



SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

Legislative Summary

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Title: AN ORDINANCE, relating to land use and zoning, amending the Seattle Comprehensive Plan to reflect changes needed as part of the periodic review and to incorporate changes proposed as part of the 2014-2015 Comprehensive Plan annual amendment process and amending Section 23.52.004 of the Seattle Municipal Code.

Date

Notes:

Filed with City Clerk:

Mayor's Signature:

Sponsors: O'Brien

Vetoed by Mayor:

Veto Overridden:

Veto Sustained:

Attachments: Full Text - CB 118469 v2, Att 1-A -Current and proposed FLUM Central Area-23rd Ave S. v1a, Att 1-B - Current and proposed FLUM - Morgan Junction Residential Urban Village v1b, Att 1-C - Current and proposed FLUM - North Neighborhoods (Lake City) Hub Urban Village v1a, Att 2 - Urban Village Element v4, Att 3 - Land Use Element, Att 4 - Transportation Element v7, Att 5 - Housing Element, Att 6 - Economic Development Element v2, Att 7-A - Neighborhood Planning Element - Central Area, Att 7-B - Neighborhood Planning Element - Morgan Junction, Att 7-C - Neighborhood Planning Element - North Neighborhoods (Lake City), Att 8 - Environment Element, Att 9 - Urban Village Appendix, Att 10 - Land Use Appendix, Att 11 - Transportation Appendix, Att 12 - Housing Appendix v3, Att 13 - Capital Facilities Appendix, Att 14 - Utilities Appendix, Att 15 - Economic Development Appendix

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1	Mayor	07/28/2015	Mayor's leg transmitted to Council	City Clerk			
Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was Mayor's leg transmitted to Council. to the City Clerk							
Notes:							
1	City Clerk	07/28/2015	sent for review	Council President's Office			

Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was sent for review. to the Council President's Office

Notes:

- 1 Council President's Office 07/29/2015 sent for review Planning, Land Use, and Sustainability Committee

Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was sent for review. to the Planning, Land Use, and Sustainability Committee

Notes:

- 1 Full Council 08/10/2015 referred Planning, Land Use, and Sustainability Committee

- 1 Planning, Land Use, and Sustainability Committee 09/15/2015 discussed

Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was discussed and a public hearing was held.

- 1 Planning, Land Use, and Sustainability Committee 09/29/2015 pass as amended

Pass

Action Text: The Committee recommends that Full Council pass as amended the Council Bill (CB).

Notes:

In Favor: 3 Chair O'Brien, Vice Chair Burgess, Member Licata

Opposed: 0

- 1 Full Council 10/12/2015 passed as amended

Pass

Action Text: The Motion carried, the Council Bill (CB) was passed as amended by the following vote, and the President signed the Bill:

Notes: ACTION 1

Motion was made by Councilmember O'Brien, duly seconded and carried, to amend Council Bill 118469, Section 3, by relabeling the subsections with letters; adding a new Section 4 as shown below; and by renumbering the last section accordingly.

Section 3. Legislative findings. The Seattle City Council makes the following legislative findings:

4A. The State of Washington Growth Management Act, RCW 36.70A.130, requires that the City of Seattle conduct a periodic review and evaluation of its Comprehensive Plan and development regulations and to take action to revise that plan and regulations, as necessary, by June 2015; and

2B. The City of Seattle engaged in a comprehensive review of its Comprehensive Plan and development regulations over the last [eighteen months. This ordinance constitutes the conclusion of the city's review process and it was completed in accordance with GMA update requirements, including RCW 36.70A.130

Section 4. The Council requests that the Department of Planning and Development or its successor department develop a proposal for Council consideration in 2016 that allocates a share of estimated residential and

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Section 45. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force 30 days after its approval by the Mayor, but if not approved and returned by the Mayor within ten days after presentation, it shall take effect as provided by Seattle Municipal Code Section 1.04.020.

ACTION 2

Motion was made and duly seconded to pass Council Bill No. 118469 as amended.

