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# COMPREHENSIVE PLAN IMPLEMENTATION PROJECT – PROPOSED CODE AMENDMENTS

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#### ACCESSORY DWELLING UNITS - IN THE FRONT YARD

Support for/proposed language

- Allow conversion of existing garage in front yard
- Allow a second story ADU to an existing garage in the front yard (carriage house)
- Allow the construction of a new ADU in the front yard
  - Subject to minimum front yard setback



#### **ADA DESIGN**

ADA design

- Requires full compliance with the commercial building code (no ADA requirements in the residential code)
- Proposed language includes ADA design in the list of required detailed design elements.



# MINIMUM LOT SIZE

Proposed code language:

- Single detached dwellings require a minimum of 5,000 sq ft
- Footnote: applies to lots created on or after the adoption date of the code.



#### MINIMUM PARKING - TOWNHOUSES

Proposed code language:

• For townhouse developments of 8 or more units: 0.5 spaces/unit







#### **NEXT STEPS**

#### April 19: Continued public hearing - Adoption



	Residential Code	Commercial Code
Duplex		
detached	Х	
side by side	Х	
stacked	Х	
Triplex		
detached	Х	
side by side		Х
stacked		Х
Quadplex		
detached	Х	
side by side		X
stacked		X
Townhouse	Х	
Cottage in a cottage cluster each with own kitchen		
detached	Х	
attached	Х	
Cottage in a cottage cluster with central kitchen		
detached		X
attached		X

# OREGON BUILDING CODE



## PARKING – HB 2001 REQUIREMENTS

Cannot require more than 1 space/middle housing dwelling unit, with exceptions.

Housing Type	Lot Size	Parking Spaces (total)
Triplex	<3,000 sq ft	1
	3,000 – 4,999 sq ft	2
	>5,000 sq ft	3
Quadplex	<3,000 sq ft	1
	3,000 – 4,999 sq ft	2
	5,000 – 6,999 sq ft	3
	>7,000 sq ft	4



## PARKING – ARTERIALS AND COLLECTORS

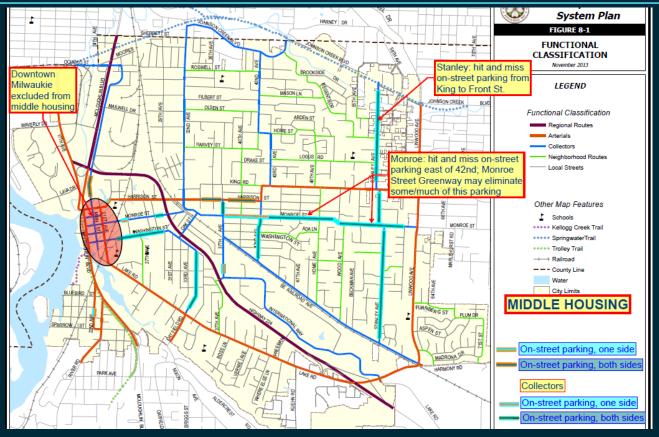
# Concern about development where on-street parking is not available or permitted

#### **Recommended revision:**

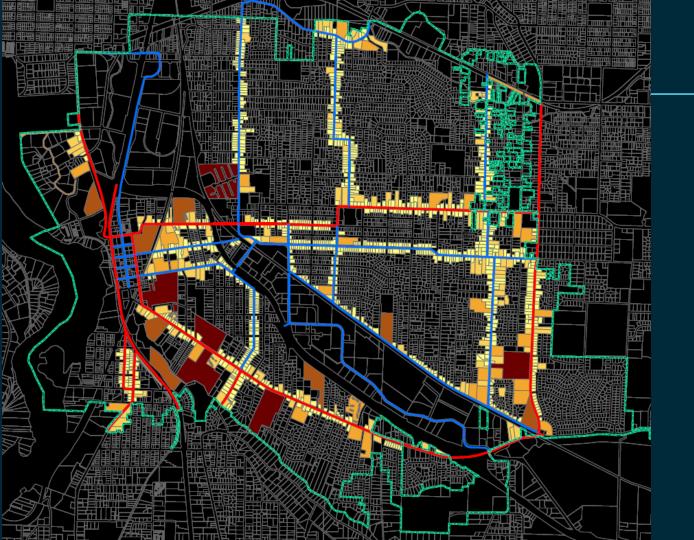
• For middle housing developments located on streets classified as Arterials or Collectors in the Transportation System Plan, off-street parking is required: 0.5 spaces/dwelling unit.



## ARTERIAL AND COLLECTOR STREETS







ARTERIAL AND COLLECTOR STREETS -RESIDENTIAL Lots

## **PARKING STUDY**

Can we extrapolate the parking study findings to apply city-wide?

- Not recommended
  - Findings would be speculative and not reliable
  - Need an on the ground analysis to be accurate (not possible at this time)



## **ADU CONVERSIONS**

Type III variance required for:

- Adding 2<sup>nd</sup> story ADU to non-conforming garage
- Converting existing non-conforming garage to ADU



Recommendation: Allow with a Type II variance





