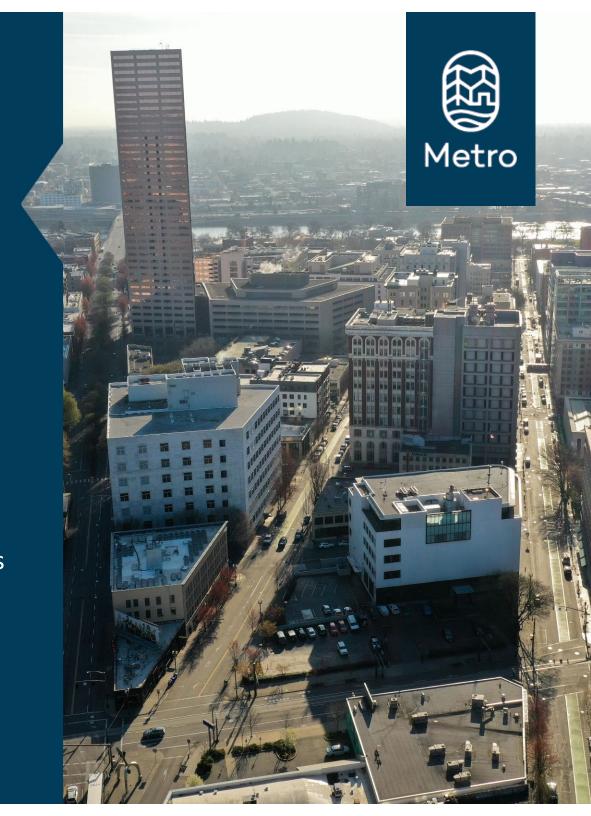
Planning for jobs and economic prosperity