In Favor: 9 Councilmember Bagshaw, Council President Burgess, Councilmember Godden, Councilmember Harrell, Councilmember Licata, Councilmember O'Brien, Councilmember Okamoto, Councilmember Rasmussen, Councilmember Sawant

Opposed: 0

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| 1 | City Clerk | 10/13/2015 | submitted for Mayor's signature | Mayor |
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CITY OF SEATTLE
ORDINANCE 124887
COUNCIL BILL 118469

AN ORDINANCE, relating to land use and zoning, amending the Seattle Comprehensive Plan to reflect changes needed as part of the periodic review and to incorporate changes proposed as part of the 2014-2015 Comprehensive Plan annual amendment process and amending Section 23.52.004 of the Seattle Municipal Code.

WHEREAS, the City of Seattle adopted a Comprehensive Plan through Ordinance 117221 in 1994; and

WHEREAS, the Growth Management Act, Chapter 36.70A RCW ("GMA"), requires that Seattle complete a periodic review and, if needed, an update of its Comprehensive Plan (hereinafter, "periodic update") on a periodic basis; and

WHEREAS, in cooperation with King County, other cities in King County and the Growth Management Planning Council, the City of Seattle has established new estimates for the amount of growth over the next 20 years (2015-2035) that must be addressed in the City of Seattle's Comprehensive Plan; and

WHEREAS, in 2014 the Department of Planning and Development issued a "Development Capacity" report which recognized that under the existing zoning, the City of Seattle could accommodate all of its share of projected population and job growth through 2035; and

WHEREAS, the City of Seattle has reviewed the GMA and has identified that as part of the periodic update, the amendments included in the proposed legislation should, among other things: accept the new growth targets for households and jobs for the period from 2015 through 2035; update the elements and technical appendices to reflect the additional

1 growth in the 2015-2035 planning horizon; and review existing critical areas policies in
2 light of best available science; and

3 WHEREAS, in reviewing and developing policies to protect the functions and values of critical
4 areas as part of this periodic review, the City has included the best available science; and

5 WHEREAS, in addition, as part of this periodic review, several code amendments were
6 identified as necessary to comport with Comprehensive Plan policy changes and are
7 proposed as part of this bill; and

8 WHEREAS, the GMA authorizes annual amendments to the City's Comprehensive Plan; and

9 WHEREAS, the City Council adopted procedures in Resolution 31117 that were amended most
10 recently by Resolution 31402, for the annual amendment process to amend the
11 Comprehensive Plan; and

12 WHEREAS, the adopted procedures provide the process for interested citizens to propose annual
13 amendments for consideration by the City Council; and

14 WHEREAS, various parties proposed amendments for consideration during the 2014-2015
15 annual amendment process; and

16 WHEREAS, the Council's Planning, Land Use and Sustainability Committee held a public
17 hearing on July 15, 2014, to take public testimony on the amendments proposed for
18 consideration; and

19 WHEREAS, on August 13, 2014 the City Council considered these proposed Comprehensive
20 Plan amendments and adopted Council Resolution 31536 directing that City staff further
21 review and analyze certain proposed amendments; and

22 WHEREAS, these proposed amendments have been reviewed and analyzed by the Department
23 of Planning and Development and considered by the Council; and

1 WHEREAS, the amendments in this bill will be considered for adoption simultaneously in 2015
2 with two separate but concurrent bills amending the Comprehensive Plan, the first is
3 generally related to housing affordability and the second is generally related to
4 neighborhood-specific policies in the University District; and

5 WHEREAS, the City has provided for public participation in the development and review of
6 these proposed amendments and other changes to comply with the Growth Management
7 Act, including requirements for early and continuous public participation in the
8 development and amendment of the City's Comprehensive Plan; and

9 WHEREAS, the Council has reviewed and considered the Executive's report and
10 recommendations, public testimony made at the public hearing(s), and other pertinent
11 material regarding all of the proposed amendments; and

12 WHEREAS, the Council finds that the Comprehensive Plan and Code amendment to be adopted
13 are consistent with the Growth Management Act, and will protect and promote the health,
14 safety, and welfare of the general public; NOW, THEREFORE,

15 **BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF SEATTLE AS FOLLOWS:**

16 Section 1. The Seattle Comprehensive Plan and the Future Land Use Map (FLUM), as
17 last amended by Ordinance 124750, are amended as follows:

18 A. FLUM: Central Area/23rd and Jackson-Union: Modify the FLUM to expand the
19 boundary of the 23rd and Jackson Residential Urban Village and change the designation of an
20 area from Single-Family to Commercial/Mixed Use as shown in Attachment 1-A; modify the
21 FLUM to change the designation of an area within the Morgan Junction Residential Urban
22 Village from Single-Family to Multi-Family, as shown in Attachment 1-B; and modify the
23 FLUM to change the designation of an area within the North Neighborhoods (Lake City) Hub

Urban Village around NE 125th St. from Multi-Family to Commercial/Mixed Use, as shown in Attachment 1-C.

