

SEASIDE 2050 Comprehensive Plan Update Project Advisory Committee (PAC) Meeting #2

February 13, 2024, 5:00- 6:30 PM

AGENDA

Time	Subject	Lead
5:00	Welcome and Process Overview	Jeff Flory, City of Seaside Scott Fregonese, 3J Consulting All
5:10	Mapping Seaside	Scott
5:20	Community Engagement Overview	Scott
5:40	Draft Vision Statement Review and Discussion	Scott All
6:10	Seaside 2050 Community Summit #1	Scott All
6:25	Next Steps	Scott
6:30	Adjourn	Jeff



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- Next Steps
- Adjourn



What is a Vision and Comprehensive Plan?



Vision and Comprehensive Plan

- Since 1973, Oregon has maintained a strong statewide program for land use planning. The foundation of that program is a set of 19 Oregon Statewide Planning Goals.
 - Land use, housing, natural resources, transportation.
- A comprehensive plan provides a vision for the future of the community along with the steps that are needed to make that vision a reality.
- Oregon's statewide goals are achieved through local comprehensive planning.

Comprehensive Plan Timeline

		2023					2024							
	Task	Jun Ju	l Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov Dec	Jan Fel	Mar	Apr	May J	lun	Jul .	Aug S	ер Ос
1	Project Management	•												
2	Existing Conditions Assessment													
3	Community and Stakeholder Engagement			•			*				• *		,	+
4	Seaside Vision													
5	Goals & Policies / Scenario Refinement													
6	Comprehensive Plan											A		
7	Adoption													

- Project Kickoff
- Steering Committee Meetings
- ★ Seaside Summits
- ▲ PC/CC Briefings, Worksessions, Hearings

Vision and Comprehensive Plan Process

Background Report

Where are we now?

2050 Vision

Where do we want to go?

Vision and Comprehensive Plan Process

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Where do we want to go?

Goals and Policies

How do we get there?

Action Plan

How do we make it happen?

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Comprehensive Plan

Vision

Background Reports

Goals and Policies

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Land Use Map

Mapping Seaside

Zoning A1 - Aquatic Natural A2 - Aquatic Conservation A3 - Coastal Lake & Freshwater Wetlands Zone AD - Airport Development Zone AF - AF Agriculture Forest C1 - Commercial Neighborhood C2 - Commercial Resort C3 - Commercial, General C4 - Commercial, Central EFU - Exclusive Farm Use IC - Institutional Campus Zone LW - Lake and Wetland M1 - Industrial OPR - Open Space, Parks & Recreation R1 - Residential Low Density R1-PD - Low Density Residential / Planned Development R2 - Residential Medium Density R2-PD - Medium Density Residential / Planned Development R3 - Residential High Density R3-PD - High Density Residential / Planned Development RA-2 - Residential Agriculture RC - Residential - Commercial RR - Resort Residential 2 Mile SR - Suburban Residential

Community Services

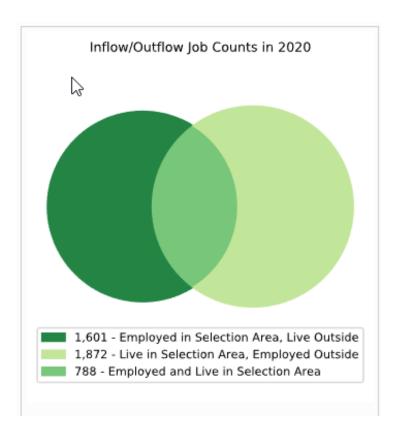
Seaside's community services include one hospital, seven public schools, one community college center, as well as a library, fire station, police station, courthouse and historical sites.

