

## LAND USE AND DEVELOPMENT

### INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT

Wilsonville is basically a compact City, for this reason all industrial development should be compatible with adjacent or nearby commercial and/or residential areas. Therefore, there is little need for more than one industrial designation. For all practical purposes, all development should be guided by the same general standards; dealing with intensity, etc.

#### **Policy 4.1.3 City of Wilsonville shall encourage light industry compatible with the residential and urban nature of the City.**

Implementation Measure 4.1.3.a Develop an attractive and economically sound community.

Implementation Measure 4.1.3.b Maintain high-quality industrial development that enhances the livability of the area and promotes diversified economic growth and a broad tax base.

Implementation Measure 4.1.3.c Favor capital intensive, rather than labor intensive, industries within the City.

Implementation Measure 4.1.3.d Encourage industries interested in and willing to participate in development and preservation of a high-quality environment. Continue to require adherence to performance standards for all industrial operations within the City.

Implementation Measure 4.1.3.e Site industries where they can take advantage of existing transportation corridors such as the freeway, river, and railroad.

Implementation Measure 4.1.3.f Encourage a diversity of industries compatible with the Plan to provide a variety of jobs for the citizens of the City and the local area.

Implementation Measure 4.1.3.g Encourage energy-efficient, low-pollution industries.

Implementation Measure 4.1.3.h The City, in accordance with Title 4 of the Metro Urban Growth Management Functional Plan, supports appropriate retail development within Employment and Industrial Areas. Employment and Industrial areas are expected to include some limited retail commercial uses, primarily to serve the needs of people working or living in the immediate Employment or Industrial Areas, as well as office complexes housing technology-based industries. Where the City has already designated land for commercial development within Metro's employment areas, the City has been exempted from Metro development standards.

Implementation Measure 4.1.3.i The City shall limit the maximum amount of square footage of gross leasable retail area per building or business in areas designated for industrial development. In order to assure compliance with Metro's standards for the development of industrial areas, retail uses with more than 60,000 square feet of gross leasable floor

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area per building or business shall not be permitted in areas designated for industrial development.

Implementation Measure 4.1.3.j All industrial areas will be developed in a manner consistent with industrial planned developments in Wilsonville. Non-industrial uses may be allowed within a Planned Development Industrial Zone, provided that those non-industrial uses do not limit the industrial development potential of the area.

Implementation Measure 4.1.3.k Encourage high-growth employment industries in which the City is already competitive, including advanced manufacturing, corporate and professional services, and health care and medical-related fields.

Implementation Measure 4.1.3.l Encourage growth in industrial business types prevalent in the region but new to the City, such as “craft” manufacturing (such as bicycle manufacturing, breweries, distilleries). Consider integrating live/work units into “craft” manufacturing areas.

Implementation Measure 4.1.3.m Encourage new industrial development that contributes to employment districts with a high density of jobs and a range of employment opportunities.

Implementation Measure 4.1.3.n Encourage development that incorporates active urban green spaces, such as trails, linear parks, and pocket parks, and use vegetation for buffering where possible.

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#### AREAS OF SPECIAL CONCERN

##### AREA M

This area, known as Basalt Creek, is located to the northwest of Wilsonville in Washington County. The area is generally oriented east-west, and is bound by Interstate 5 (I-5) to the east, the Portland and Western Railroad (PNWR) and the Coffee Creek Correctional Facility to the west, and Clay Street and Day Road to the south. The northern boundary is the location of the Basalt Creek Parkway, which extends from 124th Avenue and connects to Grahams Ferry Road. The Basalt Creek Parkway will run east-west between Grahams Ferry Road and Boones Ferry Road, and eventually extend over I-5. The Parkway is designed as a high-capacity major freight arterial with limited access to local streets providing industrial access between Tualatin, Sherwood, and Wilsonville.

