

## Survey on CPO/CCI Future Structure and Purpose – DRAFT

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WC = Washington County

LUT = WC Department of Land Use and Transportation

BCC = Board of County Commissioners

UUA = Unincorporated Urban Areas

CBO = Community-Based Organizations

*NOTE: In the draft, "Other" implies a text input box, and multiple choices will have check boxes*

### What is the Role CCI/CPO Program?

What should the primary purposes of the CCI/CPO program be? Select all that apply.

Focus on land use and livability issues impacted by land use actions.

Oversight of county/city adherence to development codes

Embrace service provider issues.

Provide an educational function (Questions on types of education follow)

Provide a mechanism to create more interconnected communities.

Other

What do you think a Washington County CPO / Public Participation program can/should provide to its community?

County land use updates

City land use updates

Road project updates (Wash Co Coordinating Committee, MSTIP)

Neighborhood Streets updates

WC / City ordinance information

Metro policy changes

Oregon state law changes

Information from and about Service Providers (Clean Water Services, School districts, Sheriff, Fire & Rescue, Water, etc)

A venue to provide CPO-authorized testimony to authorities including testifying at Public Hearings, the public comment periods at BCC meetings, and sending letters to BCC, etc

Have representation at Neighborhood Meetings for land development applications and report back.

Attend county live open houses and report back.

Election information (candidate forums, discussion of measures)

Neighborhood livability issues (traffic, public safety, etc)

Representation on WC project PACs (Public Advisory Committees)

The ability to form volunteer subcommittees devoted to specific issues

Other

Ways a CPO / Public Participation Group can inform and motivate neighbors

Social Media, including Facebook, Youtube, and Next Door

Email newsletter from CPO leaders to membership

Volunteers tabling at events

Attending and speaking at other WC-oriented meetings, including Neighborhood Meetings for developments, WC Open Houses

Speaking at community based organizations

What type of training should the CCI/CPO program provide to CPO leaders and members?

The WC land use system and how to engage with it

Information/training on how to testify

General civic leadership training, including on subjects unrelated to land use

Technical aspects of hybrid meetings, social media, etc

Provide education on land use processes and issues.

Provide education on civic issues.

Provide civic leadership training.

None

Other

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### **What Changes Should be Made to the Structure of the CPO Program?**

Boundaries:

The boundaries of the CPOs need to change. The nature of the new boundaries is an open question.

How might they be optimally defined on a pre-existing boundary?

WC Commissioner districts

School District boundaries

Community plan boundaries (public notices for developments are currently distributed to CPOs based upon which community plan the project is located)

Other

Should CPOs be:

Larger

Smaller

Same

Should they be similar in population?

Should they be similar in geographic area?

Should they be differently organized in rural areas vs the UUA?

If Yes, How?

Should they include areas inside city limits?

Other suggestions

Should the Community Plans be revised to reflect the new CPO boundaries?

Yes

No

Maybe

What existing organization could provide the umbrella for CPO/CCI to receive funding and provide staffing services?

- Libraries through WCCLS
- School Districts or Education Service District
- Portland State Urban Studies
- Other college or university

Should the CCI be separated from the CPO program?

YES/No/Maybe

These options to relocate the CCI were proposed by OEICE in their May 9 presentation). Do you favor any?

- LUT
- Planning Commission
- BCC appointed advisory committee
- Other “home” for the CCI

Assuming that WC would provide funding for a different “umbrella” agency, what should be the CPO relationship with OEICE?

- Advisory
- Direct Management
- None

### **Moving Forward in Redefining and Structuring the New CCI/CPO Program**

In order to reach a consensus on the CCI recommendations for the new CPO program, would you be interested in attending a retreat with an independent facilitator? (likely a half-day session on a Saturday morning but that’s negotiable)

Yes / no

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### **Questions for the General CPO Membership**

How did you originally find out about the CPO program?

Flier in your property tax statement

Newspaper meeting listing

Which newspaper?

Email from a service provider

Searching on county website

Searching other places

From a friend or a neighbor

At a county sponsored event or a Neighborhood Meeting

Other

What attracted you to your first CPO meeting?

A development project in my neighborhood

A road project in my neighborhood

Information learned during a neighborhood development meeting

An invitation from someone I know

General curiosity about community activities

Interest in land use & development

Don't remember

Other

What do you like about your CPO?

Staying in touch with neighbors

Making a difference

Learning about WC and Service Providers

Getting your views heard

Helping others to understand the land use process and how to effectively engage in the process.

Other?