RULEMAKING NOTICE

January 2, 2014

TO: Interested Persons

FROM: The Department of Land Conservation and Development

RE: Proposed Administrative Rules Regarding Population Forecasting

The Land Conservation and Development Commission (LCDC) is considering the adoption of new administrative rules, and amendments to existing administrative rules, concerning population forecasting for land use purposes. Legislation enacted in 2013 requires LCDC to adopt rules to implement new population forecasting laws and to regulate the transition from forecasts produced under previous laws to the new forecasts produced by the Portland State University Population Research Center.

LCDC will consider the proposed rules and rule amendments at its public meeting January 22, 2015, at Portland State University, Smith Memorial Student Union, Rm. 294, Portland. The LCDC meeting is scheduled to begin at 8:30 AM. Interested persons may address the Commission concerning the proposal under this agenda item, and may provide written comments. Comments will be accepted until the close of the hearing. Written comments (including comments by mail, fax or email) received by the department by 5:00 PM January 13 will be included in the packet provided to the Commissioners for review prior to the hearing.

The proposal to adopt and amend these rules may be obtained from the DLCD website at http://www.lcd.state.or.us/. To obtain a copy of the proposed new rules and rule amendments through mail, email, or fax, please contact Casaria Taylor at (503) 373-0050 Ext 322, casaria.taylor@state.or.us. If you have questions, contact Bob Rindy at (503) 373-0050 Ext. 229; or email bob.rindy@state.or.us.

Address written comments to the Chair of the Land Conservation and Development Commission (address above), care of Amie Abbott. Email comments to casaria.taylor@state.or.us.