Commercial Association of Brokers

June 14, 2023

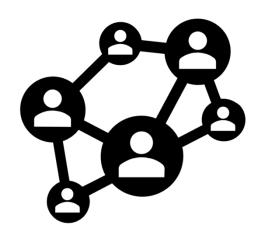


Big picture: Two truths and a lie

People move regionally

Freight moves regionally

We can solve our individual problems independently







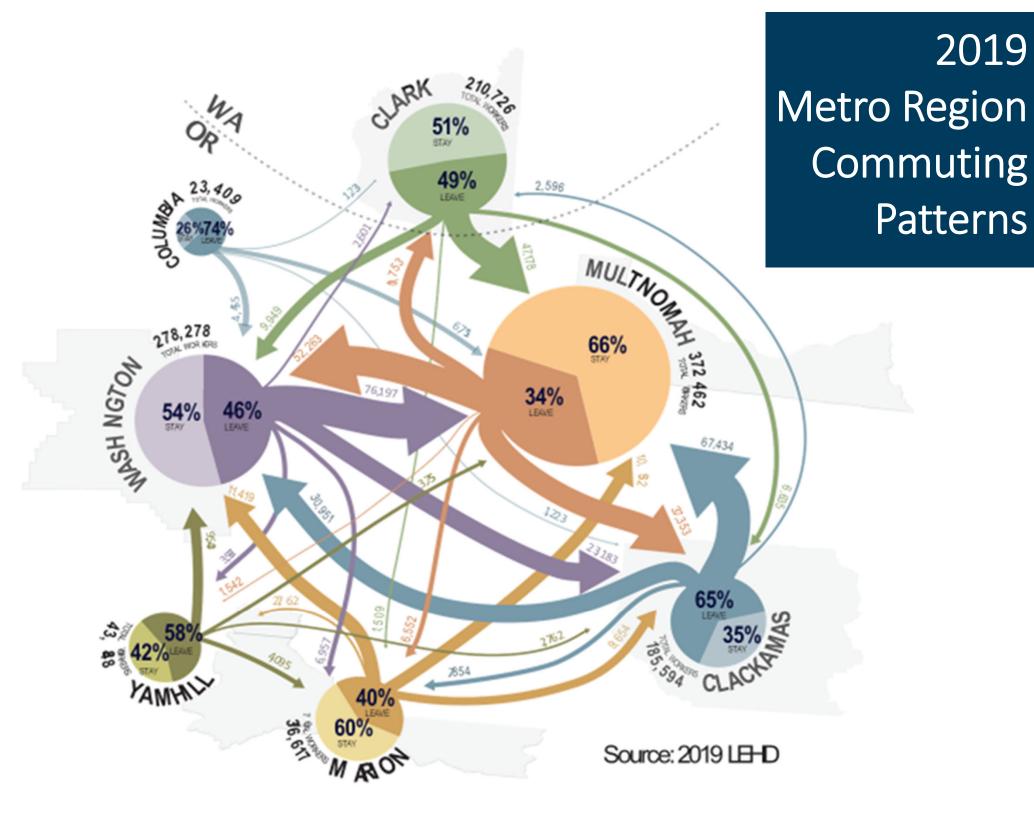
People movement: Two truths and a lie

Commute patterns in 2019:

65% of workers in Clackamas County left the county to work in another county

80% of workers in Washington County stayed in Washington County to work

49% of workers in Clark County **left** to go work in Multnomah and Washington Counties



Oregon planning

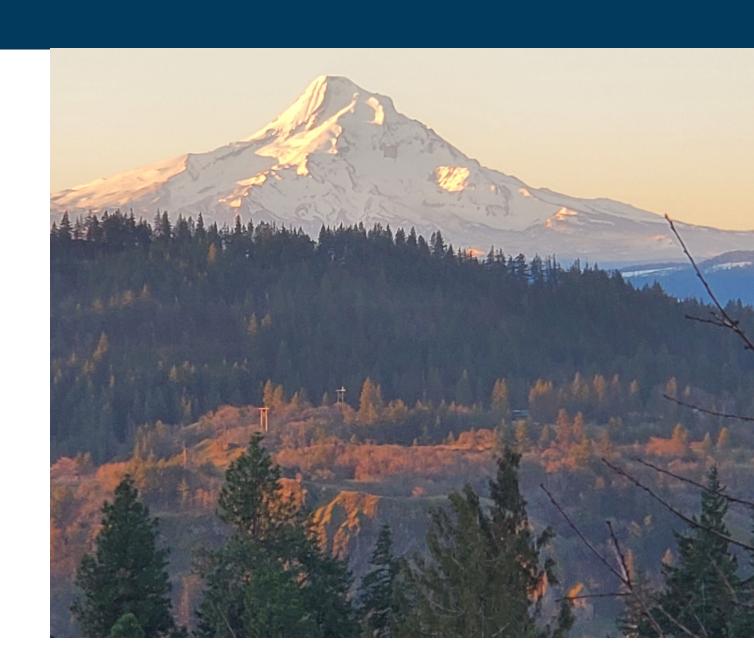
Protecting what's special

Unique beauty

Sense of place

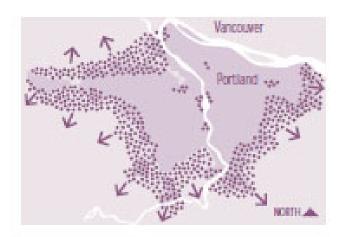
Preservation of natural areas and farmland

Carefully planning for the future



1990's: desire for unified vision

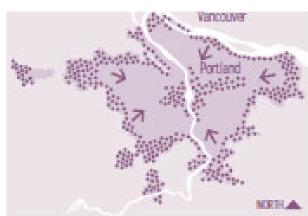
Concept A Growing out



Significant expansion of the UGB; new growth at urban edge develops mostly in the form of housing.

284,000 acres in UGB (51,000 acres added to UGB)

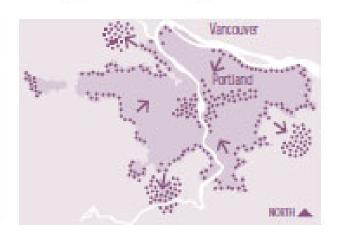
Concept B Growing up



No UGB expansion; growth accommodated through development of existing land within the urban growth boundary.