B. Update goals, policies, maps, figures and tables in the following: the Urban Villages Element and Appendix, as shown in Attachments 2 and 9, respectively; the Land Use Element and Appendix, as shown in Attachments 3 and 10, respectively; the Transportation Element and Appendix, as shown in Attachments 4 and 11, respectively; the Housing Element and Appendix, as shown in Attachments 5 and 12, respectively; the Economic Development Element and Appendix, as shown in Attachments 6 and 15, respectively; the Environmental Element, as shown in Attachment 8; the Capital Facilities Appendix, as shown in Attachment 13; and the Utilities Appendix, as shown in Attachment 14.

C. Neighborhood Planning Element: Update goals and policies in the Central Area / 23rd and Jackson-Union Neighborhood Plan, as shown in Attachment 7-A; update policies in the Morgan Junction Neighborhood Plan, as shown in Attachment 7-B; and update goals and policies in the North Neighborhoods (Lake City) Neighborhood Plan, as shown in Attachment 7-C.

Section 2. Section 23.52.004 of the Seattle Municipal Code, last amended by Ordinance 117383, is amended as follows:

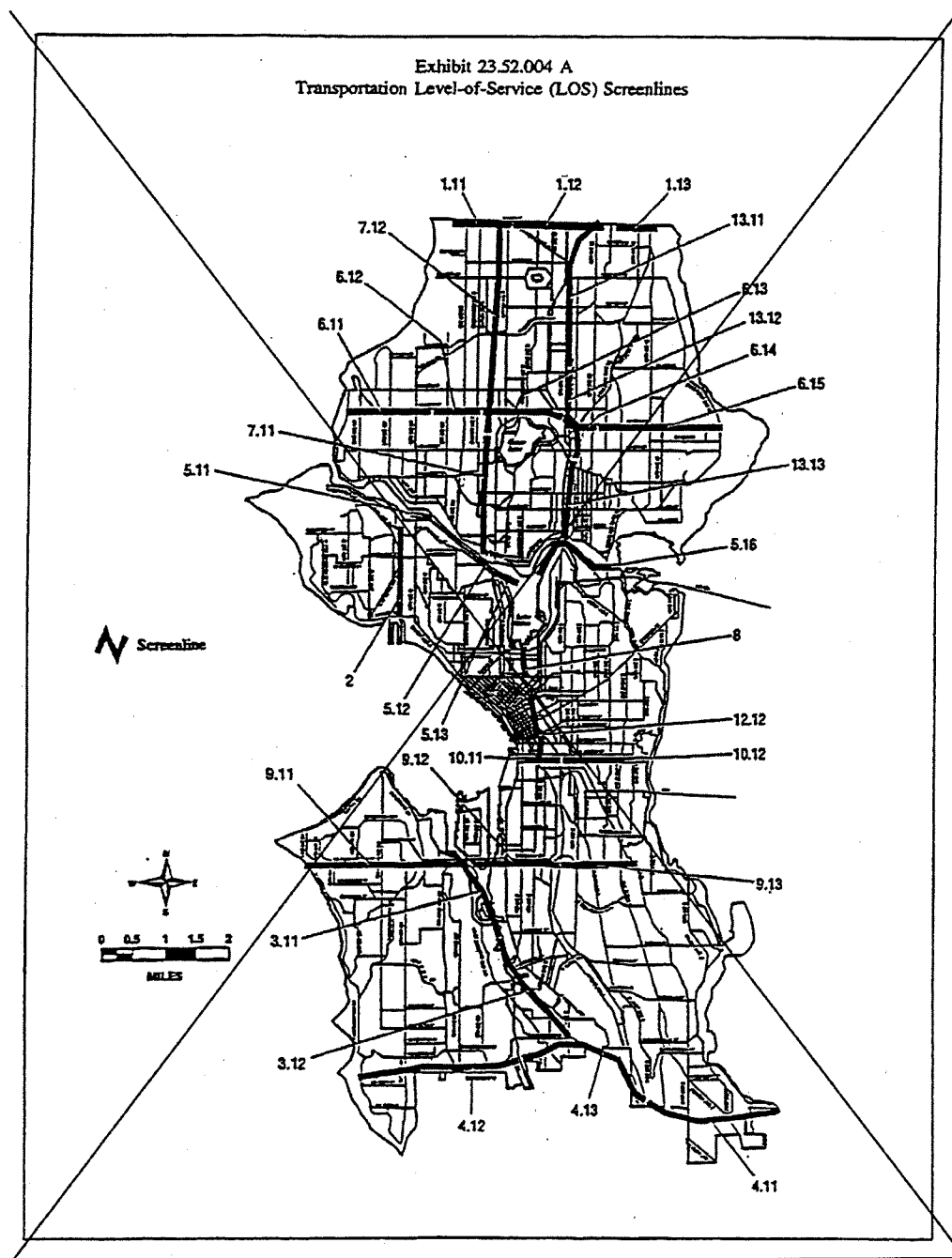
23.52.004 Requirement to meet transportation concurrency level-of-service standards ((c))