- City limit
- Urban Growth
 Boundary
- Fire station
- Police
- Court
- Post Office
- School
- Hospital
- Library
- Historical site
- Clatsop Community College, South County Center

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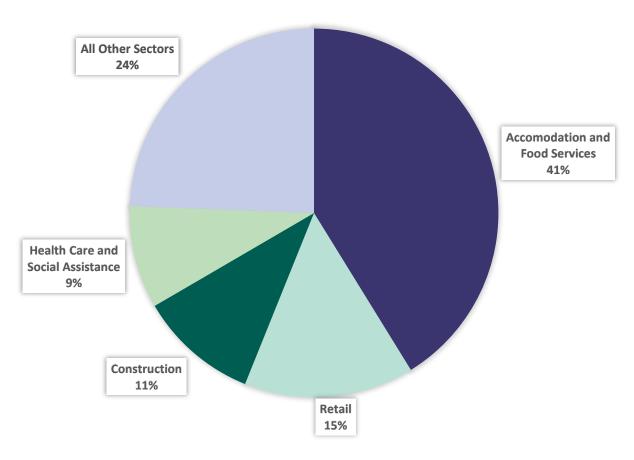
Employment 2020

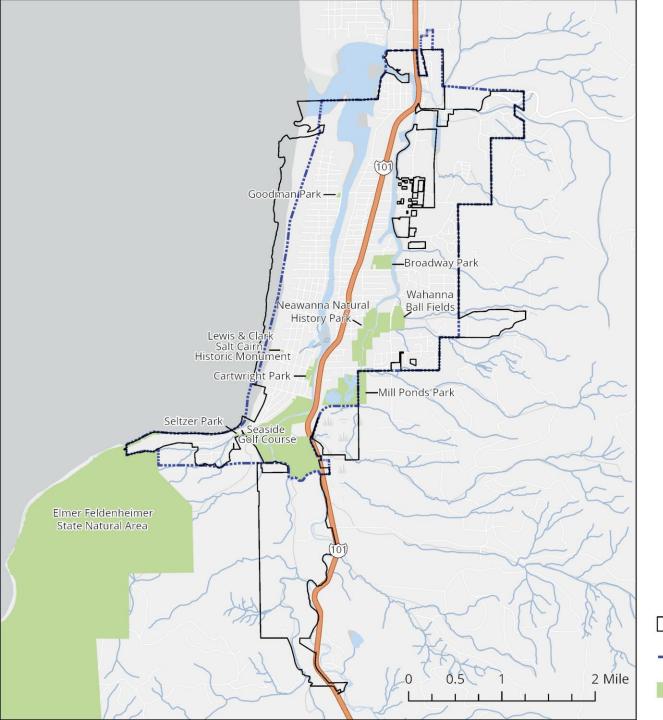
According to OnTheMap (based on Census data)
38% commute to Seaside for their jobs
44% commute out of Seaside for jobs
19% live and work in Seaside



Gearhart 5 - 154 Jobs/Sq.Mile 155 - 604 Jobs/Sq.Mile 605 - 1,353 Jobs/Sq.Mile 1,354 - 2,403 Jobs/Sq.Mile 2,404 - 3,752 Jobs/Sq.Mile

Job Sector





Open Space

There are 190 acres of open space in Seaside, including a 113-acre golf course that is privately-owned.

The Necanicum Estuary Natural History
Park is a network of tidal wetlands along
Neawanna Creek estuary have been
acquired by the City of Seaside and the
North Coast Land Conservancy.

Source: USFWS, The Oregon Conservation Strategy

The Park is located at the convergence of the Necanicum River, Neawanna River, Neacoxie Creek, and Thompson Creek.

City limit
Urban Growth
Boundary
Open Space

Wetlands Inventory

The US Fish & Wildlife Service maintains a National Wetland Inventory. Protecting existing wetlands can help mitigate future flooding caused by local and upstream weather conditions, flash floods, and rising sea levels.

City limitUrban Growth BoundaryLocal Wetlands InventoryFederal Wetlands Inventory

Flood Zones

Flood zones affect the beach area along the coastline and the land surrounding the Necanicum River and Estuary, and Neawanna Creek.

- City limit
- Urban Growth Boundary
- Hospital
- School
 - Stream
- Floodway
- 100 year flood
- 500 Year
- School

Tsunami Hazard

There is the potential for the majority of the land within Seaside's city limits and urban growth boundary to be affected by tsunamis from earthquakes originating from the Cascadia fault.

