve the quality of the air, water and land resources of the state.

The amendments to the Lane Code Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations make no changes to policies or designations affecting air, water and land resources quality in the Lane County Rural Comprehensive Plan or Metro Plan. The amendments apply to land outside the UGB and inside the Metro Plan boundary. The amendments rely on the Goal 5 inventory of riparian corridors as shown on adopted Metro Plan maps, and make changes to the riparian setback requirements in the forest, agricultural, natural resource, marginal lands, public reserve, quarry and mining, inmate work camp, and destination resort zones in the Lane Code to make them consistent with the safe harbor inventory and implementation provisions for riparian corridors in the Goal 5 Rule and applicable Metro Plan policies. These changes may improve water quality through more stringent requirements on uses within the riparian setback. Therefore, the amendments to Lane Code Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations are consistent with Statewide Planning Goal 6.

Goal 7—Areas Subject to Natural Disasters and Hazards: To protect life and property from natural disasters and hazards.

The amendments to the Lane Code Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations make no substantive changes to policies or findings in the Lane County Rural Comprehensive Plan or Metro Plan affecting areas subject to natural disasters and hazards and will not affect Rural Comprehensive Plan or Metro Plan compliance with Goal 7. Lane County development code regulations implement Goal 7 and are consistent with Goal 7. The amendments to the Lane Code do not affect those development code provisions. Continued compliance will occur through protections established by the floodplain development regulations of Lane County. Therefore, the amendments to the Lane Code Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations are consistent with Statewide Planning Goal 7.

**Goal 8—Recreational Needs:** To satisfy the recreational needs of the citizens of the state and visitors and, where appropriate, to provide for the siting of necessary recreational facilities including destination resorts.

The amendments to the Lane Code Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations make no changes to policies or findings in the Lane County Rural Comprehensive Plan or Metro Plan affecting recreational needs and facilities and will not affect Rural Comprehensive Plan or Metro Plan compliance with Goal 8. Therefore, the amendments to the Lane Code Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations are consistent with Statewide Planning Goal 8.

Goal 9—Economic Development: To provide adequate opportunities throughout the state for a variety of economic activities vital to the health, welfare, and prosperity of Oregon's citizens.

The amendments to the Lane Code Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations make no changes to policies or findings in the Lane County Rural Comprehensive Plan or Metro Plan affecting economic development and will not affect Rural Comprehensive Plan or Metro Plan compliance with Goal 9. Therefore, the amendments to Lane Code Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations are consistent with Statewide Planning Goal 9.

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Goal 10—Housing: To provide for the housing needs of citizens of the state.

The amendments to the Lane Code Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations make no changes to policies or findings in the Lane County Rural Comprehensive Plan or Metro Plan affecting housing and will not affect Rural Comprehensive Plan or Metro Plan compliance with Goal 10. Therefore, the amendments to Lane Code Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations are consistent with Statewide Planning Goal 10.

Goal 11—Public Facilities and Services: To plan and develop a timely, orderly and efficient arrangement of public facilities and services to serve as a framework for urban and rural development.

The amendments to the Lane Code riparian protection regulations do not affect the provision of facilities or services and do not change project lists in the December 2001 Eugene-Springfield Metropolitan Area Public Facilities and Services Plan (PFSP). The amendments to the Lane Code Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations make no changes to policies or findings in the Lane County Rural Comprehensive Plan or Metro Plan affecting public facilities and services and will not affect Rural Comprehensive Plan or Metro Plan compliance with Goal 11. Therefore, the amendments to Lane Code Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations are consistent with Statewide Planning Goal 11.

Goal 12—Transportation: To provide and encourage a safe, convenient and economic transportation system.

The amendments to the Lane Code riparian protection regulations will not significantly affect any of the roads in the metropolitan area. The amendments will not affect the road projects in the Eugene-Springfield Metropolitan Area Transportation System Plan (TransPlan). TransPlan was adopted in the fall of 2001, became effective November 31, 2002, and was published as the December 2001 TransPlan.

The amendments will not affect a transportation facility and will not affect compliance with policies or projects contained in *TransPlan*, a functional refinement to the *Metro Plan*, acknowledged as complying with the requirements of Goal 12. Therefore, the amendments to *Lane Code* Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations will not affect *Metro Plan* compliance with Goal 12.

Goal 13—Energy Conservation: To conserve energy.

The amendments to the Lane Code Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations make no changes to policies or findings in the Lane County Rural Comprehensive Plan or Metro Plan affecting energy conservation and will not affect Rural Comprehensive Plan or Metro Plan compliance

with Goal 13. Therefore, the amendments to *Lane Code* Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations are consistent with Statewide Planning Goal 13.

**Goal 14—Urbanization:** To provide for an orderly and efficient transition from rural to urban land use.

The amendments to the *Lane Code* Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations do not convert land from rural to urban use, and thus will not affect *Rural Comprehensive Plan* or *Metro Plan* compliance with Goal 14. Therefore, the amendments to the *Lane Code* Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations are consistent with Statewide Planning Goal 14.

Goal 15—Willamette River Greenway: To protect, conserve, enhance and maintain the natural, scenic, historical, agricultural, economic and recreational qualities of lands along the Willamette River as the Willamette River Greenway.

The amendments to the Lane Code Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations make no changes to policies or findings in the Lane County Rural Comprehensive Plan or Metro Plan affecting the Willamette River Greenway and will not affect Rural Comprehensive Plan or Metro Plan compliance with Goal 15. Therefore, the amendments to the Lane Code Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations are consistent with Statewide Planning Goal 15.

Goals 16 through 19: Estuarine Resources, Coastal Shorelands, Beaches and Dunes, and Ocean Resources:

Goals 16 through 19 are not applicable to the Metro area.

### **CONCLUSION**

Based on the findings set forth herein, the Lane County Board of Commissioners concludes that the proposed amendments to the *Lane Code* Chapter 16 riparian protection regulations are consistent with applicable amendment criteria, *Metro Plan* policies and relevant statewide planning goals adopted by the Land Conservation and Development Commission.

Wetlands. Those areas that are inundated or saturated by surface or ground water at a frequency and duration sufficient to support, and that under normal circumstances do support, a prevalence of vegetation typically adapted for life in saturated soil conditions.

<u>Width</u>. The horizontal distance between the side boundary lines measured in the mean direction of the front and rear boundary lines.

Winery. A facility which produces wine and which (1) produces less than 50,000 gallons per year; and owns an onsite vineyard of at least 15 acres or a contiguous vineyard of at least 15 acres, or owns or has a long-term contract for all grapes used from a contiguous vineyard of at least 15 acres, or obtains grapes from any combination of these three sources; or (2) produces more than 50,000 gallons but less than 100,000 gallons per year; and owns an onsite vineyard of at least 40 acres or a contiguous vineyard of at least 40 acres, or owns or has a long-term contract for all grapes used from a contiguous vineyard of at least 40 acres, or obtains grapes from any combination of these three sources.

A winery as defined here shall allow only for the sale of wines produced in conjunction with the winery, and items directly related to wine, the sales of which are incidental to retail sale of wine onsite and which may include those served by a limited service restaurant as defined in ORS 624.010.

<u>Yard</u>. An open space on the same lot with a building unoccupied and obstructed from the ground upward, except as otherwise provided herein.

<u>Yard, Front</u>. A yard between the front line of the building (exclusive of steps) and the front property line.

Yard, Rear. An open, unoccupied space on the same lot with a building between the rear line of the building (exclusive of steps, porches and accessory buildings) and the rear line of the lot.

<u>Yard, Side</u>. An open, unoccupied space on the same lot with a building, between the sidewall line of the building and the side line of the lot. (Revised by Ordinance No. 7-87, Effective 6.17.87; 12-87, 8.13.87; 19-87, 10.14.87; 12-90, 10.11.90; 3-91, 5.17.91; 10-92, 11.12.92; 12-97, 11.20.97; 5-02, 8.28.02)

#### DEVELOPMENTAL APPROVAL PROCEDURES RURAL COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

# 16.100 Development. Approval Procedures Relationship of Lane Code Chapter 14 into Lane Code Chapter 16.

Lane Code Chapter 14 is the procedure for submittal, acceptance, investigation and review of applications for development of lands under the jurisdiction of the Lane County Rural Comprehensive Plan with these additions:

- (1) <u>Definitions</u>. Abbreviations, terms, phrases, words and their derivatives shall be construed as specified in LC 16.090 above instead of as specified in LC 14.015.
- (2) Ex Parte Contacts. A communication between County staff and the Planning Commission or Board shall not be considered an ex parte contact for the purposes of LC 14.200(5)(a). (Revised by Ordinance No. 7-87, Effective 6.17.87; 12-90, 10.11.90; 11-91A, 8.30.91; 5-02, 8.28.02)

#### NONIMPACTED FOREST LANDS ZONE (F-1, RCP) RURAL COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

#### 16.210 Nonimpacted Forest Lands Zone (F-1, RCP).

(1) <u>Purpose</u>. The purpose of the Nonimpacted Forest Lands District (F-1, RCP) is:

- (a) To implement the forest land policies of the Lane County Rural Comprehensive Plan, and the forest land policies of the Eugene/Springfield Metro Area General Plan.
- (b) To conserve forest land for uses consistent with Statewide Planning Goal 4.
- (2) <u>Permitted Uses</u>. The following uses and activities are permitted subject to the general provisions and exceptions set forth by this chapter of Lane Code.
- (a) Forest operations or forest practices including, but not limited to, reforestation of forest land, road construction and maintenance, harvesting of any forest tree species, application of chemicals, and disposal of slash.
- (b) Temporary onsite structures which are auxiliary to and used during the term of a particular forest operations.
- (c) Physical alteration to the land auxiliary to forest practices including, but not limited to, those made for purposes of exploration, mining, commercial gravel extraction and processing, landfills, dams, reservoirs, road construction or recreational facilities. "Auxiliary" means a use or alteration of the land which provides help or is directly associated with the conduct of a particular forest practice. An auxiliary structure is located on site, temporary in nature, and is not designed to remain for the forest's entire growth cycle from planting to harvesting. An auxiliary use is removed when a particular forest practice has concluded.
  - (d) Farm use.
- (e) Private hunting and fishing operations without any lodging accommodations.
  - (f) Towers and fire stations for forest fire protection.
- (g) Water intake facilities, canals and distribution lines for farm irrigation and ponds.
  - (h) Caretaker residences for public parks and fish hatcheries.
- (i) Exploration for and production of geothermal, gas, oil, and other associated hydrocarbons, including the placement and operation of compressors, separators and other customary production equipment for an individual well adjacent to the well head.
  - (i) Maintenance, repair or replacement of existing dwellings.
- (3) <u>Uses Subject to Director Approval</u>. The following uses may be allowed provided a land use application is submitted pursuant to LC 14.050 and approved pursuant to LC 14.100. The uses in LC 16.210(3)(a)-(u) may be allowed provided requirements in LC 16.210(5) below are met. The uses in LC 16.210(3)(v)-(bb) may be allowed provided the application contains adequate evidence demonstrating the proposed use fits within the listed classification.
  - (a) Permanent logging equipment repair and storage.
  - (b) Log scaling and weigh stations.
  - (c) Parks.
- (d) Campgrounds for areas devoted to overnight temporary use for vacation, recreational or emergency purposes, but not for residential purposes and not including intensively developed recreational uses such as swimming pools, tennis courts, retail stores or gas stations. A camping site may be occupied by a tent, travel trailer or recreational vehicle.
- (e) Television, microwave, and radio communication facilities and transmission towers.
  - (f) Fire stations for rural fire protection.
- (g) Utility facilities for the purpose of generating five (5) megawatts or less of power.
  - (h) Aids to navigation and aviation.

