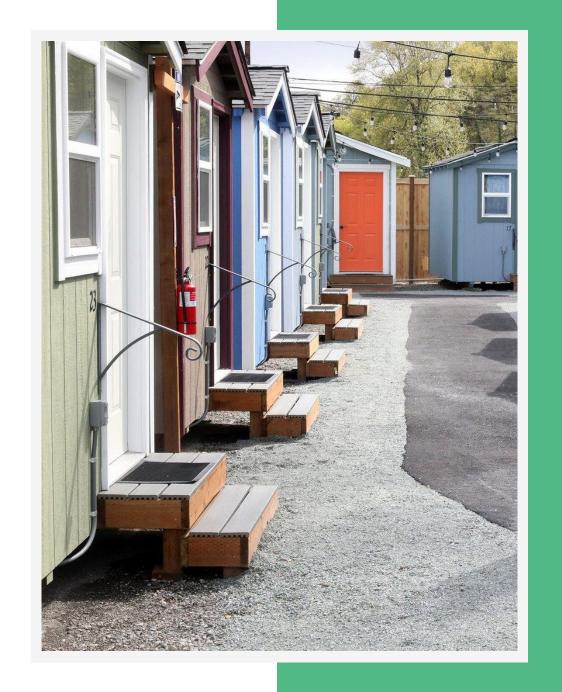
#### **Shelter Siting**

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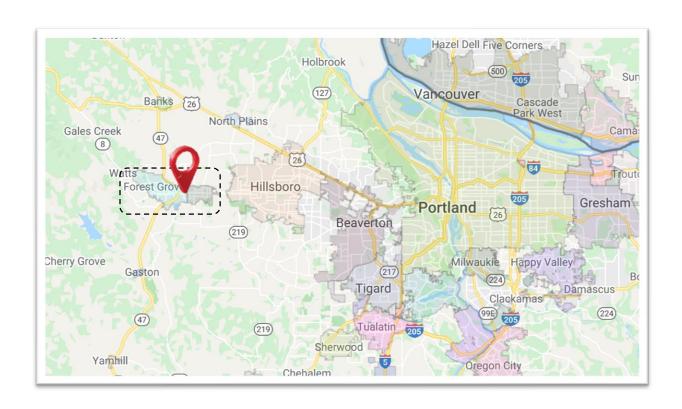
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## **Key Tenets**

- Cooperation
- Co-Creation
- Local Innovation
- Flexible, Iterative
- Priority Populations
- Rural vs Urban Factors



Eligibility criteria may be barriers to underserved populations

Equal access does not translate to accessibility



# **Project Turnkey**



Protection \* Refuge











## **Housing Continuum**











#### Housing Case Management (HCMS)

SHS

Outreach

LIFE-SAFETY Survival gear Winter Shelter

STABILITY
Basic needs
60-90 days

Bridge Shelter \*

SKILLS BUILDING Access supports 90-120 days **RLRA** 

RETENTION
Financial Empowerment
Rent Well

# **Siting Guidelines**

- Allowable shelter models
- Site viability standards
- Programmatic funding
- Capital Improvements
- Community engagement
- Contracts



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- ☐ Discrete needs for demographics served (families, singles, men, women, transitional-age youth and other marginalized populations)
- ☐ Geographic (urban vs rural) and cultural factors; local control and innovation

#### **Location Characteristics**

- County-owned property
- Unincorporated WA County adjacent to city
- Multiple encampments
- A mile or more from public transportation
- ☐ Distance from public transportation should consider where they are now and mobility of services



Northwest Forest Grove; encampments along Hwy 47

## **Guiding Principles**

- Increase capacity of provider community
- Deliver cultural/demographic responsive services
- Ensure equity in how we sustain services
- Operate as partners (nonprofit and government)