234,000 acres in UGB

Concept C Neighboring cities

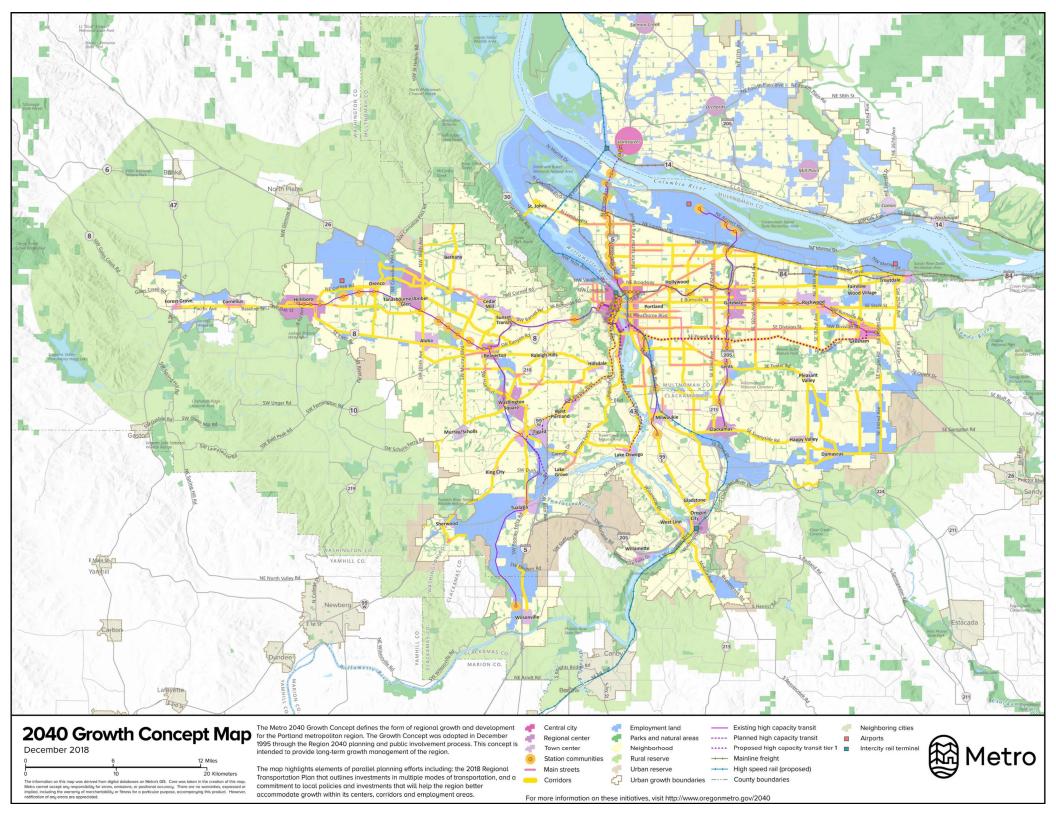


Moderate expansion of the UGB; growth focused in centers, corridors and neighboring cities.

257,000 acres in UGB (22,000 acres added to the UGB)