- (i) Water intake facilities, related treatment facilities, pumping stations, and distribution lines.
  - (j) Reservoirs and water impoundment.
  - (k) Cemeteries.
- (l) New distribution lines (e.g., electrical, gas, oil, geothermal) with rights-of-way 50 feet or less in width.
- (m) Temporary asphalt and concrete batch plants as accessory uses to specific highway projects.
- (n) Home occupations, subject to the following conditions and annual review:
- (i) Will be operated by a resident of the property on which the business is located.
  - (ii) Will employ no more than five full or part-time persons.
- (iii) Will be operated in an existing dwelling or mobile home, or other existing buildings normally associated with uses permitted under LC 16.210(2) above.
- (iv) Any structure that would not otherwise be allowed in this zone shall not be allowed for use as a home occupation.
- (v) Will not interfere with existing uses on nearby land or with other uses permitted under LC 16.210(2) above.
  - (vi) Will comply with sanitation and building code requirements.
  - (vii) Will not be used as a justification for a zone change.
  - (viii) Will comply with any additional conditions of approval.
- (ix) Approved applications for home occupations shall be valid until December 31 of the year that the application was initially approved or until December 31 of the year for which an extension of the approval was granted by the Director as provided below. Prior to December 31 of each year, the property owner or applicant who received initial approval, or a renewal pursuant to this section, shall provide the Director with written request for renewal of the Home Occupation and written information sufficient to allow the Director to determine if the Conditions of Approval and other approval criteria have been satisfied. The Director shall review this information for each approved home occupation to determine if it continues to comply with the conditions of approval. Home occupations which continue to comply with the conditions of approval shall receive a one-year extension of approval to December 31 of the following year, and such extension shall be put in writing by the Director and mailed to the owner of the property upon which the home occupation is located. Home occupations which do not comply with the conditions of approval, or for which a request for renewal is not received pursuant to this section, shall not receive extended approval by the Director, and the Director shall mail written notice of the decision not to extend the approval to the owner of the property upon which the home occupation is located.
- (o) One temporary mobile home in conjunction with an existing dwelling or mobile home provided the following requirements are met:
- (i) A resident of the existing dwelling or mobile home and a resident of the temporary mobile home are relatives. "Relative" means grandparent, parent, child, brother, or sister.
- (ii) A relative of one of the residences suffers a hardship and needs care from the relative in the other residence.
- (iii) Satisfactory evidence of the relative's hardship is furnished which shall include:
- (aa) A written statement, on a form provided by the Department, from the relative's physician, therapist or other professional counselor, disclosing the existence and general nature of the hardship.

- (bb) A written statement, on the form provided by the Department, disclosing person with the hardship qualifies as a relative of the person who will provide care.
- (iv) The temporary mobile home will be located on the same lot or parcel as the existing dwelling or mobile home.
- (v) The temporary mobile home will be connected to the same on-site sewage disposal system serving the existing dwelling or mobile home. If the temporary mobile home will use a public sanitary sewer system, use of an on-site sewage disposal system will not be required.
- (vi) The temporary mobile home will comply with sanitation and building code requirements.
- (vii) Approval of temporary mobile home permits shall be valid until December 31 of the year following the year of original permit approval and may be renewed once every two years until the hardship situations cease.
  - (p) Expansion of lawfully existing airports.
  - (q) Public road and highway projects described as follows:
- (i) Construction of additional passage and travel lanes requiring the acquisition of additional right-of-way but not resulting in the creation of new parcels.
- (ii) Reconstruction or modification of public roads and highways involving the removal or displacement of buildings but not resulting in the creation of new parcels.
- (iii) Improvement of public roads and highway-related public facilities such as maintenance yards, weigh stations and rest areas, where additional property or right-of-way is required but not resulting in the creation of new parcels.
- (r) Private accommodations for fishing occupied on a temporary basis may be allowed subject to compliance with LC 16.210(6)(a) or (b) below, LC 16.210(6)(c)-(f) below, and the following requirements:
- (i) Accommodations are limited to no more than 15 guest rooms as that term is defined in the Oregon Structural Specialty Code.
  - (ii) Only minor incidental and accessory retail sales are permitted.
- (iii) Accommodations are occupied temporarily for the purpose of fishing during fishing seasons authorized by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.
- (iv) Accommodations are located within 1/4 mile of fish bearing Class I waters.
- (s) Forest management research and experimentation facilities as defined by ORS 526.215 or where accessory to forest operations.
  - (t) Permanent facility for the primary processing of forest products.
- (u) Disposal site for solid waste approved by Lane County for which the Department of Environmental Quality has granted a permit under ORS 459.245, together with equipment, facilities or buildings necessary for its operation.
- (v) Uses to conserve soil, air, and water quality and to provide for wildlife and fisheries resources.
- (w) Additional local distribution lines within existing rights-of-way (e.g., electric distribution transformers, meter cabinets, terminal boxes, pedestals), or which provide service hookups, including water service hookups.
- (x) Temporary portable facility for the primary processing of forest products.
- (y) Exploration for mineral and aggregate resources as defined in ORS Chapter 517.
- (z) Widening of roads within existing rights-of-way in conformance with the transportation element of the applicable comprehensive plan including the following public road and highway projects:

- (i) Climbing and passing lanes within the right-of-way existing as of July 1, 1987.
- (ii) Reconstruction or modification of public roads and highways, not including the addition of travel lanes, where no removal or displacement of buildings would occur, or no new land parcels would result.
- (iii) Temporary public road and highway detours that will be abandoned and restored to original condition or use at such time as no longer needed.
- (iv) Minor betterment of existing public roads and highway-related facilities, such as maintenance yards, weigh stations and rest areas, within right-of-way existing as of July 1, 1987, and contiguous public-owned property utilized to support the operation and maintenance of public roads and highways.
- (aa) Uninhabitable structures accessory to fish and wildlife enhancement.
  - (bb) Temporary forest labor camps.
- (4) <u>Uses Subject to Hearings Official Approval</u>. The following uses may be allowed provided a land use application is submitted pursuant to LC 14.050 and approved by the Hearings Official pursuant to LC 14.300, and provided the requirements in LC 16.210(5) below are met:
- (a) Mining and processing of oil, gas, or other subsurface resources, as defined in ORS Chapter 520, and not otherwise permitted under LC 16.210(2)(i) above (e.g., compressors, separators and storage serving multiple wells), and mining and processing of aggregate and mineral resources as defined in ORS Chapter 517.
  - (b) Firearms training facility.
- (c) Private seasonal accommodations for fee hunting operations may be allowed subject to LC 16.210(6)(a) or (b), LC 16.210(6)(c)-(f), and the following requirements:
- (i) Accommodations are limited to no more than 15 guest rooms as that term is defined in the Oregon Structural Specialty Code, and
  - (ii) Only minor incidental and accessory retail sales are permitted.
- (iii) Accommodations are occupied temporarily for the purpose of hunting during game bird and big game hunting seasons authorized by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.
- (5) <u>Criteria for Uses Subject to Approval by the Director or Hearings Official</u>. Uses authorized by LC 16.210(3)(a)-(u) and (4) above may be allowed provided the following requirements are met:
- (a) The proposed use will not force a significant change in or significantly increase the cost of, accepted farming or forest practices on agriculture or forest lands.
- (b) The proposed use will not significantly increase fire hazard or significantly increase fire suppression costs or significantly increase risks to fire suppression personnel.
- (c) For uses authorized above in LC 16.210(3)(c), (d), (j), (n), (o) and (r), a written statement recorded with the deed or written contract with the County or its equivalent is obtained from the landowner which recognizes the rights of adjacent and nearby landowners to conduct forest operations consistent with the Forest Practices Act and Rules.
- (d) For uses authorized above in LC 16.210(4), the proposed uses will not significantly conflict with the livability and appropriate uses on adjacent and nearby lands.
- (6) <u>Siting Standards for Structures and Other Uses</u>. The following siting standards shall apply to all structures and other uses as specified above in LC 16.210(3) and (4). These standards are designed to make such uses compatible with forest operations and agriculture, to minimize wildfire hazards and risks and to conserve values

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found on forest lands. The standards in LC 16.210(6)(a)-(b) below shall be weighed together with the requirements in LC 16.210(6)(c) and (e) below to identify the building site.

- (a) Setbacks. Residences and structures shall be sited as follows:
- (i) Near residences on other tracts, near existing roads, on the most level part of the tract, on the least suitable portion of the tract for forest use and at least 30 feet from any ravine, ridge or slope; and
- (ii) With minimal intrusion into forest areas undeveloped by nonforest uses; and
- (iii) Where possible, when considering LC 16.210(6)(a)(i) and (ii) above and the dimensions and topography of the tract, at least 500 feet from the adjoining lines of property zoned F-1 and 100 feet from the adjoining lines of property zoned F-2 or EFU; and
- (iv) Except for property located between the Eugene-Springfield Metropolitan Area General Plan Boundary and the Eugene and Springfield Urban Growth Boundaries, where setbacks are provided for in LC 16.253(6), tThe riparian setback area shall be the area between a line 100 feet above and parallel to the ordinary high water of a Class I steam designated for riparian vegetation protection in the Rural Comprehensive plan. No structure other than a fence shall be located closer than 100 feet from ordinary high water of a Class I stream designated for riparian vegetation protection by the Rural Comprehensive Plan. A modification to the riparian setback standard for a structure may be allowed provided the requirements of LC 16.253(3) or LC 16.253(6), as applicable, are met; and
  - (v) Not closer than:
- (aa) 20 feet from the planned right-of-way of a state road, County road or a local access public road specified in LC Chapter 15; and
- (bb) 20 feet from an existing right-of-way of a state road, County road or a local access public road; and
  - (cc) 10 feet from all other property lines.
- (b) The amount of forest lands used to site access roads, service corridors and structures shall be minimized.
- (c) Fire Safety Measures. Residences, structures and roads shall comply with the following fire safety measures:
- (i) Fuel Breaks. Fuel breaks around residences shall be maintained as follows:
- (aa) Primary Safety Zone. The primary safety zone is a fire break extending a minimum of 30 feet in all directions around dwellings. The goal within the primary safety zone is to exclude fuels that will produce flame lengths in excess of one foot. Vegetation within the primary safety zone could include green lawns and low shrubs (less than 24 inches in height). Trees shall be spaced with greater than 15 feet between the crowns and pruned to remove dead and low (less than eight feet) branches. Accumulated leaves, needles, and other dead vegetation shall be removed from beneath trees. Nonflammable materials (i.e., rock) instead of flammable materials (i.e., bark mulch) shall be placed next to the house.