- City limit
- ---- Urban Growth Boundary
- School
- Fire station
- Hospital
- Statewide SM Tsunami
- Statewide M Tsunami
- Statewide L Tsunami
- Statewide XL Tsunami
- Statewide XXL Tsunami

Community Engagement

Seaside 2050 Community Survey

Seaside Comprehensive Plan Update

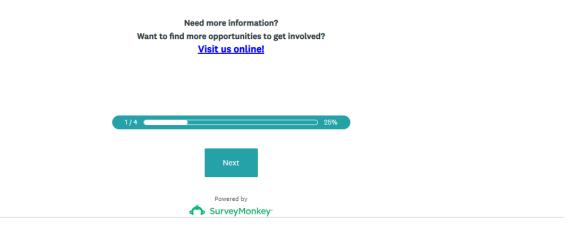
Welcome!

The City of Seaside has launched Seaside 2050: A Vision for Tomorrow, a year-long community engagement effort to update the city's Comprehensive Plan. The Comprehensive Plan is the city's guiding land use document that includes goals and policies for managing expected growth over a 20-year period. City leaders use the Comprehensive Plan to coordinate public investments and make decisions about housing, infrastructure, transportation and a variety of other topics.

The first step in the Comprehensive Plan update process is to create a community vision for the future of Seaside.

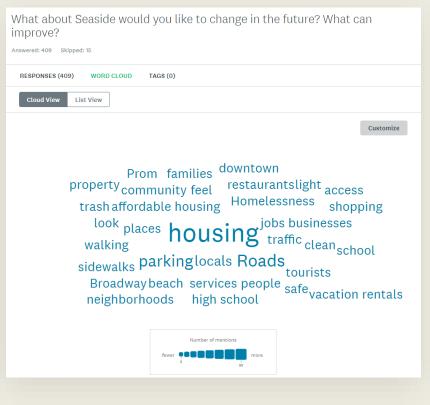
Complete this 5-10 minute survey to share your thoughts about what makes Seaside special today and what you'd like to see changed in the future. Your responses will help us identify key themes and develop a policy framework that allows us to realize that vision together.

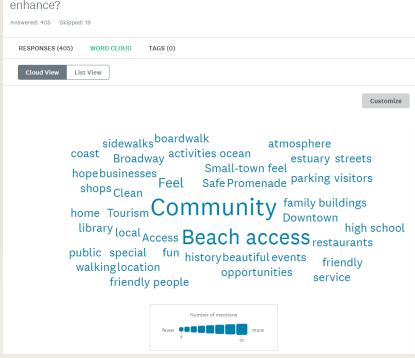
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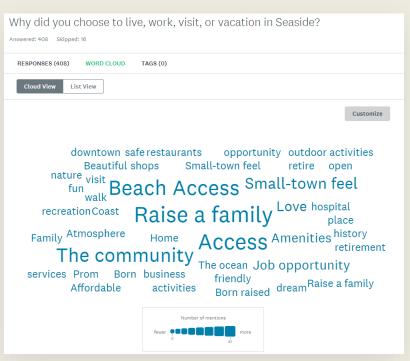
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Survey Results





What makes Seaside special today? What should we strive to preserve or



Survey Results

- 435 survey responses
- Main topics discussed
 - Housing for all
 - Strong downtown
 - Tourism economy
 - Beach access
 - Raise a family
 - Small town feel
 - Feeling of community
 - Job opportunities
 - Access to outdoors and nature
 - Safety
 - Friendly people
 - Walkable community
 - Embrace history
 - Quality schools

- Shopping and restaurants
- Quality transportation
- Parks
- Clean city
- Coastal community
- Medical services
- Strong local businesses
- A place to call home
- Estuary conservation
- Dunes
- A place to visit
- Neighborhoods

Community Conversations

What makes Seaside special today?

What would you like to change in the future?

How would you like to participate in the process?



SEASIDE 2050 AVISION FOR TOMORROW

Who else should be involved?

