MPAC Worksheet

Agenda Item Title: SW Corridor Equitable Housing Strategy – Naturally Occurring Affordable Housing

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Purpose/Objective

The purpose of this presentation is to inform Metro Policy Advisory Committee about work underway as part of the Portland/Tigard SW Corridor Equitable Development Strategy to understand "naturally occurring affordable housing." The presentation will include a summary of findings from a new study by Dr. Lisa Bates (Portland State University) entitled Preserving Housing Choice and Opportunity, as well as highlights from community outreach conducted in the corridor by Community Alliance of Tenants (CAT).

The SW Corridor Equitable Housing Strategy is supported by an Equitable Housing Grant from Metro. This item is part of a series of updates intended to share best practices and lessons learned from Equitable Housing Grant projects.

Action Requested/Outcome

This item is purely informational. There are no requested actions.

What has changed since MPAC last considered this issue/item?

MPAC has not previously considered this item.

What packet material do you plan to include?

Preserving Housing Choice and Opportunity Executive Summary