As slope increases, the primary safety zone shall increase away from the house, parallel to the slope and down the slope, as shown in the table below:

#### Size of the Primary Safety Zone by Percent Slope

	Feet of Primary	Feet of Additional
% Slope	Safety Zone	Safety Zone Down Slope
0	30	0
10	30	50
20	30	75

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  - (v) Not closer than:
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25	30	100
40	30	150

Building shall be restricted to slopes of less than 40 percent.

(bb) Secondary Fuel Break. The secondary fuel break is a fuel break extending a minimum of 100 feet in all directions around the primary safety zone. The goal of the secondary fuel break is to reduce fuels so that the overall intensity of any wildfire would be lessened and the likelihood of crown fires and crowning is reduced. Vegetation within the secondary fuel break shall be pruned and spaced so that fire will not spread between crowns of trees. Small trees and brush growing underneath larger trees shall be removed to prevent spread of fire up into the crowns of the larger trees. Dead fuels shall be removed.

- (ii) Fire Suppression Water Supplies. An adequate fire suppression system shall be provided. Unless otherwise authorized by the local fire official, the minimum acceptable system shall include the following:
- (aa) A water supply such as a pond, stream, tank, well, sump or any combination thereof, together with a delivery system capable of sustaining a volume of 20 gallons per minute for not less than 20 minutes. If a water supply is available and suitable for fire protection, such as a swimming pool, pond, stream, or lake, then road access to within 15 feet of the water's edge shall be provided for pumping units. The road access shall accommodate the turnaround of fire fighting equipment during the fire season. Permanent signs shall be posted along the access route to indicate the location of the emergency water source.
- (bb) Sufficient water outlets, together with serviceable hose not less than three-quarter inch inside diameter and a nozzle to reach the dwelling and nearby improvements.
- (cc) The water supply, pump, hose and nozzle shall be maintained as a connected, operating unit ready for immediate use during period of fire danger.
- (iii) Chimneys and Roofs. Residences or structures with any chimneys shall have a spark arrestor on the chimneys, and residences shall have a fire retardant roof.
- (d) Domestic Water Supplies. Evidence shall be provided that the domestic water supply is from a source authorized in accordance with the Department of Water Resources Oregon Administrative Rules for the appropriation of ground water (OAR 690, Division 10) or surface water (OAR 690, Division 20) and not from a Class II stream as defined in the Forest Practices Rule (OAR 629-24-101(3)). If the water supply is unavailable from public sources or sources located entirely on the property, then the applicant shall provide evidence that a legal easement has been obtained permitting domestic water lines to cross the properties of affected owners.
- (e) Fire Safety Design Standards for Roads and Driveways. Private driveways, roads or bridges accessing only commercial forest uses are not subject to compliance with these fire safety design standards for roads and driveways. An applicant shall provide evidence and a clear explanation which demonstrates why the route of access for fire fighting equipment, from the fire station to the destination point, across public roads, bridges, private roads or private access easements and driveways will comply with the standards specified below in LC 16.210(6)(e). Evidence of compliance with the standards specified in LC 16.210(6)(e) below should include objective information about the fire fighting equipment, the physical nature of the access route, the nature of any proposed improvements to the access route, and it may also include a written verification of compliance from the agency providing fire protection, or a written certification of compliance from an Oregon Registered Professional Engineer. As used herein, "road" means a way of access used for more than one use and accessory uses. As used herein "driveway" means a way of access used for one use and accessory uses.

- (i) Road and Driveway Surfaces. Roads shall have unobstructed widths of at least 20 feet including: travel surfaces with widths of at least 16 feet constructed with gravel to a depth sufficient to provide access for fire fighting vehicles and containing at least six inches in depth of gravel or with paving having a crushed base equivalent to six inches of gravel, an unobstructed area two feet in width at right angles with each side of the constructed surface, survey radii of at least 50 feet, and a vertical clearance of at least 13 feet 6 inches. Driveways shall have: constructed widths of at least 12 feet with at least six inches of gravel or with paving having a crushed base equivalent to six inches of gravel and shall have a vertical clearance of 13 feet 6 inches.
- (ii) Cul-de-sacs. Any dead-end road over 200 feet in length and not maintained by Lane County shall be considered a cul-de-sac and shall meet these standards for cul-de-sacs. Cul-de-sacs shall have a right-of-way width with a radius of at least 45 feet and an improved surface with a width of at least 36 feet. Dead-end roads shall have cul-de-sacs spaced at intervals of not less than 500 feet. Cul-de-sacs on private roads shall be marked and signed by applicants as "NO PARKING," and such signs shall be of metal or wood construction with minimum dimensions of 12 inches by 12 inches. No cul-de-sacs shall be allowed to cross any slope which will allow chimney-effect draws unless the dangerous effects of the chimney-effect draws have been mitigated by the location of the road and, where necessary, by the creation of permanent fire breaks around the road.
- (iii) Bridges and Culverts. Bridges and culverts shall be constructed to sustain a minimum gross vehicle weight of 50,000 lbs. and to maintain a minimum 16-foot road width surface or a minimum 12-foot driveway surface.
- (iv) Road and Driveway Grades. Road and driveway grades shall not exceed 16 percent except for short distances when topographic conditions make lesser grades impractical. An applicant must submit objective evidence demonstrating that road and driveway grades in excess of eight percent are adequate for the fire fighting equipment of the agency providing fire protection to access the use, fire fighting equipment and water supply.
- (v) Identification. Roads shall be named and addressed in compliance with LC 15.305-15.335.
- (vi) Driveway Vehicle Passage Turnouts. Driveways in excess of 200 feet shall provide for a 20-foot passage space (turn out) at a maximum spacing of 400 feet, or wherever visibility is limited these distances shall be reduced to allow for safe visual conduct.
- (vii) Modifications and Alternatives. The standards in LC 16.210(6)(e)(i)-(vi) above may be modified by the Approval Authority provided the applicant has submitted objective evidence demonstrating that an alternative standard would insure adequate access for fire fighting equipment from its point of origination to its point of destination. Examples of some possible alternatives to the standards in the above LC 16.210(6)(e)(i)-(vi) are provided below in LC 16.210(6)(vii).

Vehicle passage turnouts constructed at appropriate intervals and constructed to at least eight feet in width with six inches of gravel may be acceptable alternatives to the road and driveway width standards mentioned above in LC 16.210(6)(e)(i). Hammerhead turn-a-rounds may be an acceptable alternative to the standards for cul-desacs mentioned above in LC 16.210(6)(e)(ii). Railway flat bed cars of sufficient strength to maintain a minimum gross weight of 50,000 lbs. may be an acceptable alternative for short bridges or private roads and driveways. Road or driveway paving having a crushed base equivalent to six inches of base gravel may be an acceptable alternative for allowing grades in excess of those required above in LC 16.210(6)(e)(iv).

## (7) Other Development Standards.

(a) Maintenance, Removal and Replacement of Indigenous Vegetation within the Riparian Setback Area. Maintenance, removal and replacement of indigenous

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vegetation within the riparian setback area along Class I streams designated for riparian vegetation protection by the Comprehensive Pplan must comply with the provisions of LC 16.253(2) or LC 16.253(6), as applicable.

- (b) Signs.
- (i) Signs shall not extend over a public right-of-way or project beyond the property line.
  - (ii) Signs shall not be illuminated or capable of movement.
  - (iii) Signs shall be limited to 200 square feet in area.
- (8) Area. The minimum area requirement for the division of land shall be as follows:
  - (a) 80 acres.

acres; and

- (b) The minimum land division standard in LC 16.210(8)(a) above may be waived to allow a division of forest land involving a dwelling lawfully existing prior to the date of adoption of this rule provided:
  - (i) The new parcel containing the dwelling is no larger than five
- (ii) The remaining forest parcel, not containing the dwelling, contains 80 acres; or
- (iii) The remaining forest parcel, not containing the dwelling, is consolidated with another parcel which together meet the minimum land division standards of LC 16.210(8)(a) above.
- (c) The minimum land division standard in LC 16.210(8)(a) above may be waived to allow uses identified above in: LC 16.210(2)(i); LC 16.210(3)(a) through (k), (t) and (u); and LC 16.210(4)(a) and (b); provided that such uses have been approved in compliance with LC 16.210(5) above.
- (d) Notice of a decision for an application pursuant to LC 16.210(8) above shall occur in compliance with LC 16.100(3).
- (9) <u>Telecommunication Towers</u>. Notwithstanding the requirements in LC 16.210(3) above, telecommunication facilities are allowed subject to compliance with the requirements of LC 16.264 and with applicable requirements elsewhere in LC Chapter 16 including but not necessarily limited to: the riparian vegetation protection standards in LC 16.253; Floodplain Combining Zone (LC 16.244); Willamette Greenway Development Permits (LC 16.254); the Coastal Resource Management Combining Zones (LC 16.234, 16.235, 16.236, 16.237, 16.238, 16.239, 16.240, 16.241, 16.242, or 16.243); Federal or State of Oregon inventories and regulations applicable to delineated wetlands and waters of the nation or state; the Commercial Airport Safety Combining Zone (LC 16.245) and the Airport Safety Combining Zone (LC 16.246); and the Sensitive Bird Habitat protection Standards and Criteria in LC 16.005(4). (Revised by Ordinance No. 7-87, Effective 6.17.87; 18-87, 12.25.87; 14-89, 2.2.90; 12-90, 10.11.90; 11-91A, 8.30.91; 17-91, 1.17.92; 10-92, 11.12.92; 4-02, 4.10.02)

#### IMPACTED FOREST LANDS ZONE (F-2, RCP) RURAL COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

#### 16.211 Impacted Forest Lands Zone (F-2, RCP).

- (1) <u>Purpose</u>. The purposes of the Impacted Forest Lands Zone (F-2, RCP) are:
- (a) To implement the forest land policies of the Lane County Rural Comprehensive Plan and the forest land policies of the Eugene/Springfield Metro Area General Plan; and
- (b) To conserve forest land for uses consistent with Statewide Planning Goal #4, OAR 660-006 and ORS 215.700 through .755.