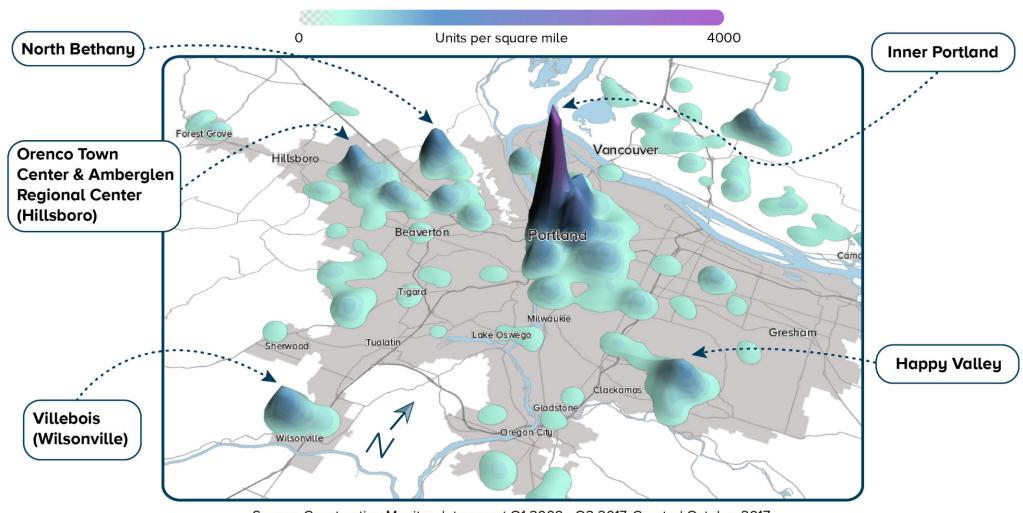
2040 Growth Vision





Growth is happening where intended

Housing permits in the Portland Metro area, 2009-2017 - units per square mile



Source: Construction Monitor data report Q1 2009 - Q2 2017. Created October 2017

Oregon growth management basics

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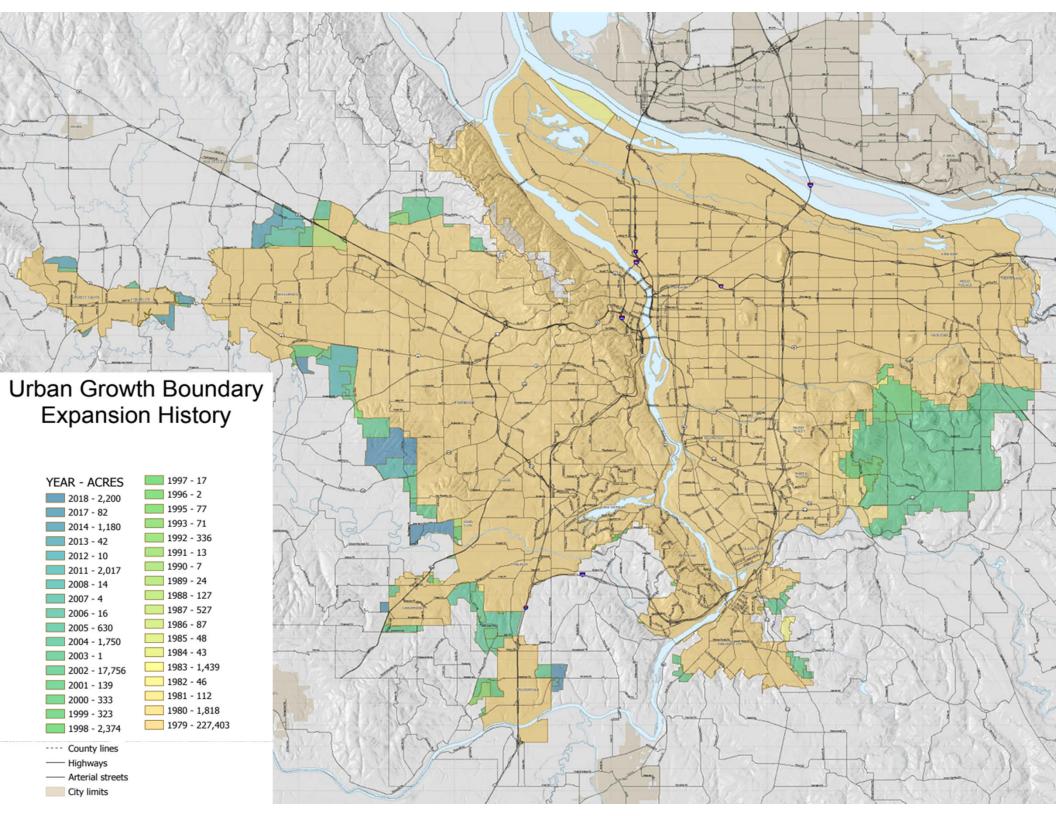
How much land is in demand inside the UGB?

BUILDABLE LAND

How much land is buildable inside the UGB?

UGB EXPANSION

Is more land is needed because of household and employment growth?



Land readiness is essential

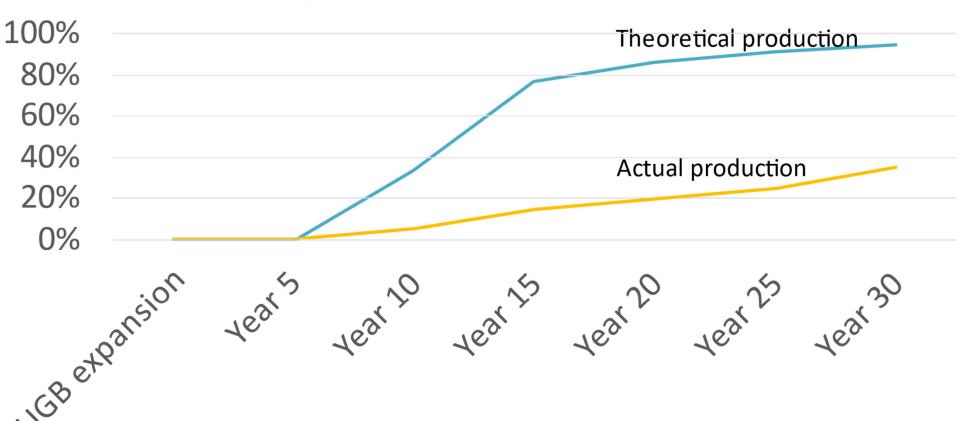
UGB expansions only produce jobs or housing when governance, infrastructure and market are addressed.





