AGENDA
WASHINGTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Agenda Category: Action – Land Use & Transportation (All CPOs)
Agenda Title: ADOPT FINDINGS FOR ORDINANCE NO. 823
Presented by: Andrew Singelakis, Director of Land Use & Transportation

SUMMARY:

Ordinance No. 823 amends the Community Development Code related to retirement housing communities in order to better meet the changing housing needs of the senior community. The amendments allow development of retirement communities with a continuum of care in more land use districts, and offer more flexibility in community design of senior housing, including provisions allowing for kitchenettes and shared bathroom facilities.

Ordinance No. 823 is posted on the County's land use ordinance webpage at the following link:

www.co.washington.or.us/landuseordinances

Post acknowledgment comprehensive plan amendments are amendments made to the County’s Comprehensive Plan after it was acknowledged by the State Department of Land Conservation and Development as complying with the Statewide Planning Goals. ORS 197.615 requires that such amendments be accompanied by findings setting forth the facts and analysis showing that the amendments are consistent with the applicable Statewide Planning Goals, Oregon Revised Statutes, State Administrative Rules and the applicable provisions of Washington County’s Comprehensive Plan.

Additionally, as required by Title 8 of Metro’s Urban Growth Management Functional Plan (UGMFP), any amendment to a comprehensive plan or implementing ordinance shall be consistent with the requirements of the UGMFP.

Attached is the Resolution and Order to adopt the findings for Ordinance No. 823. Prior to the September 5, 2017 meeting, the proposed findings will be provided to the Board, posted on the above land use ordinance webpage, and available at the Clerk’s desk.

Attachment: Resolution and Order

DEPARTMENT’S REQUESTED ACTION:

Adopt the findings for Ordinance No. 823 and authorize the Chair to sign the Resolution and Order memorializing the action.

COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR’S RECOMMENDATION:

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Date: 09/05/17
IN THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY, OREGON

In the Matter of Adopting Legislative Findings in Support of Ordinance No. 823

RESOLUTION AND ORDER

This matter having come before the Washington County Board of Commissioners at its meeting of September 5, 2017; and

It appearing to the Board that the findings contained in “Exhibit A” summarize relevant facts and rationales with regard to compliance with the Statewide Planning Goals, Oregon Revised Statutes and Administrative Rules, Washington County’s Comprehensive Plan, and titles of Metro’s Urban Growth Management Functional Plan relating to Ordinance No. 823; and

It appearing to the Board that the findings attached and herein incorporated as “Exhibit A” constitute appropriate legislative findings with respect to the adopted ordinance; and

It appearing to the Board that the Planning Commission, at the conclusion of its public hearing on August 2, 2017, made a recommendation to the Board, which is in the record and has been reviewed by the Board; and

It appearing to the Board that, in the course of its deliberations, the Board has considered the record which consists of all notices, testimony, staff reports, and correspondence from interested parties, together with a record of the Planning Commission’s proceedings, and other items submitted to the Planning Commission and Board regarding this ordinance; it is therefore,

RESOLVED AND ORDERED that the attached findings in “Exhibit A” in support of Ordinance No. 823 are hereby adopted.

DATED this 5th day of September, 2017.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY, OREGON

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
Chairman

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Recording Secretary

County Counsel
For Washington County, Oregon