The primary existing land uses in Basalt Creek are rural agriculture, industrial and rural residential consisting of low-density single-family housing. South of the area within the City of Wilsonville are existing and planned commercial, office, and industrial uses. The employment areas around Commerce Circle, Ridder Road, and 95th Avenue include advanced manufacturing, clean tech, warehouse, distribution, and logistics businesses. Abutting Area M along the south side of Day Road is the Coffee Creek Industrial Area, which has an adopted Master Plan and Industrial Form-based Code to enable the creation of a high-caliber business district.

The Cities of Wilsonville and Tualatin prepared the Basalt Creek Concept Plan to provide a framework for development and the provision of services in the area between the two cities. Land uses planned within the Wilsonville portion of Basalt Creek include a mix of employment development types and modest opportunities for live/work housing to support the nearby employment areas. The Concept Plan identifies three land use categories within Basalt Creek.

- High Tech Employment District. Most of the buildable acres in this area are devoted to a mix of higher density employment land. The High Tech Employment District is expected to accommodate jobs in manufacturing and high tech, with warehousing components. This land use is in the southern and eastern sections of the area, covering

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all land east of Boones Ferry Road, and most of the land south of Clay Street, extending to Day Road and bordered to the west by Coffee Creek Correctional Facility.

- Craft Industrial. The southwest corner of the intersection of Boones Ferry Road and the future Basalt Creek Parkway is planned as Craft Industrial, which allows for a mix of smaller scale commercial uses. This area allows less than 20 percent residential use and is expected to accommodate live/work units. This development responds to the topography on these parcels and their location directly south from residential land and southwest of the neighborhood commercial node north of the Basalt Creek Parkway. Craft Industrial provides a transition to the higher intensity employment uses to the south.
- Light Industrial District. This land is located along the southern edge of the Basalt Creek Parkway just north of the Coffee Creek Correctional Facility and will accommodate jobs primarily in warehousing and light manufacturing.

The 2013 Basalt Creek Transportation Refinement Plan (TRP) sets the layout of major new roads and improvements for the area. As the area develops, property owners will plan and build local roads connecting to this network. These roadway improvements will include enhanced bike and pedestrian facilities and connections to the future SMART transit system.

#### Design Objectives

1. Consider adoption of a form-based code, similar to that adopted in the Coffee Creek Industrial Area, for new industrial development located in Basalt Creek. A form-based code in Basalt Creek would guide the development of a well-designed and uniquely attractive business community, while providing flexibility for development.
2. Protect key natural resources and sensitive areas while making recreational opportunities accessible by integrating the new parkland, open spaces, natural areas and trails in Basalt Creek into existing regional networks. The area has distinctive natural features, particularly its namesake - Basalt Creek - and the surrounding wetlands habitat running north-south through the eastern half of the area. Development should protect, enhance, and provide access to these natural resources.