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- Permitted Uses. The uses and activities in LC 16.211(2)(a) through (i) below are allowed without the need for notice and the opportunity for appeal, subject to compliance with the general provisions and exceptions prescribed by this chapter of Lane Code. A determination by the Director for whether or not a use fits within the classification of uses listed in LC 16.211(2) below may constitute a "permit" as defined by ORS 215.402(4), "...discretionary approval of a proposed development of land..." For such a determination, an owner of land where the use would occur may apply in writing to the Director to provide mailed notice of the determination to nearby owners pursuant to LC 14.100(3) and (4) with the opportunity for appeal pursuant to LC 14.500. The burden of proof in the application shall be upon the owner of land to demonstrate that the proposed use fits within the classification. The Director shall provide a disclosure statement regarding this option for notice and the opportunity for appeal to owners of land applying for land use compatibility statements or permits with Lane County for the uses listed in LC 16.211(2) below.
- Forest operations or forest practices including, but not limited to. reforestation of forest land, road construction and maintenance, harvesting of forest tree species, application of chemicals, and disposal of slash.
- Temporary onsite structures which are auxiliary to and used during the term of a particular forest operation.
- Physical alteration to the land auxiliary to forest practices including, but not limited to those made for purposes of exploration, mining, commercial gravel extraction and processing, landfills, dams, reservoirs, road construction or recreational facilities. "Auxiliary" means a use or alteration of a structure or land which provides help or is directly associated with the conduct of a particular forest practice. An auxiliary structure is located on site, temporary in nature, and is not designed to remain for the forest's entire growth cycle from planting to harvesting. An auxiliary use is removed when a particular forest practice has concluded.
  - Farm use (see the definition of "Farm Use" in LC 16.090).
- Private hunting and fishing operations without any lodging (e) accommodations.
  - Towers and fire stations for forest fire protection. (f)
- (g) Water intake facilities, canals and distribution lines for farm irrigation and ponds.
- (h) Caretaker residences for public parks and fish hatcheries subject to compliance with the siting criteria in LC 16.211(8) below. Land use approval of a permit described in LC 16.211(2)(h) above shall be valid for four years from the date of the Notwithstanding the requirements in LC 14.700(5)(d)(ii) and (iii), an application for a two-year extension of the timelines for the permit approval described in LC 16.211(2)(h) above may be made and approved pursuant to LC 14.700(2).
- Exploration for and production of geothermal, gas, oil, and other associated hydrocarbons, including the placement and operation of compressors, separators and other customary production equipment for an individual well adjacent to the well head.
- Disposal site for solid waste that has been ordered established by the Environmental Quality Commission under ORS 459.049, together with the equipment, facilities or buildings necessary for its operation.
- An outdoor mass gathering as defined in ORS 433.735 or other gathering of fewer than 3,000 persons that is not anticipated to continue for more than 120 hours in any three month period is not a "land use decision" as defined in ORS 197.015(10) or subject to review under LC 16.211(3)(f-f) below.
- A wildlife habitat conservation and management plan pursuant to ORS 215.804.

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- (m) Widening of roads within existing rights-of-way as described in LC Chapter 15 or the following public road and highway projects:
- (i) Climbing and passing lanes within the right-of-way existing as of July 1, 1987;
- (ii) Reconstruction or modification of public roads and highways, including the placement of utility facilities overhead and in the subsurface of public roads and highways along the public right of way, but not including the addition of travel lanes, where no removal or displacement of buildings would occur, or no new land parcels result;
- (iii) Temporary public road and highway detours that will be abandoned and restored to original condition or use at such time as no longer needed; or
- (iv) Minor betterment of existing public road and highway related facilities, such as maintenance yards, weigh stations and rest areas, within right-of-way existing as of July 1, 1987, and contiguous public-owned property utilized to support the operation and maintenance of public roads and highways.
- Special Uses Director Review. The uses in LC 16.211(3)(a) through (f-f) below are allowed subject to compliance with the general provisions and exceptions in LC Chapter 16 and with the specific requirements in LC 16.211(3) below. Each use in 16.211(3)(a) through (f-f) below shall require submittal of an application pursuant to LC 14.050, and review and approval of the application pursuant to LC 14.100 with the options for the Director to conduct a hearing or to provide written notice of the decision and an opportunity for appeal. A use in LC 16.211(3)(a) through (s), (z) and (a-a) through (f-f) excluding LC 16.211(3)(q)(iv) below may be allowed if it will not force a significant change in, or significantly increase the cost of, accepted farming or forest practices on agriculture or forest lands and excluding LC 16.211(f-f) below if it will not significantly increase fire hazard or significantly increase fire suppression costs or significantly increase risks to fire suppression personnel. A use in LC 16.211(3)(t) through (y) below may be allowed if there is adequate information demonstrating that the use fits the use classification in LC 16.211(3)(t) through (y) below. A condition for approval of a use in LC 16.211(3)(c), (j), (n), (o) and (r) below shall be a written statement recorded with the deed or written contract with Lane County is obtained from the landowner which recognizes the rights of adjacent and nearby land owners to conduct forest operations consistent with the Forest Practices Act and Rules.
  - (a) Permanent logging equipment repair and storage.
  - (b) Log scaling and weigh stations.
  - (c) Private parks and campgrounds that comply with these requirements:
- (i) Except on a lot or parcel contiguous to a lake or reservoir, campgrounds shall not be allowed within three miles of an urban growth boundary unless an exception is approved pursuant to ORS 197.732 and OAR 660, Division 4;
- (ii) A campground is an area devoted to overnight temporary use for vacation, recreational or emergency purposes, but not for residential purposes and is established on a site or is contiguous to lands with a park or other outdoor natural amenity that is accessible for recreational use by the occupants of the campground:
- (iii) A campground shall be designed and integrated into the rural agricultural and forest environment in a manner that protects the natural amenities of the site and provides buffers of existing native trees and vegetation or other natural features between campsites;
- (iv) Campsites may be occupied by a tent, travel trailer or recreational vehicle;
- (v) Separate sewer, water or electric service hook-ups shall not be provided to individual camp sites;

- (vi) Campgrounds authorized by LC 16.211(3)(c) above shall not include intensively developed recreational uses such as swimming pools, tennis courts, retail stores or gas stations; and
- (vii) Overnight temporary use in the same campground by a camper or camper's vehicle shall not exceed a total of 30 days during any consecutive 6 month period.
- (d) Public parks including those uses specified under OAR 660-034-0035.
- (e) Television, microwave, and radio communication facilities and transmission towers. In addition to the requirements in LC 16.211(3) above, a communication facility that is a telecommunications facility as defined by LC 16.264(2) shall comply with LC 16.264.
  - (f) Fire stations for rural fire protection.
- (g) Utility facilities for the purpose of generating power that do not preclude more than ten acres from use as a commercial forest operation unless an exception is taken pursuant to OAR 660, Division 4.
  - (h) Aids to navigation and aviation.
- (i) Water intake facilities, related treatment facilities, pumping stations, and distribution lines.
  - (j) Reservoirs and water impoundment.
  - (k) Cemeteries.
- (l) New electric transmission lines with right-of-way widths of up to 100 feet as specified in ORS 772.210; and new distribution lines (e.g., electrical, gas, oil, geothermal, telephone, fiber optics cables) with rights-of-way 50 feet or less in width.
- (m) Temporary asphalt and concrete batch plants as accessory uses to specific highway projects. Within 30 days of the temporary asphalt and concrete batch plants no longer being used as accessory uses to specific highway projects, the site shall be restored to its condition prior to placement of the temporary asphalt and concrete batch plants.
  - (n) Home occupations that comply with these requirements:
- (i) Shall be operated by a resident of the property on which the business is located:
- (ii) Shall employ on the site no more than five full-time or part-time persons;
- (iii) Shall be operated substantially in the dwelling, or other existing buildings normally associated with uses permitted by LC 16.211(2) above;
- (iv) No structure shall be constructed for the home occupation that would not otherwise be allowed by LC 16.211(2) above;
- (v) Shall not unreasonably interfere with uses permitted by the zoning of nearby lands or with uses allowed by LC 16.211(2) above;
  - (vi) Shall comply with sanitation and building code requirements;
  - (vii) Shall not be used as a justification for a zone change;
- (viii) Shall comply with any additional conditions of approval established by the Approval Authority; and
- (ix) Approved applications for home occupations shall be valid until December 31 of the year following the year that the application was initially approved or until December 31 of the year for which an extension of the approval was granted by the Director as provided in LC 16.212(3)(n)(ix) below. Prior to December 31 of the year that the approval expires, the property owner or applicant who received initial approval, or a renewal pursuant to LC 16.212(3)(n)(ix), shall provide the Director with written request for renewal of the home occupation and written information sufficient to allow the Director to determine if the Conditions of Approval and other approval criteria have been satisfied. The Director shall review this information for each approved home

occupation to determine if it continues to comply with the conditions of approval. Home occupations which continue to comply with the conditions of approval shall receive a two-year extension of approval to December 31 of the following year, and such extension shall be put in writing by the Director and mailed to the owner of the property upon which the home occupation is located. Home occupations which do not comply with the conditions of approval, or for which a request for renewal is not received pursuant to this section, shall not receive extended approval by the Director, and the Director shall mail written notice of the decision not to extend the approval to the owner of the property upon which the home occupation is located.