Unless exempt under Section 23.52.002, a proposed use or development must demonstrate that the traffic forecasted to be generated by the use or development will not cause the transportation concurrency level-of-service (LOS) at an applicable screenline, measured as the volume-to-capacity ratio (v/c), to exceed the LOS standard for that screenline. The v/c methodology is adopted by Director's Rule promulgated under the authority of the Director

1 of DPD. Screenlines are shown in ((Exhibit 23.52.004 A)) Map A for 23.52.004. LOS standards
2 for those screenlines are shown in ((Exhibit 23.52.004 B)) Table A for 23.52.004. "Applicable
3 screenlines" means up to four ((4)) of the screenlines shown in ((Exhibit 23.52.004 A)) Map A
4 for 23.52.004 as specified for a particular proposed use or development by the Director.

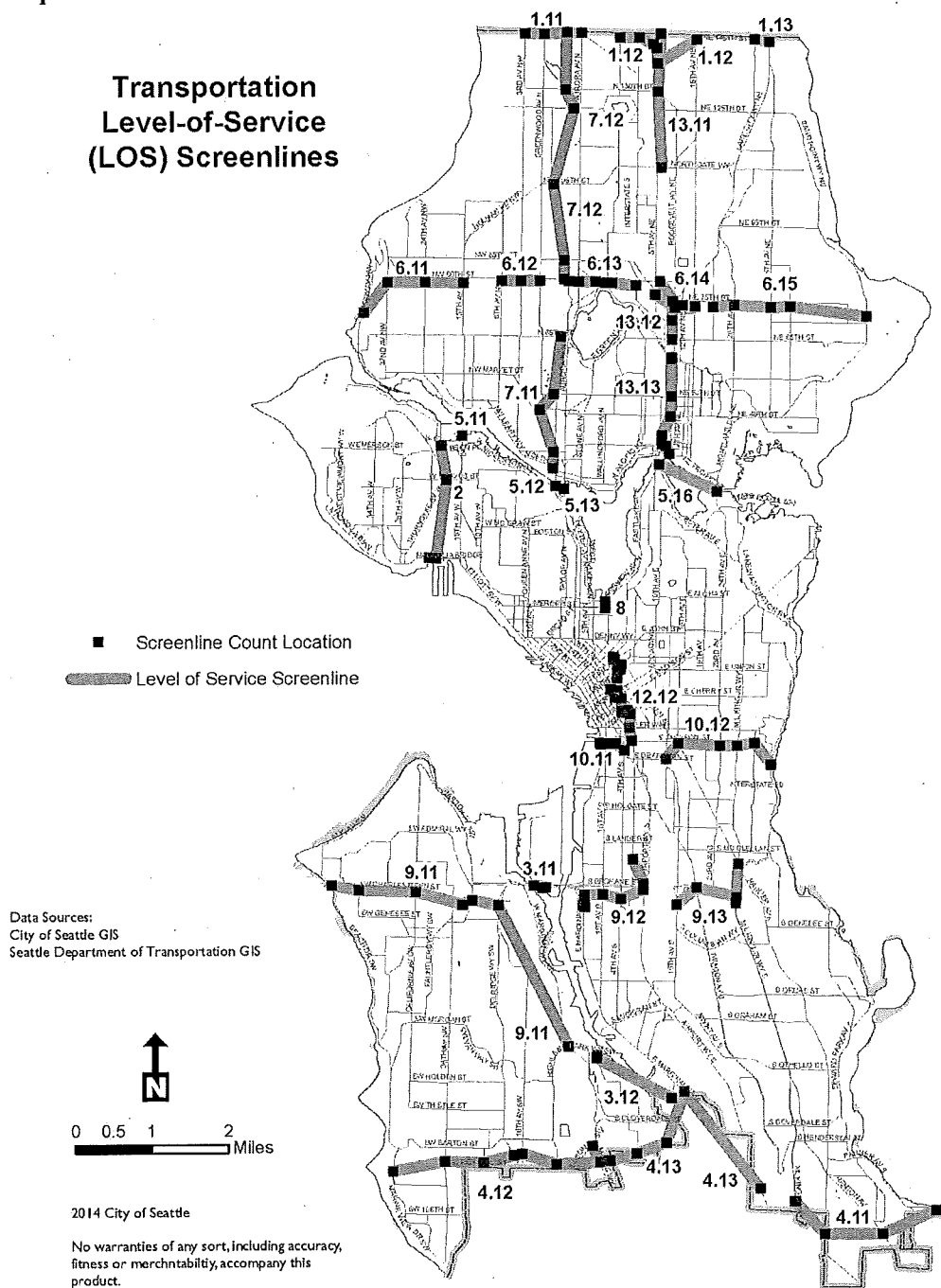
5 **Map A for 23.52.004**

6 **Transportation Level-of-Service (LOS) Screenlines**



Map A for 23.52.004

**Transportation
 Level-of-Service