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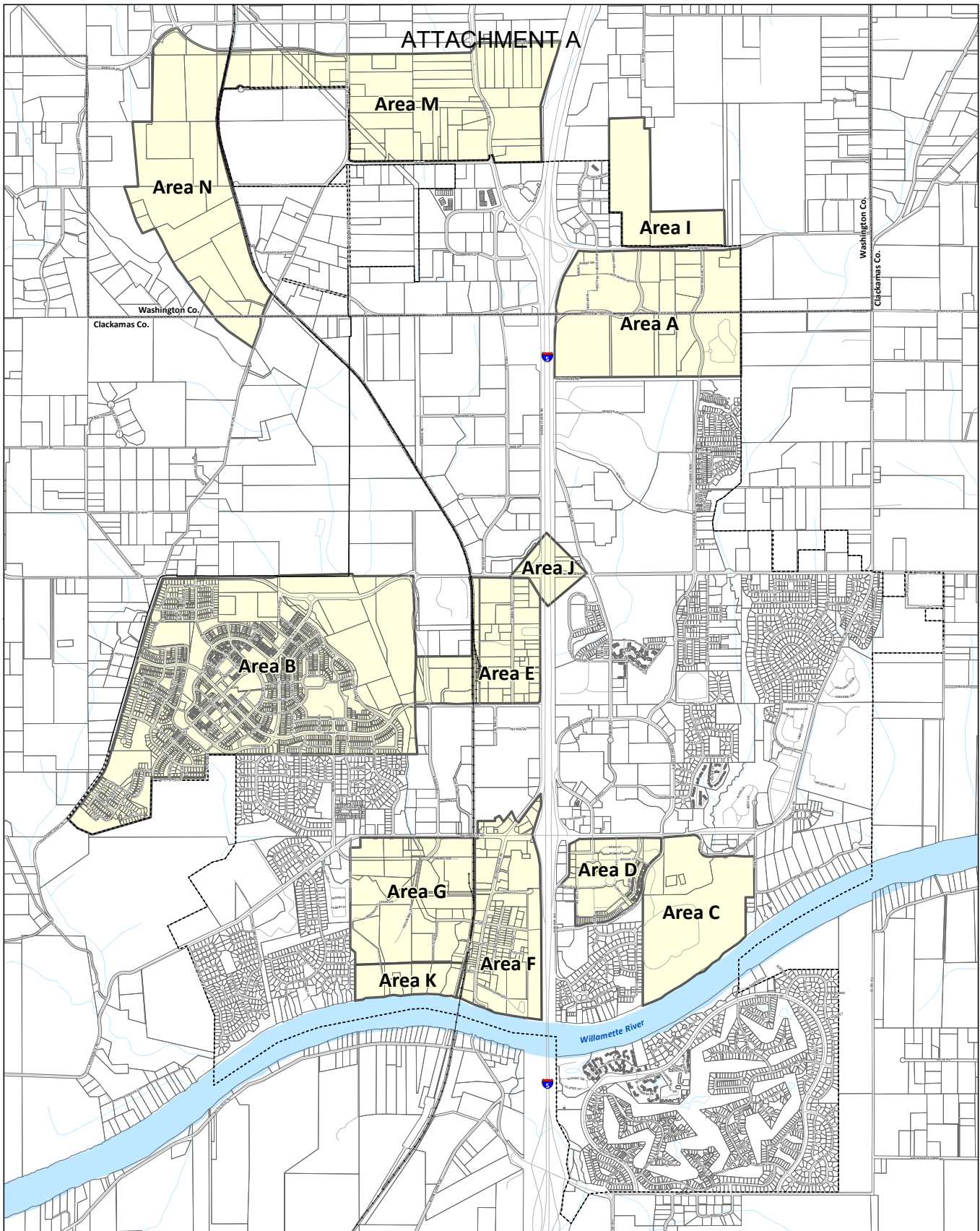
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3. Locate north to south trails near the Basalt Creek Canyon and provide bicycle connections that would connect to other cities and trail systems, serving as an asset for both residents and employees in the area.
4. Provide strong transit access to support employment within Basalt Creek. Integrate transit access with the bike, pedestrian, and trail services at key access points along Grahams Ferry Road, Boones Ferry Road, Day Road, SMART Central, and the Coffee Creek Correctional Facility.

### AREA N

This area, known as West Railroad, is south of the Basalt Creek Parkway and in City of Wilsonville jurisdiction. The West Railroad area is divided from the Basalt Creek area by the Portland and Western Railroad (PNWR) and the Coffee Creek Correctional Facility. The area is heavily constrained by wetlands habitat, steep slopes, limited access, and fragmented property ownership. Without addressing any of these constraints, development potential is limited, and initial estimates show it would be costly to serve this area with adequate water, sewer, and transportation infrastructure. However, once development and the extension of infrastructure occurs in the rest of Basalt Creek as well as the Coffee Creek Industrial Area, additional analysis should be completed on infrastructure service costs and appropriate land uses. The area also has potential for resource conservation and future public access to nature. The area will require master planning before any development occurs.