- (o) One manufactured dwelling or park model recreation vehicle in conjunction with an existing dwelling as a temporary use for the term of a hardship suffered by the resident or a relative of the resident subject to compliance with these requirements:
- (i) As used in LC 16.211(3)(o) above, "hardship" means, "a medical hardship or hardship for the care of an aged or infirm person or persons;"
- (ii) As used in LC 16.211(3)(0) above, "relative of the resident" means, "a child, parent, stepparent, grandchild, grandparent, step grandparent, sibling, stepsibling, niece, nephew or first cousin of the existing residents;"
- (iii) The manufactured dwelling or park model recreation vehicle shall use the same subsurface sewage disposal system used by the existing dwelling, if that disposal system is adequate to accommodate the additional dwelling.
- (iv) The temporary manufactured dwelling or park model recreation vehicle will comply with Oregon Department of Environmental Quality review and removal requirements;
- (v) Except as provided in LC 16.211(3)(o)(vi) below, approval of a temporary manufactured dwelling or park model recreation vehicle permit shall be valid until December 31 of the year following the year of original permit approval and may be renewed once every two years until the hardship situation ceases or unless in the opinion of the Lane County Sanitarian the on-site sewage disposal system no longer meets DEQ requirements;
- (vi) Within 90 days of the end of the hardship situation, the manufactured dwelling or park model recreation vehicle shall be removed from the property or demolished; and
- (vii) A temporary manufactured dwelling or park model recreation vehicle approved under LC 16.211(3)(o) above shall not be eligible for replacement under LC 16.211(4) below.
  - (p) Expansion of lawfully existing airports.
  - (q) Public road and highway projects described as follows:
- (i) Construction of additional passage and travel lanes requiring the acquisition of right-of-way but not resulting in the creation of new land parcels;
- (ii) Reconstruction or modification of public roads and highways involving the removal or displacement of buildings but not resulting in the creation of new land parcels;
- (iii) Improvement of public roads and highway-related public facilities such as maintenance yards, weigh stations and rest areas, where additional property or right-of-way is required but not resulting in the creation of new land parcels;
- (iv) Adoption by the Board of an exception to Goal 4, Forest Lands, and to any other applicable goal with which the facility or improvements does not comply; or
- (v) As allowed by OAR 660, Division 12, subject to the conditions and standards as set forth in OAR 660-012-0035 and 660-012-0065.
- (r) Private accommodations for fishing occupied on a temporary basis may be allowed provided the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife (hereafter

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ODF&W) is consulted by the Planning Director at least ten working days prior to the initial permit decision. Approval of the seasonal use and facility shall comply with LC 16.211(8) below, and these requirements:

- (i) Accommodations are limited to no more than 15 guest rooms as that term is defined in the Oregon Structural Specialty Code;
  - Only minor incidental and accessory retail sales are permitted: (ii)
- (iii) Accommodations are occupied temporarily for the purpose of fishing during fishing seasons authorized by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission; and
- (iv) Accommodations are located within 1/4 mile of fish bearing Class I waters.
- Forest management research and experimentation facilities as defined by ORS 526.215 or where accessory to forest operations.
- Uses to conserve soil, air, and water quality and to provide for (t) wildlife and fisheries resources.
- Local distribution lines (e.g., electric distribution transformers, poles, meter cabinets, terminal boxes, pedestals), or equipment which provide service hookups, including water service hookups.
- Temporary portable facility for the primary processing of forest products.
- (w) Exploration for mineral and aggregate resources as defined in ORS Chapter 517.
  - (x) Uninhabitable structures accessory to fish and wildlife enhancement.
  - Temporary forest labor camps. (y)
- (z) Permanent facility for the primary processing of forest products that shall not significantly conflict with the existing uses on adjacent and nearby lands.
- (a-a) Disposal site for solid waste approved by the Lane County Board of Commissioners or a city council or both for which the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality has granted a permit under ORS 459.245, together with equipment, facilities or buildings necessary for its operation and that shall not significantly conflict with the existing uses on adjacent and nearby lands.
- (b-b) Mining and processing of oil, gas, or other subsurface resources, as defined in ORS Chapter 520, and not otherwise permitted under LC 16.211(2)(i) above (e.g., compressors, separators and storage serving multiple wells), and mining and processing of aggregate and mineral resources as defined in ORS Chapter 517 that shall not significantly conflict with the existing uses on adjacent and nearby lands.
- (c-c) Firearms training facility that shall not significantly conflict with the existing uses on adjacent and nearby lands.
- (d-d) Private seasonal accommodations for fee hunting operations may be allowed subject to LC 16.211(8), and these requirements:
- Accommodations are limited to no more than 15 guest rooms (i) as that term is defined in the Oregon Structural Specialty Code;
  - Only minor incidental and accessory retail sales are permitted;
- (iii) Accommodations are occupied temporarily for the purpose of hunting during game bird and big game hunting seasons authorized by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission; and
- (iv) Shall not significantly conflict with the existing uses on adjacent and nearby lands.
- (e-e) Any gathering, and any part of which is held in open spaces, of more than 3,000 persons which continues or can reasonably be expected to continue for more than 120 hours within any three-month period subject to compliance with the following requirements:

- (i) The application has or can comply with the requirements for an outdoor mass gathering permit set out in ORS 433.750;
  - (ii) The proposed gathering is compatible with existing land uses;
- (iii) The proposed gathering shall not materially alter the stability of the overall land use pattern of the area; and
- (iv) The provisions of ORS 433.755 shall apply to the proposed gathering.
- (f-f) A youth camp that complies with LC 16.211(11) below. A "youth camp" is a facility either owned or leased, and operated by a state or local government, or a nonprofit corporation as defined under ORS 65.001, to provide an outdoor recreational and educational experience primarily for the benefit of persons twenty-one (21) years of age and younger. Youth camps do not include any manner of juvenile detention center or juvenile detention facility. The provisions of LC 16.211(11) below do not apply to youth camps established prior to June 14, 2000.
- (4) <u>Alteration, Restoration Or Replacement Of A Lawfully Established</u> <u>Dwelling Or Manufactured Dwelling</u>.
- (a) The alteration, restoration, or replacement of a lawfully established dwelling or manufactured dwelling is an allowed use without the need for notice and the opportunity for appeal subject to compliance with the general provisions and exceptions in LC Chapter 16, LC 16.211(8) below and with these requirements:
  - (i) The property owner provides:
- (aa) Building permit or land use application records from the Lane County Land Management Division indicating that the existing dwelling or manufactured dwelling was lawfully constructed or placed on the subject property; or
- (bb) Records from the Lane County Assessment and Taxation Office indicating that the structure has existed on the property and been taxed on a continuous, annual basis from a date that, as determined by the Director, predates the zoning of the subject property.
  - (ii) The dwelling or manufactured dwelling has:
    - (aa) intact exterior walls and roof structure:
- (bb) indoor plumbing consisting of a kitchen sink, toilet and bathing facilities connected to a sanitary waste disposal system;
  - (cc) interior wiring for interior lights; and
  - (dd) a heating system.
- (iii) An alteration or replacement of a dwelling or manufactured dwelling allowed by LC 16.211(4)(a) above shall be located on the same site as the existing dwelling or manufactured dwelling. For the purpose of LC 16.211(4)(a)(iii) above, "the same site" is defined as a square with dimensions of 200 feet which is centered on the footprint of the established dwelling or manufactured dwelling;
- (iv) For a replacement, the dwelling or manufactured dwelling to be replaced shall be removed, demolished, or converted to an allowable nonresidential use within three months of the completion of the replacement dwelling or manufactured dwelling;
- (v) Land use approval of a permit described in LC 16.211(4)(a) above shall be valid for four years from the date of the approval. Notwithstanding the requirements in LC 14.700(2)(d)(ii) and (iii), an application for a two year extension of the timelines for the permit approval described in LC 16.211(4)(a)(v) above may be made and approved pursuant to LC 14.700(2);
- (vi) A temporary manufactured dwelling or park model recreation vehicle approved under LC 16.211(3)(o) above shall not be eligible for replacement under LC 16.211(4)(a) above; and
- (vii) The Director shall require as a condition of approval that the landowner for the dwelling sign and record in the Lane County deed records a document

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binding the landowner, and the landowner's successors in interest, prohibiting them from pursuing a claim for relief or cause of action alleging injury from farming or forest practices for which no action or claim is allowed under ORS 30.936 or 30.937.

- (b) The alteration, restoration, or replacement of a lawfully established dwelling or manufactured dwelling that does not meet the requirements in LC 16.211(4)(a)(i) or (iii) above is allowed subject to prior submittal of an application pursuant to LC 14.050, approval of the application pursuant to LC 14.100 with the options for the Director to conduct a hearing or to provide written notice of the decision and an opportunity for appeal, and compliance with the general provisions and exceptions in LC Chapter 16, LC 16.211(8) below and with these requirements:
- (i) There is objective evidence demonstrating that the existing dwelling or manufactured dwelling was lawfully placed on the subject property. The burden of proof is upon the applicant to provide this evidence to the Director;
  - (ii) The dwelling or manufactured dwelling has:
    - (aa) intact exterior walls and roof structure;
- (bb) indoor plumbing consisting of a kitchen sink, toilet and bathing facilities connected to a sanitary waste disposal system;
  - (cc) interior wiring for interior lights; and
  - (dd) a heating system.
- (iii) For a replacement, the dwelling or manufactured dwelling to be replaced shall be removed, demolished, or converted to an allowable nonresidential use within three months of the completion of the replacement dwelling or manufactured dwelling;
- (iv) Land use approval of a permit described in LC 16.211(4)(b) above shall be valid for four years from the date of the approval. Notwithstanding the requirements in LC 14.700(2)(d)(ii) and (iii), an application for a two year extension of the timelines for the permit approval described in LC 16.211(4)(b)(iv) above may be made and approved pursuant to LC 14.700(2);
- (v) A temporary manufactured dwelling or park model recreation vehicle approved under LC 16.211(3)(o) above shall not be eligible for replacement under LC 16.211(4)(b) above; and
- (vi) The Director shall require as a condition of approval that the landowner for the dwelling sign and record in the Lane County deed records a document binding the landowner, and the landowner's successors in interest, prohibiting them from pursuing a claim for relief or cause of action alleging injury from farming or forest practices for which no action or claim is allowed under ORS 30.936 or 30.937.
- (5) <u>Template Dwelling</u>. One single-family dwelling or manufactured dwelling is allowed subject to prior submittal of an application pursuant to LC 14.050, approval of the application pursuant to LC 14.100 with the options for the Director to conduct a hearing or to provide written notice of the decision and an opportunity for appeal, and compliance with the general provisions and exceptions in LC Chapter 16, LC 16.211(5)(a) through (f) and LC 16.211(8) below.
- (a) The tract upon which the dwelling or manufactured dwelling will be located has no other dwellings or manufactured dwellings on it. As used in LC 16.211(5), "tract" means one or more contiguous lots or parcels in the same ownership. A tract shall not be considered to consist of less than the required acreage because it is crossed by a public road or waterway.
- (b) The lot or parcel upon which the dwelling or manufactured dwelling will be located was lawfully created.
- (c) The lot or parcel upon which the dwelling or manufactured dwelling will be located:
- (i) Is predominantly composed of soils that are capable of producing 0 to 49 cubic feet per acre per year of wood fiber; and