 (LOS) Screenlines**



**((Exhibit 23.52.004 B)) Table A for 23.52.004
 Transportation Level-of-Service (LOS) Standards**

Screenline Number	Screenline Location	((Segment)) <u>Span of Streets</u>	Direction	((1990 V/C Ratio))	LOS Standard
1.11	North City Limit	3rd Ave. NW to Aurora Ave. N	NB SB	((0.88)) ((0.47))	1.20
1.12	North City Limit	Meridian Ave. N to 15th Ave. NE	NB SB	((0.76)) ((0.34))	1.20
1.13	North City Limit	30th Ave. NE to Lake City Way NE	NB SB	((0.99)) ((0.50))	1.20
2	Magnolia		EB WB	((0.49)) ((0.66))	1.00
3.11	Duwamish River	West Seattle Fwy. and Spokane St.	EB WB	((0.51)) ((0.97))	1.20
3.12	Duwamish River	1st Ave. S and 16th Ave. S	NB SB	((0.95)) ((1.01))	1.20
4.11	South City Limit	M.L. King Jr. Way to Rainier Ave. S	NB SB	((0.29)) ((0.53))	1.00
4.12	South City Limit	Marine Dr. SW to Meyers Way S	NB SB	((0.24)) ((0.31))	1.00
4.13	South City Limit	SR 99 to Airport Way S	NB SB	((0.41)) ((0.54))	1.00
5.11	Ship Canal	Ballard Bridge	NB SB	((1.06)) ((0.58))	1.20