**Comprehensive Plan Areas of Special Concern**



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**Map Legend**

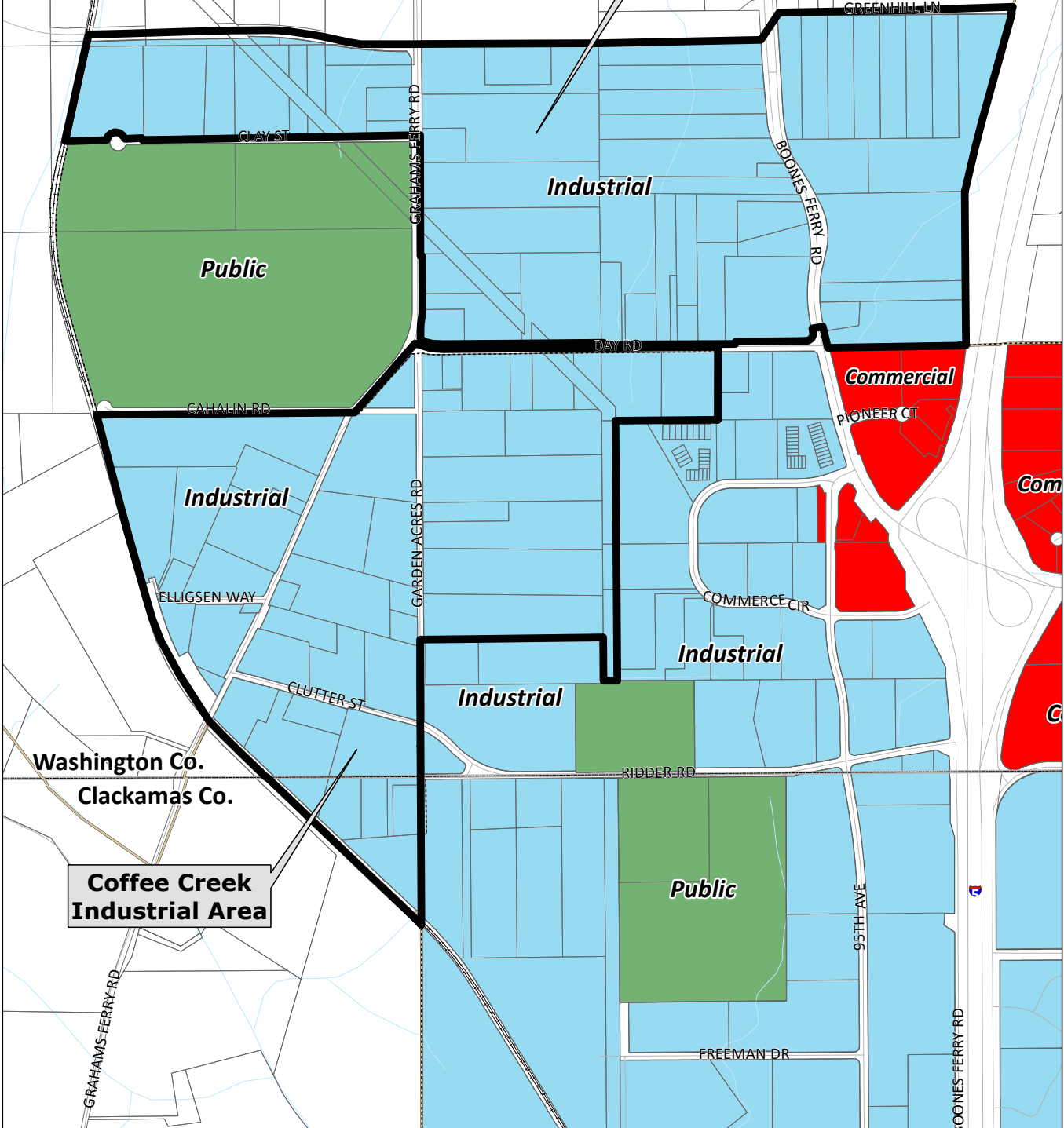
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**Basalt Creek Planning Area**



# Comprehensive Plan Map Amendments

## Basalt Creek Planning Area and Coffee Creek Industrial Area



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### Land Use Designations

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