- (aa) All or part of at least three other lots or parcels that existed on January 1,1993, are within a 160 acre square centered on the center of the subject tract measured and counted as follows:
- (A) If the subject tract abuts a road that existed on January 1, 1993, the measurement may be made by creating a 160-acre rectangle that is one mile long and one-fourth mile wide centered on the center of the subject tract and that is to the maximum extent possible, aligned with the road;
- (B) If the subject tract is 60 acres or larger and abuts a road or perennial stream, the measurement shall be made by using a 160-acre rectangle that is one mile long and one-fourth mile wide centered on the center of the subject tract that is to the maximum extent possible, aligned with the road or stream;
- (C) Lots or parcels within urban growth boundaries shall not be used to satisfy the eligibility requirements in LC 16.211(5)(c)(i)(aa) above.
- (bb) At least three dwellings or manufactured dwellings existed on January 1, 1993, on the other lots or parcels described in LC 16.211(5)(c)(i)(aa) above. If the measurement is made pursuant to LC 16.211(5)(c)(i)(aa)(B) above and if a road crosses the subject tract, then at least one of the three required dwellings or manufactured dwellings shall be located:
  - (A) On the same side of the road as the proposed

residence; and

- (B) On the same side of the road or stream as the subject tract and located within a 160-acre rectangle that is one mile long and one-fourth mile wide centered on the center on the subject tract that is to the maximum extent possible aligned with the road or stream and within one-quarter mile from the edge of the subject tract but not outside the length of the 160-acre rectangle; or
- (ii) Is predominantly composed of soils that are capable of producing 50 to 85 cubic feet per acre per year of wood fiber; and
- (aa) All or part of at least seven other lots or parcels that existed on January 1,1993, are within a 160 acre square centered on the center of the subject tract measured and counted as follows:
- (A) If the subject tract abuts a road that existed on January 1, 1993, the measurement may be made by creating a 160-acre rectangle that is one mile long and one-fourth mile wide centered on the center of the subject tract and that is to the maximum extent possible, aligned with the road;
- (B) If the subject tract is 60 acres or larger and abuts a road or perennial stream, the measurement shall be made by using a 160-acre rectangle that is one mile long and one-fourth mile wide centered on the center of the subject tract that is to the maximum extent possible, aligned with the road or stream:
- (C) Lots or parcels within urban growth boundaries shall not be used to satisfy the eligibility requirements in LC 16.211(5)(c)(ii)(aa) above.
- (bb) At least three dwellings or manufactured dwellings existed on January 1, 1993, on the other lots or parcels described in LC 16.211(5)(c)(ii)(aa) above. If the measurement is made pursuant to LC 16.211(5)(c)(ii)(aa)(B) above and if a road crosses the subject tract, then at least one of the three required dwellings or manufactured dwellings shall be located:
  - (A) On the same side of the road as the proposed

residence; and

(B) On the same side of the road or stream as the subject tract and located within a 160-acre rectangle that is one mile long and one-fourth mile wide centered on the center on the subject tract that is to the maximum extent possible aligned with the road or stream and within one-quarter mile from the edge of the subject tract but not outside the length of the 160-acre rectangle; or

- (iii) Is predominantly composed of soils that are capable of producing 85 cubic feet per acre per year of wood fiber; and
- (aa) All or part of at least eleven other lots or parcels that existed on January 1,1993, are within a 160 acre square centered on the center of the subject tract measured and counted as follows:
- (A) If the subject tract abuts a road that existed on January 1, 1993, the measurement may be made by creating a 160-acre rectangle that is one mile long and one-fourth mile wide centered on the center of the subject tract and that is to the maximum extent possible, aligned with the road;
- (B) If the subject tract is 60 acres or larger and abuts a road or perennial stream, the measurement shall be made by using a 160-acre rectangle that is one mile long and one-fourth mile wide centered on the center of the subject tract that is to the maximum extent possible, aligned with the road or stream;
- (C) Lots or parcels within urban growth boundaries shall not be used to satisfy the eligibility requirements in LC 16.211(5)(c)(iii)(aa) above.
- (bb) At least three dwellings or manufactured dwellings existed on January 1, 1993, on the other lots or parcels described in LC 16.211(5)(c)(iii)(aa) above. If the measurement is made pursuant to LC 16.211(5)(c)(iii)(aa)(B) above and if a road crosses the subject tract, then at least one of the three required dwellings or manufactured dwellings shall be located:
  - (A) On the same side of the road as the proposed

residence; and

- (B) On the same side of the road or stream as the subject tract and located within a 160-acre rectangle that is one mile long and one-fourth mile wide centered on the center on the subject tract that is to the maximum extent possible aligned with the road or stream and within one-quarter mile from the edge of the subject tract but not outside the length of the 160-acre rectangle.
- (d) Approval of a dwelling or manufactured dwelling shall comply with the requirements in LC 16.211(5)(d)(i) through (iv) below:
- (i) The owner of the tract shall plant a sufficient number of trees on the tract to demonstrate that the tract is reasonably expected to meet Department of Forestry stocking requirements at the time specified in Department of Forestry administrative rules;
- (ii) The Director shall notify the County Assessor of the above condition at the time the dwelling is approved;
- (iii) If the lot or parcel is more than ten acres, the property owner shall submit a stocking survey report to the County Assessor and the Assessor will verify that the minimum stocking requirements have been met by the time required by Department of Forestry rules; and
- (iv) If the Department of Forestry determines that the tract does not meet those requirements and notifies the owner and the Assessor that the land is not being managed as forest land, the Assessor will remove the forest land designation pursuant to ORS 321.359 and impose the additional tax pursuant to ORS 321.372.
- (e) Prior to land use clearance of a building permit for the dwelling or manufactured dwelling, when the lot or parcel on which the dwelling or manufactured dwelling will be located is part of a tract, the remaining portions of the tract shall be consolidated into a single lot or parcel and a deed restriction using the form provided in OAR 660-06-027(6), "Exhibit A," shall be completed and recorded with Lane County Deeds and Records. The covenants, conditions and restrictions in the deed restriction:
- (i) Shall be irrevocable, unless a statement of release is signed by the Director;
- (ii) May be enforced by the Department of Land Conservation and Development or by Lane County;

- (iii) Shall, together with a map or other record depicting any tract which does not qualify for a dwelling, be maintained in the Department records and be readily available to the public; and
- (iv) The failure to follow the requirements of LC 16.211(5)(e) above shall not affect the validity of the transfer of property or the legal remedies available to the buyers of the property which is the subject of the covenants, conditions and restrictions required by LC 16.211(5)(e) above.
- (f) Land use approval of a permit described in LC 16.211(5) above shall be valid for four years from the date of the approval. Notwithstanding the requirements in LC 14.700(2)(d)(ii) and (iii), an application for a two year extension of the timelines for the permit approval described in LC 16.211(5)(f) above may be made and approved pursuant to LC 14.700(2).
- (g) The Director shall require as a condition of approval that the landowner for the dwelling sign and record in the Lane County deed records a document binding the landowner, and the landowner's successors in interest, prohibiting them from pursuing a claim for relief or cause of action alleging injury from farming or forest practices for which no action or claim is allowed under ORS 30.936 or 30.937.
- (6) Lot of Record Dwelling. One single family dwelling or manufactured dwelling is allowed subject to prior submittal of an application pursuant to LC 14.050, approval of the application pursuant to LC 14.100 with the options for the Director to conduct a hearing or to provide written notice of the decision and an opportunity for appeal, and compliance with the general provisions and exceptions in LC Chapter 16, LC 16.211(6)(a) through (j) and LC 16.211(8) below.
- (a) "Owner" includes wife, husband, son, daughter, mother, father, brother, brother-in-law, sister, sister-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, mother-in-law, father-in-law, aunt, uncle, niece, nephew, stepparent, stepchild, grandparent or grandchild of the owner or a business entity owned by any one or combination of these family members.
- (b) "Tract" means "One or more contiguous lots or parcels in the same ownership. A tract shall not be considered to consist of less than the required acreage because it is crossed by a public road or waterway."
- (c) "Commercial tree species" means "trees recognized under rules adopted under ORS 527.715 for commercial production."
  - (d) The lot or parcel on which the dwelling will be sited was:
    - (i) Lawfully created; and
- (ii) Acquired and owned continuously by the present owner since prior to January 1, 1985, or acquired by devise or by interstate succession from a person who acquired the lot or parcel prior to January 1, 1985.
- (e) The tract on which the dwelling will be sited does not include a dwelling.
- (f) If the lot or parcel on which the dwelling will be sited was part of a tract on November 4, 1993, then no dwelling exists on another lot or parcel that was part of that tract.
  - (g) The dwelling will be located on a tract that:
- (i) Is composed of soils not capable of producing 5,000 cubic feet per year of commercial tree species;
- (ii) Is located within 1,500 feet of a public road that is maintained and either paved or surfaced with rock and that meets the following requirements:
- (aa) A "Public Road" means, "a road over which the public has a right of use that is a matter of public record;"
- (bb) Shall not be a United States Bureau of Land Management road; and

- (cc) Shall not be a United States Forest Service road unless the road is paved to a minimum width of 18 feet, there is at least one defined lane in each direction and a maintenance agreement exists between the United States Forest Service and landowners adjacent to the road, a local government or a state agency.
- (h) If the lot or parcel where the dwelling will be located is part of a tract, then prior to land use clearance of the permit for the dwelling on this tract, the tract shall be consolidated into a single lot or parcel.
- (i) Approval of a dwelling shall comply with LC 16.211(6)(i)(i) through (iv) below.
- (i) The owner of the tract shall plant a sufficient number of trees on the tract to demonstrate that the tract is reasonably expected to meet Department of Forestry stocking requirements at the time specified in Department of Forestry administrative rules;
- (ii) The Director shall notify the County Assessor of the above condition at the time the dwelling is approved;
- (iii) If the lot or parcel is more than ten acres, the property owner shall submit a stocking survey report to the County Assessor and the Assessor will verify that the minimum stocking requirements have been met by the time required by Department of Forestry rules; and
- (iv) If the Department of Forestry determines that the tract does not meet those requirements and notifies the owner and the Assessor that the land is not being managed as forest land, the Assessor will remove the forest land designation pursuant to ORS 321.359 and impose the additional tax pursuant to ORS 321.372.
- (j) Land use approval of a permit described in LC 16.211(6) above shall be valid for four years from the date of the approval. Notwithstanding the requirements in LC 14.700(2)(d)(ii) and (iii), an application for a two-year extension of the timelines for the permit approval described in LC 16.211(6)(j) above may be made and approved pursuant to LC 14.700(2).
- (k) The Director shall require as a condition of approval that the landowner for the dwelling sign and record in the Lane County deed records a document binding the landowner, and the landowner's successors in interest, prohibiting them from pursuing a claim for relief or cause of action alleging injury from farming or forest practices for which no action or claim is allowed under ORS 30.936 or 30.937.
- (7) Large Tract Dwelling. One single family dwelling or manufactured dwelling is allowed subject to prior submittal of an application pursuant to LC 14.050, approval of the application pursuant to LC 14.100 with the options for the Director to conduct a hearing or to provide written notice of the decision and an opportunity for appeal, and compliance with the general provisions and exceptions in LC Chapter 16, LC 16.211(7)(a) through (f) and LC 16.211(8) below.
- (a) "Tract" means one or more contiguous lots or parcels in the same ownership. A tract shall not be considered to consist of less that the required acreage because it is crossed by a public road or waterway.
- (b) Is sited on a tract that does not contain a dwelling or manufactured dwelling.
  - (c) Is sited on a tract that:
    - (i) Contains at least 160 contiguous acres; or
- (ii) Contains at least 200 acres in one ownership that are not contiguous but are in the same county or adjacent counties and zoned for forest use.
- (d) Prior to land use clearance of a building permit for the dwelling or manufactured dwelling, when the lot or parcel where the dwelling or manufactured dwelling will be located is part of a tract, the covenants, conditions and restrictions form adopted as Exhibit A in OAR 660-006-027(6)(a) shall be completed and recorded by the property owner in Lane County Deeds and Records and a copy of the recorded instrument