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5.12	Ship Canal	Fremont Bridge	NB	((0.97))	1.20
			SB	((0.58))	
5.13	Ship Canal	Aurora Ave. N	NB	((0.96))	1.20
			SB	((0.58))	
5.16	Ship Canal	University and	NB	((0.97))	1.20
		Montlake Bridges	SB	((0.83))	
6.11	South of NW 80th St.	Seaview Ave. NW	NB	((0.41))	1.00
		to 15th Ave. NW	SB	((0.29))	
6.12	South of N(W) 80th St.	8th Ave. NW to	NB	((0.41))	1.00
		Greenwood Ave. N	SB	((0.20))	
6.13	South of N(E) 80th St.	Linden Ave. N to	NB	((0.51))	1.00
		1st Ave. NE	SB	((0.39))	
6.14	South of NE 80th St.	5th Ave. NE to	NB	((0.75))	1.00
		15th Ave. NE	SB	((0.60))	
6.15	South of NE 80th St.	20th Ave. NE to	NB	((0.49))	1.00
		Sand Point Way NE	SB	((0.26))	
7.11	West of Aurora Ave.	Fremont Pl. N to	EB	((0.39))	1.00
		N 65th St.	WB	((0.56))	

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7.12	West of Aurora Ave.	N 80th St. to	EB	((0.41))	1.00
		N 145th St.	WB	((0.51))	
8	South of Lake Union		EB	((0.96))	1.20
			WB	((0.97))	
9.11	South of Spokane St.	Beach Dr. SW to	NB	((0.37))	1.00
		W Marginal Way SW	SB	((0.58))	
9.12	South of Spokane St.	E Marginal Way S to	NB	((0.34))	1.00
		Airport Way S	SB	((0.71))	
9.13	South of Spokane St.	15th Ave. S to	NB	((0.34))	1.00
		Rainier Ave. S	SB	((0.71))	
10.11	South of S Jackson St.	Alaskan Way S to	NB	((0.62))	1.00
		4th Ave. S	SB	((0.83))	
10.12	South of S Jackson St.	12th Ave. S to	NB	((0.37))	1.00
		Lakeside Ave. S	SB	((0.71))	
12.12	East of CBD		EB	((0.63))	1.20
			WB	((0.83))	
13.11	East of I-5	NE Northgate Way to	EB	((0.72))	1.00
		NE 145th St.	WB	((0.53))	

((Exhibit 23.52.004 B)) Table A for 23.52.004
Transportation Level-of-Service (LOS) Standards

Screenline Number	Screenline Location	((Segment)) Span of Streets	Direction	((1990 V/C Ratio))	LOS Standard
13.12	East of 1-5	NE 65th St. to	EB	((0.44))	1.00
		NE 80th St.	WB	((0.47))	
13.13	East of 1-5	NE Pacific St. to	EB	((0.62))	1.00
		NE Ravenna Blvd.	WB	((0.76))	

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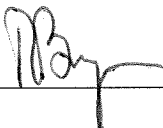
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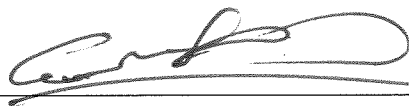
Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force 30 days after its approval by the Mayor, but if not approved and returned by the Mayor within ten days after presentation, it shall take effect as provided by Seattle Municipal Code Section 1.04.020.

Passed by the City Council the 12th day of OCTOBER, 2015, and signed by me in open session in authentication of its passage this 12th day of OCTOBER, 2015.



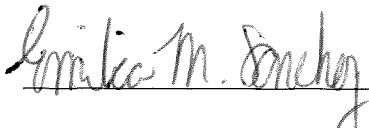
President _____ of the City Council

Approved by me this 16th day of October, 2015.



Edward B. Murray, Mayor

Filed by me this 16th day of OCTOBER, 2015.


for Monica Martinez Simmons, City Clerk

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Attachments:

Attachment 1-A: Current and proposed FLUM: Central Area/23rd Ave. S. @ S. Jackson-Union
Residential Urban Village

Attachment 1-B: Current and proposed FLUM: Morgan Junction Residential Urban Village

Attachment 1-C: Current and proposed FLUM: North Neighborhoods (Lake City) Hub Urban
Village

Attachment 2: Urban Village Element

Attachment 3: Land Use Element

Attachment 4: Transportation Element

Attachment 5: Housing Element

Attachment 6: Economic Development Element

Attachment 7-A: Neighborhood Planning Element: Central Area

Attachment 7-B: Neighborhood Planning Element: Morgan Junction

Attachment 7-C: Neighborhood Planning Element: North Neighborhoods (Lake City)

