

A VISION FOR FROG POND IN 2035

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The Frog Pond Area in 2035 is an integral part of the Wilsonville community, with attractive and connected neighborhoods. The community's hallmarks are the variety of quality homes; open spaces for gathering; nearby services, shops and restaurants; excellent schools; and vibrant parks and trails. The Frog Pond Area is a convenient bike, walk, drive, or bus trip to all parts of Wilsonville.

GUIDING PRINCIPLES FOR THE FROG POND AREA PLAN

Create great neighborhoods

Frog Pond's homes, streets, open spaces, neighborhood-scale retail, and other uses fit together into walkable, cohesive, and connected neighborhoods. Frog Pond is a fun place to live.

Create a complete streets and trails network

Streets are designed for safe and enjoyable travel by bike, on foot, or by car. A great network of trails is provided. Safe crossings and connections are provided throughout the street and trail network.

Provide access to nature

The creeks and natural areas provide opportunities to see and interact with nature close to home.

Create community gathering spaces

Beautiful parks, quality schools, and other public spaces serve as community centers and gathering places. The land uses, transportation, and open space around the Advance Road school and park sites support a compatible neighborhood plan in that area. The Frog Pond Grange, and adjacent uses, fit together as a focal point of the community.

Provide for Wilsonville's housing needs

A variety of attractive homes are provided to fulfill the City's housing needs and align with the market. Single-family homes, including some on large lots, are a significant part of the mix. Neighborhoods are designed to be multi-generational and offer a diversity of attractive housing options at a variety of prices.

Create a feasible implementation strategy

A realistic funding plan for infrastructure, smart and flexible regulations, and other strategies promote successful implementation of the plan.



Frog Pond is an extension of Wilsonville

Frog Pond is truly connected – it is an easy and safe walk, drive, bike trip, or bus ride to other parts of Wilsonville, and Frog Pond feels like a well-planned extension of the city.

Retain trees

Mature native trees are integrated into the community to enhance the area's character and value.

Honor Frog Pond's history

A sense of history is retained, recognized, and celebrated.

Provide compatible transitions to surrounding areas

New urban land uses are good neighbors to adjacent rural land uses, future developable areas, and existing neighborhoods. The plan provides for future growth of the City into adjacent urban reserves.

Promote healthy, active lifestyles

Extensive walkways, community gardens, recreational facilities, and other elements support active and healthy lifestyles.

Integrate sustainability

The plan integrates solutions which address economic, environmental and social needs. Frog Pond is a sustainable community over the long term.

Coordinate with Wilsonville's transportation network

The plan is consistent with the Wilsonville Transportation System Plan for all modes of travel: trails, bikeways, SMART, and vehicles. Traffic impacts are managed for key streets and intersections, including the I-5 interchanges.

PROCESS PRINCIPLES

- Provide early and ongoing opportunities for stakeholders to raise issues and concerns.
- Facilitate equitable and constructive communication between the public and project team.
- Empower residents to become involved with the project.
- Provide the public with balanced and objective information to help the public understand issues, alternatives, opportunities, and solutions.
- Aim to create the best product, a model that could be used in other communities.