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provided to the Director. The covenants, conditions and restrictions in the deed restriction:

- (i) Shall be irrevocable, unless a statement of release is signed by the Director:
- (ii) May be enforced by the Department of Land Conservation and Development or by Lane County; and
- (iii) Shall, together with a map or other record depicting any tract which does not qualify for a dwelling, be maintained in the Department records and be readily available to the public. The failure to follow the requirements of LC 16.211(7)(d) above shall not affect the validity of the transfer of property or the legal remedies available to the buyers of the property which is the subject of the covenants, conditions and restrictions required by this subsection.
- Approval of a dwelling or manufactured dwelling shall comply with the requirements in LC 16.211(7)(e)(i) through (iv) below:
- The owner of the tract shall plant a sufficient number of trees (i) on the tract to demonstrate that the tract is reasonably expected to meet Department of Forestry stocking requirements at the time specified in Department of Forestry administrative rules:
- The Director shall notify the County Assessor of the above condition at the time the dwelling is approved;
- (iii) If the lot or parcel is more than ten acres, the property owner shall submit a stocking survey report to the County Assessor and the Assessor will verify that the minimum stocking requirements have been met by the time required by Department of Forestry rules; and
- (iv) If the Department of Forestry determines that the tract does not meet those requirements and notifies the owner and the Assessor that the land is not being managed as forest land, the Assessor will remove the forest land designation pursuant to ORS 321.359 and impose the additional tax pursuant to ORS 321.372.
- Land use approval of a permit described in LC 16.211(7) above shall be valid for four years from the date of the approval. Notwithstanding the requirements in LC 14.700(2)(d)(ii) and (iii), an application for a two year extension of the timelines for the permit approval described in LC 16.211(7)(f) above may be made and approved pursuant to LC 14.700(2).
- (g) The Director shall require as a condition of approval that the landowner for the dwelling sign and record in the Lane County deed records a document binding the landowner, and the landowner's successors in interest, prohibiting them from pursuing a claim for relief or cause of action alleging injury from farming or forest practices for which no action or claim is allowed under ORS 30.936 or 30.937.
- Siting Standards for Dwellings, Structures and Other Uses. The following siting standards shall apply to all new dwellings, manufactured dwellings and structures, and other uses as specified above in LC 16.211(2)(h) and (j), and in LC 16.211(3) through (7) above. These standards are designed to make such uses compatible with forest operations and agriculture, to minimize wildfire hazards and risks and to conserve values found on forest lands. The standards in LC 16.211(8)(a)-through(b) below shall be weighed together with the requirements in LC 16.211(8)(c) and (e) below to identify the building site.
- (a) Setbacks. Residences, Ddwellings or manufactured dwellings and structures shall be sited as follows:
- Near dwellings or manufactured dwellings on other tracts, near existing roads, on the most level part of the tract, on the least suitable portion of the tract for forest use and at least 30 feet away from any ravine, ridge or slope greater than 40 percent;

(ii) With minimal intrusion into forest areas undeveloped by non-forest uses; and

(iii) Where possible, when considering LC 16.211(8)(a)(i) and (ii) above and the dimensions and topography of the tract, at least 500 feet from the adjoining lines of property zoned F-1 and 100 and at least 30 feet from the adjoining lines of property zoned F-2 or EFU; and

- (iv) Except for property located between the Eugene-Springfield Metropolitan Area General Plan Boundary and the Eugene and Springfield Urban Growth Boundaries, where setbacks are provided for in LC 16.253(6), the riparian setback area shall be the area between a line 100 feet above and parallel to the ordinary high water of a Class I stream designated for riparian vegetation protection in the Rural Comprehensive Plan. No structure other than a fence shall be located closer than 100 feet from ordinary high water of a Class I stream designated for riparian vegetation protection by the Rural Comprehensive Plan. A modification to the riparian setback standard for a structure may be allowed provided the requirements of LC 16.253(3) or LC 16.253(6), as applicable, are met; and
  - (v) Structures other than a fence or sign shall not be located closer

than:

- (aa) 20 feet from the planned right of way of a state road, County road or a local access public road specified in Lane Code LC Chapter 15; and
- (bb) 20 feet from an existing right-of-way of a state road, County road or a local access public road; and
  - (cc) 30 feet from all other property lines; and
- (dd) The minimum distance necessary to comply with LC 16.211(8)(a) above and LC 16.211(8)(b) through (d) below.
- (b) The amount of forest lands used to site access roads, service corridors and structures shall be minimized.
- (c) Fire Siting Standards. The following fire-siting standards or their equivalent shall apply to new residences, dwellings, manufactured dwellings or structures:
- (i) Fuel-Free Breaks. The owners of dwellings, manufactured dwellings and structures shall maintain a primary safety zone surrounding all structures and clear and maintain a secondary fuel break on land surrounding the dwelling or manufactured dwelling that is owned or controlled by the owner in compliance with these requirements.
- (aa) Primary Safety Zone. The primary safety zone is a fire break extending a minimum of 30 feet in all directions around dwellings, manufactured dwellings and structures. The goal within the primary safety zone is to exclude fuels that will produce flame lengths in excess of one foot. Vegetation within the primary safety zone could include green lawns and low shrubs (less than 24 inches in height). Trees shall be spaced with greater than 15 feet between the crown and pruned to remove dead and low (less than eight feet) branches. Accumulated leaves, needles, and other dead vegetation shall be removed from beneath trees. Nonflammable materials (i.e., rock) instead of flammable materials (i.e., bark mulch) shall be placed next to the house.

As slope increases, the primary safety zone shall increase away from the house, parallel to the slope and down the slope, as shown in the table below:

Size of the Primary Safety Zone by Percent Slope

	Feet of Primary	Feet of Additional	
% Slope	Safety Zone	Safety Zone Down Slope	
0	30	0	
10	30	50	

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20	30	75
25	30	100
40	30	150

Dwellings or manufactured dwellings shall not be sited on a slope greater than 40 percent.

(bb) Secondary Fuel Break. The secondary fuel break is a fuel break extending a minimum of 100 feet in all directions around the primary safety zone. The goal of the secondary fuel break is to reduce fuels so that the overall intensity of any wildfire would be lessened and the likelihood of crown fires and crowning is reduced. Vegetation within the secondary fuel break shall be pruned and spaced so that fire will not spread between crowns of trees. Small trees and brush growing underneath larger trees shall be removed to prevent spread of fire up into the crowns of the larger trees. Dead fuels shall be removed.

(ii) Structural Fire Protection. The dwelling or manufactured dwelling shall be located upon a parcel within a fire protection district or shall be provided with residential fire protection as evidenced by a long term contract with a fire protection district (FPD) recorded in Lane County Deeds and Records. If the dwelling or manufactured dwelling are not within a FPD, the applicant shall provide evidence that the applicant has submitted a written request for a long term services contract with the nearest FPD and to be annexed into the FPD boundaries. If the FPD and the Planning Director determine that inclusion within a FPD or contracting for residential fire protection is impracticable, the Planning Director shall require as a condition of approval for the dwelling or manufactured dwelling that the property owner implement and maintain a Fire Protection Plan as an alternative means for protecting the dwelling or manufactured dwelling from fire hazards, consistent with the following standards:

(aa) Implementation and maintenance in perpetuity of a 100-foot wide primary safety zone surrounding the perimeter of the dwelling or manufactured dwelling structures in compliance with the standards in LC 16.211(c)(i)(aa) above; and

(bb) An external, fire protection system as a component to the equivalent Fire Protection Plan to mitigate the threat to the dwelling and residential structures by a seasonal wildfire or the threat to the forest resource base from a fire originating on the parcel in compliance with the following standards:

(A) Provide a minimum of two all-weather, one-inch valve, fire hydrants and two fire hose reels with sufficient length of fire suppression hose at each hydrant to reach around fifty percent of the exterior of the dwelling and residential accessory structures. The hose reels shall be installed between 50-75 feet from the structure foundations. The minimum fire hose interior diameter shall be one-inch:

(B) Provide a fire nozzle with each fire hose with multiple settings to allow stream, spray and fog applications of water on the exterior of the structures and landscape;

(C) Provide and annually maintain a water supply and pumping system connected to the fire hydrants in compliance with the following minimum requirements: a swimming pool, pond, lake or similar body of water that at all times contains a minimum of 4,000 gallons of water; or a stream that has a continuous year-round flow of at least one cubic foot per second; or a 1,500-gallon storage tank, e.g., concrete septic tank connected to an operating groundwater well for refilling; or a high-yield groundwater well with a minimum yield of 30 gallons per minute for one hour; and a pump system capable of maintaining 80 psi line pressure to the two fire hydrants.

(cc) The property owner shall provide verification from the Water Resources Department that any permits or registrations required for water diversions have been obtained or that such permits or registrations are not required under state law for the use; and