Tracking Log

Seaside 2050 Tracking Log

Community Conversations

- Rotary Club*
- Seaside Downtown Development Association*
- Chamber of Commerce*
- Susanne Elise Assisted Living Facility*
- Seaside High School
- Clatsop Community College
- Sunset Empire Parks and Recreation
- Seaside Police Department
- Seaside Wellness Center
- Sunset Empire Transportation District
- Seaside Library
- Consejo Hispano
- Seaside Convention Center
- Clatsop-Nehalem Confederated Tribes
- North Coast Family Fellowship



*completed

Draft Vision Statement

Housing for all

In 2050, the vibrant Seaside community will be a reflection of the dreams and aspirations of its residents. Anchored by our commitment to inclusivity, Seaside strives to be a place where every individual, from young families to retirees, finds a place to call home. Our diverse housing options cater to the unique needs and preferences of each stage of life, creating a mix that reflects the richness of our community

Strong economy

Our downtown, exudes economic strength and vitality, drawing people to experience the small-town feel. As a thriving hub of small businesses, it embraces its historical roots and invites residents and visitors alike to walk through its charming streets and enjoy local shops. Strong businesses flourish, offering job opportunities and contributing to the city's economic resilience. Our commitment to clean, well-maintained spaces reflects our dedication to environmental sustainability and a high quality of life.

Nature in the city

Seaside's identity as a coastal gem is enhanced by a robust tourism economy that celebrates our pristine beaches and the breathtaking beauty of our natural surroundings. We envision a community that not only offers unparalleled beach access but also safeguards our estuaries, dunes, and outdoor spaces, ensuring their preservation for generations to come.

Family neighborhoods

Seaside is more than a destination; it is a place to raise a family, providing a nurturing environment with quality schools and an abundance of parks for children to explore and play. The tight-knit neighborhoods create a feeling of safety and community, and friendly faces are always ready to welcome newcomers.

Transportation made easy

Seaside is a walkable community that encourages exploration and connection, where residents can easily access outdoor spaces and nature on foot or by bike. This accessibility extends beyond leisure, with quality transportation options ensuring convenient commutes and connectivity.

A positive future

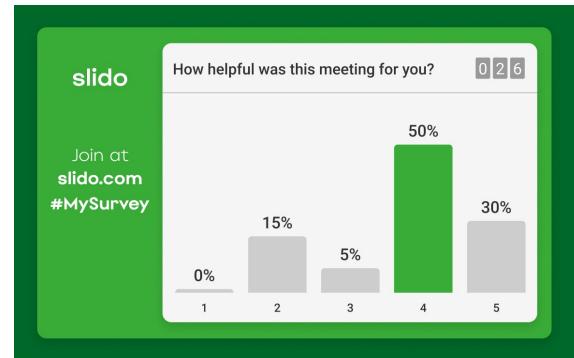
Seaside is a place to both live and visit, beckoning with its unique charm and endless possibilities. In 2050, Seaside is not just a location, but a lifestyle, a community, and a promise for a brighter future.

Seaside 2050 Community Summit #1

Community Summit

- Brief Presentation about the Comprehensive Plan Process
- Instant polling questions
- Group discussion

Instant Polling





Group Discussions



Community members will review and comment on the draft Vision Statement via small group discussions to help us identify preliminary goals for each topic area.

The exercise will allow for small group and one-on-one discussions with friends, neighbors, and City staff to express ideas for the opportunities and long-term needs of the City.

Help Get the Word Out!

- Invite you friends, family and coworkers to the Summit
- Send emails invites with a link to the project web page

Seaside Summit on February 27th



Join us for an exciting collaboration between the Planning Commission, City Council, and Comprehensive Plan Steering Committee as we kick off the inaugural Seaside Summit! Mark your calendars for February 27th at 6 pm at the Seaside Civic and Convention Center to join your Seaside neighbors and Seaside visitors in helping shape the future of this community.

Next Steps

- Community Summit February 27th
- New Online Survey to Follow the Summit
- Finalize Vision
- Goals and Policies
- Comprehensive Plan
- Plan Map



Thank you!

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Seaside 2050 Vision

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