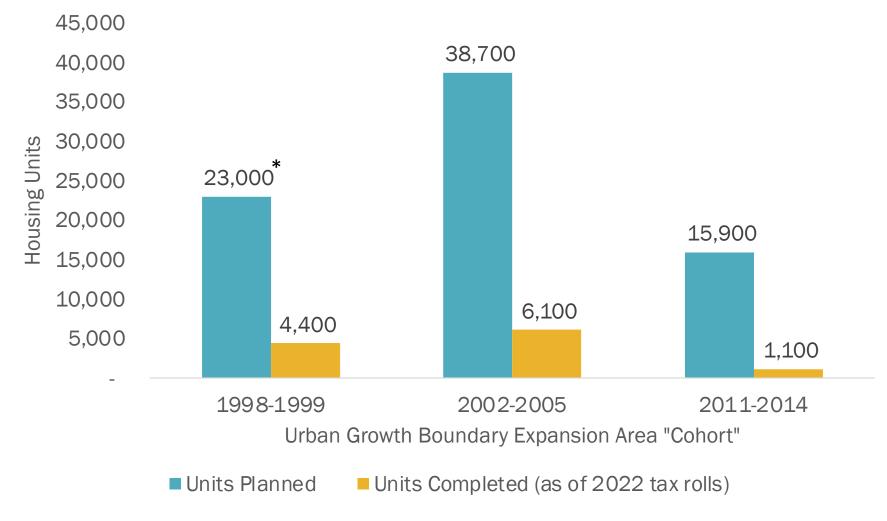
Past UGB expansions develop slowly when they weren't driven by city proposals

Share of expected homes built (illustrative)



Past UGB decisions that did not emphasize readiness have been slow to produce housing





Sources: Units planned:
Metro UGB History;
Deliveries:
ECONorthwest analysis
of 2022 RLIS tax lot data.
Note that tax lot data
tends to lag construction
completions, sometimes
by up to a year.
*Units planned may
include portions of
Wilsonville's Villebois,
which is not included in
estimated units
completed.

Metro improved its growth management process to focus on readiness

Old system

Calculate the number of housing units needed

Expand UGB based on soil types

Concept plan areas after adding to UGB

New system

Agree on where the region may grow over the next 50 years

Concept plan urban reserve areas before expansion (Metro funding)

Decide whether proposed expansions are needed based on outcomes

Growth capacity: Two truths and a lie

Projected
housing and job
growth is
determined
solely through
zoned capacity

The buildable land inventory is the foundation of the growth capacity estimates and uses aerial imagery and individual tax lot information

Redevelopment and infill potential is estimated using a regional proforma based land use model to provide a market-savvy analysis of projected growth

Factors that influence development outcomes



Parcel size and developability



Market alignment



Infrastructure serviceability, costs, and funding plans



Governance & local leadership

Regional employment forecast

Assessment of trends

Urban Growth Report:

Employment

Employment site inventory

Industrial land readiness

Metro residential readiness project

Research and analysis to guide Metro's 2024 Urban Growth Management Decision















2024 UGM decision



Technical work and analysis

Forecasts Trends analysis

Land inventories Modeling

Stakeholder engagement

Jurisdictional outreach Stakeholder group Youth cohort

City expansion proposals

Dec 2023: Letters of interest due

April 2024: Proposals due

2040 Planning & Development Grants available

Metro Council decision

Summer 2024: Draft UGR

Stakeholder group, COO recommendations

Fall 2024: MPAC, CORE recommendations

Council direction to staff

Public hearings

Dec 2024: Council decision

Questions?

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