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- (dd) Road or driveway access to within 15 feet of the water supply shall be provided for pumping units. The road or driveway access shall accommodate the turnaround of fire fighting equipment during the fire season. Permanent signs shall be posted along the access route to indicate the location of the emergency water source.
- (iii) Chimneys and Roofs. Dwellings, manufactured dwellings or structures with any chimneys shall have a spark arrestor on the chimneys. All habitable roofed structures shall be regulated by the State of Oregon Structural Specialty Code or the State of Oregon One and Two Family Specialty Code. Roofing for dwellings and manufactured dwellings shall be asphalt shingles in accordance with Section 903, slate shingles in accordance with Section 904, metal roofing in accordance with Section 905, tile, clay or concrete shingles in accordance with Section 907 and other approved roofing which is deemed to be equivalent to Class C rated roof covering. Wood shingles and shake roofs are not permitted. When 50 percent or more of the roof covering of any one or two family dwelling or manufactured dwelling is repaired or replaced in one year, the roof covering shall be made to comply with this section.
- (d) <u>Domestic Water Supplies</u>. Evidence shall be provided that the domestic water supply is from a source authorized in accordance with the Water Resources Department's administrative rules for the appropriation of ground water or surface water and not from a Class II stream as defined in the Forest Practices Rule, OAR Chapter 629. If the water supply is unavailable from public sources or sources located entirely on the property, then the applicant shall provide evidence that a legal easement has been obtained permitting domestic water lines to cross the properties of affected owners. For purposes of LC 16.211(8)(d) above, evidence of domestic water supply means:
- (i) Verification from a water purveyor that the use described in the application will be served by the purveyor under the purveyor's rights to appropriate water; or
- (ii) A water use permit issued by the Water Resources Department for the use described in the application; or
- (iii) Verification from the Water Resources Department that a water use permit is not required for the use described in the application. If the proposed water supply is from a well and is exempt from permitting requirements under ORS 537.545, the applicant shall submit the well constructor's report to the Department upon completion of the well.
- (e) Fire Safety Design Standards for Roads and Driveways. Private driveways, roads or bridges accessing only commercial forest uses are not subject to compliance with these fire safety design standards for roads and driveways. The route of access for fire fighting equipment, from the fire station to the destination point, across public roads, bridges, private roads or private access easements and driveways shall comply with the standards specified below in LC 16.211(8)(e). Evidence of compliance with the standards specified in LC 16.211(8)(e) below should include objective information about the fire fighting equipment, the physical nature of the access route, the nature of any proposed improvements to the access route, and it may also include a written verification of compliance from the agency providing fire protection, or a written certification of compliance from an Oregon Registered Professional Engineer. As used herein, "road" means a way of access used for more than one use and accessory uses dwelling or manufactured dwelling. As used herein, "driveway" means a way of access used for only one dwelling or manufactured dwelling.
- (i) Road and Driveway Surfaces. Roads shall have unobstructed widths of at least 20 feet including: travel surfaces with widths of at least 16 feet constructed with gravel to a depth sufficient to provide access for fire fighting vehicles and containing gravel to a depth of at least six-inches or with paving having a crushed

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base equivalent to six inches of gravel, an unobstructed area two feet in width at right angles with each side of the constructed surface, curve radii of at least 50 feet, and a vertical clearance of at least 13 feet 6 inches. Driveways shall have: constructed widths of at least 12 feet with at least six inches of gravel or with paving having a crushed base equivalent to six inches of gravel and shall have a vertical clearance of 13 feet 6 inches.

- (ii) Turnarounds. Any dead-end road over 200 feet in length and not maintained by Lane County shall meet these standards for turnarounds. Dead-end roads shall have turnarounds spaced at intervals of not less than 500 feet. Turnarounds shall comply with these design and construction standards:
- (aa) Hammerhead Turnarounds. Hammerhead turnarounds (for emergency vehicles to drive into and back out of to reverse their direction on the road) shall intersect the road as near as possible at a 90 degree angle and extend from the road at that angle for a distance of at least 20 feet. They shall be constructed to the standards for driveways in LC 16.211(8)(e)(i) above and shall be marked and signed by the applicant as "NO PARKING." Such signs shall be of metal or wood construction with minimum dimensions of 12 inches by 12 inches; or
- (bb) Cul-de-sac Turnarounds. Cul-de-sac turnarounds shall have a right-of-way width with a radius of at least 45 feet and an improved surface with a width of at least 36 feet and shall be marked and signed by the applicant as "NO PARKING." Such signs shall be of metal or wood construction with minimum dimensions of 12 inches by 12 inches; and
- (cc) No cul-de-sacs or hammerhead turnarounds shall be allowed to cross any slope which will allow chimney-effect draws unless the dangerous effects of the chimney-effect draws have been mitigated by the location of the road and, where necessary, by the creation of permanent fire breaks around the road.
- (iii) Bridges and Culverts. Bridges and culverts shall be constructed to sustain a minimum gross vehicle weight of 50,000 lbs. and to maintain a minimum 16-foot road width surface or a minimum 12-foot driveway surface. The Planning Director may allow a single-span bridge utilizing a converted railroad flatcar as an alternative to the road and driveway surface width requirements, subject to verification from a engineer licensed in the State of Oregon that the structure will comply with the minimum gross weight standard of 50,000 lbs.
- (iv) Road and Driveway Grades. Road and driveway grades shall not exceed 16 percent except for short distances when topographic conditions make lesser grades impractical. In such instances, grades up to 20 percent may be allowed for spans not to exceed 100 feet. An applicant must submit information from a Fire Protection District or engineer licensed in the State of Oregon demonstrating that road and driveway grades in excess of eight percent are adequate for the fire fighting equipment of the agency providing fire protection to access the use, fire fighting equipment and water supply.
- (v) Identification. Roads shall be named and addressed in compliance with LC 15.305 through 15.335.
- (vi) Driveway Vehicle Passage Turnouts. Driveways in excess of 200 feet shall provide for a 20-foot long and eight-foot wide passage space (turn out) with six inches in depth of gravel and at a maximum spacing of 400 feet. Shorter or longer intervals between turnouts may be authorized by the Planning Director where the Director inspects the road and determines that topography, vegetation, corners or turns obstruct visibility.
- (vii) Modifications and Alternatives. The standards in LC 16.211(8)(e)(i) through (vi) above may be modified by the Approval Authority provided the applicant has submitted objective evidence demonstrating that an alternative standard would insure adequate access for fire fighting equipment from its point of origination to its point of destination.

## (9) Other Development Standards.

- (a) Maintenance, Removal and Replacement of Indigenous Vegetation within the Riparian setback area. Maintenance, removal and replacement of indigenous vegetation within the riparian setback area along Class I streams designated for riparian vegetation protection by the Comprehensive Pplan must comply with the provisions of LC 16.253(2) or LC 16.253(6), as applicable.
  - (b) Signs.
- (i) Signs shall not extend over a public right-of-way or project beyond the property line.
  - (ii) Signs shall not be illuminated or capable of movement.
  - (iii) Signs shall be limited to 200 square feet in area.
- (10) Area. The minimum area requirement for the division of land is 80 acres subject to compliance with the requirements of LC Chapter 13 for submission, review and approval of preliminary and final partition or subdivision plans except as follows:
- (a) A parcel containing less than 80 acres may be allowed to facilitate a forest practice as defined in ORS 527.620 subject to compliance with the following requirements:
- (i) There are unique property specific characteristics present in the proposed parcel that require an amount of land smaller than 80 acres in order to conduct the forest practice;
  - (ii) The parcel shall not be eligible for siting a new dwelling;
- (iii) The parcel shall not serve as the justification for the siting of a future dwelling on other lots or parcels;
  - (iv) Shall not result in a parcel of less than 35 acres, except:
- (aa) Where the purpose of the land exchange is to facilitate an exchange of lands involving a governmental agency; or
- (bb) Where the purpose of the land division is to allow transactions in which at least one person has a cumulative ownership of at least 2,000 acres of forest land located in Lane County or a county adjacent to Lane County;
- (v) If associated with the creation of a parcel where a dwelling or manufactured dwelling is involved, the parcel containing the dwelling or manufactured dwelling shall contain at least 80 acres;
- (vi) Shall not, as the result of the land division, be used to justify the re-designation or rezoning of resource lands; and
- (vii) A landowner allowed a land division under LC 16.211(10)(a) above shall sign a statement that shall be recorded with the Lane County Clerk declaring that the landowner will not in the future complain about accepted farming or forest practices on nearby lands devoted to farm or forest use.
- (viii) LC Chapter 13 for submission, review and approval of preliminary and final partition or subdivision plans.
- (b) New land divisions less than the 80 acre parcel size required by LC 16.211(10) above are allowed for the uses listed in LC 16.211(2)(i) and (j), LC 16.211(3)(a) through (k) and LC 16.211(3)(a-a) through (d-d) above, in compliance with these requirements:
- (i) Such uses have been approved pursuant to LC 16.211(2)(i) and (j), LC 16.211(3)(a) through (k) and LC 16.211(3)(a-a) through (d-d) above;
- (ii) The parcel created for such use is the minimum size necessary for the use;
- (iii) A landowner allowed a land division under LC 16.211(10)(b) above shall sign a statement that shall be recorded with the Lane County Clerk declaring that the landowner will not in the future complain about accepted farming or forest practices on nearby lands devoted to farm or forest use;

- (iv) LC Chapter 13 for submission, review and approval of preliminary and final partition or subdivision plans.
- (c) A division of a lot or parcel for an existing dwelling or manufactured dwelling subject to compliance with these requirements:
- (i) The parcel established for the existing dwelling or manufactured dwelling shall not be larger than five acres, except as necessary to recognize physical features such as roads or streams, in which case the parcel shall not be larger than 10 acres;
- (ii) The dwelling or manufactured dwelling lawfully existed prior to June 1, 1995;
- (iii) The remaining parcel not containing the dwelling or manufactured dwelling shall:
  - (aa) contain at least 80 acres; or
- (bb) be consolidated with another parcel, and together the parcels contain at least 80 acres.
- (iv) An application for the creation of a parcel pursuant to LC 16.211(10)(c) above shall provide evidence that a restriction on the remaining parcel, not containing the dwelling or manufactured dwelling, has been recorded with Lane County Deeds and Records. The restriction shall allow no dwellings or manufactured dwellings unless authorized by law or goal on land zoned for forest use except as allowed under LC 16.211(10)(c) above. This restriction shall be irrevocable unless a statement of release is signed by the Planning Director indicating that the Lane County Rural Comprehensive Plan or land use regulations applicable to the property have been changed in such a manner that the parcel is no longer subject to statewide planning goals pertaining to agricultural land or forest land;
- (v) A landowner allowed a land division under LC 16.211(10)(c) above shall sign a statement that shall be recorded with Lane County Deeds and Records declaring that the landowner will not in the future complain about accepted farming or forest practices on nearby lands devoted to farm or forest use;
- (vi) LC Chapter 13 for submission, review and approval of preliminary and final partition or subdivision plans; and
- (vii) The Planning Director shall maintain a record of parcels that do not qualify for the siting of a new dwelling or manufactured dwelling under restrictions imposed by LC 16.211(10)(c) above. The record shall be readily available to the public.
- (d) A division of a lot or parcel for at least two existing dwellings or manufactured dwellings subject to compliance with these requirements:
- (i) At least two dwellings or manufactured dwellings lawfully existed on the lot or parcel prior to November 4, 1993;
- (ii) Each dwelling or manufactured dwelling complies with the requirements for a replacement dwelling or manufactured dwelling in LC 16.211(4)(a) or (b) above;
- (iii) Except for one lot or parcel, each lot or parcel created under LC 16.211(10)(d) above is between two and five acres in size;
- (iv) At least one dwelling or manufactured dwelling is located on each lot or parcel created under LC 16.211(10)(d) above;
- (v) The land owner of a lot or parcel created under LC 16.211(10)(d) above shall provide evidence that a restriction prohibiting the landowner and the landowner's successors in interest from further dividing the lot or parcel has been recorded with Lane County Deeds and Records. This restriction shall be irrevocable unless a statement of release signed by the Planning Director indicating that the Lane County Rural Comprehensive Plan or land use regulations applicable to the property have been changed in such a manner that the parcel is no longer subject to statewide planning