Attachment 8: Environment Element

Attachment 9: Urban Village Appendix

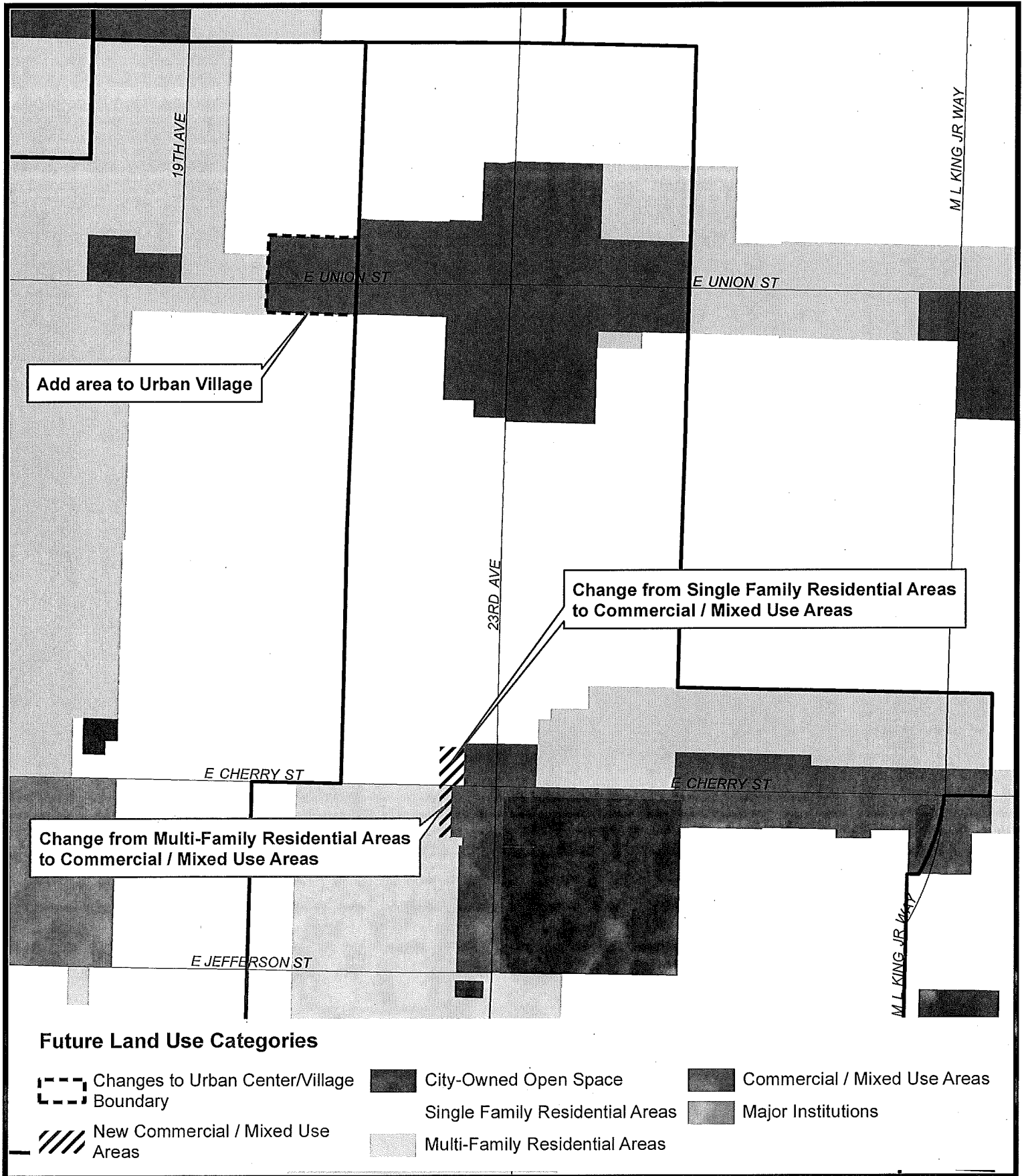
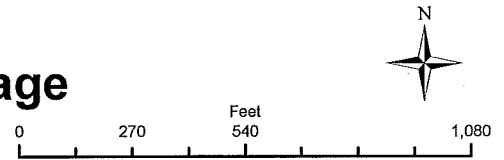
Attachment 10: Land Use Appendix

Attachment 11: Transportation Appendix

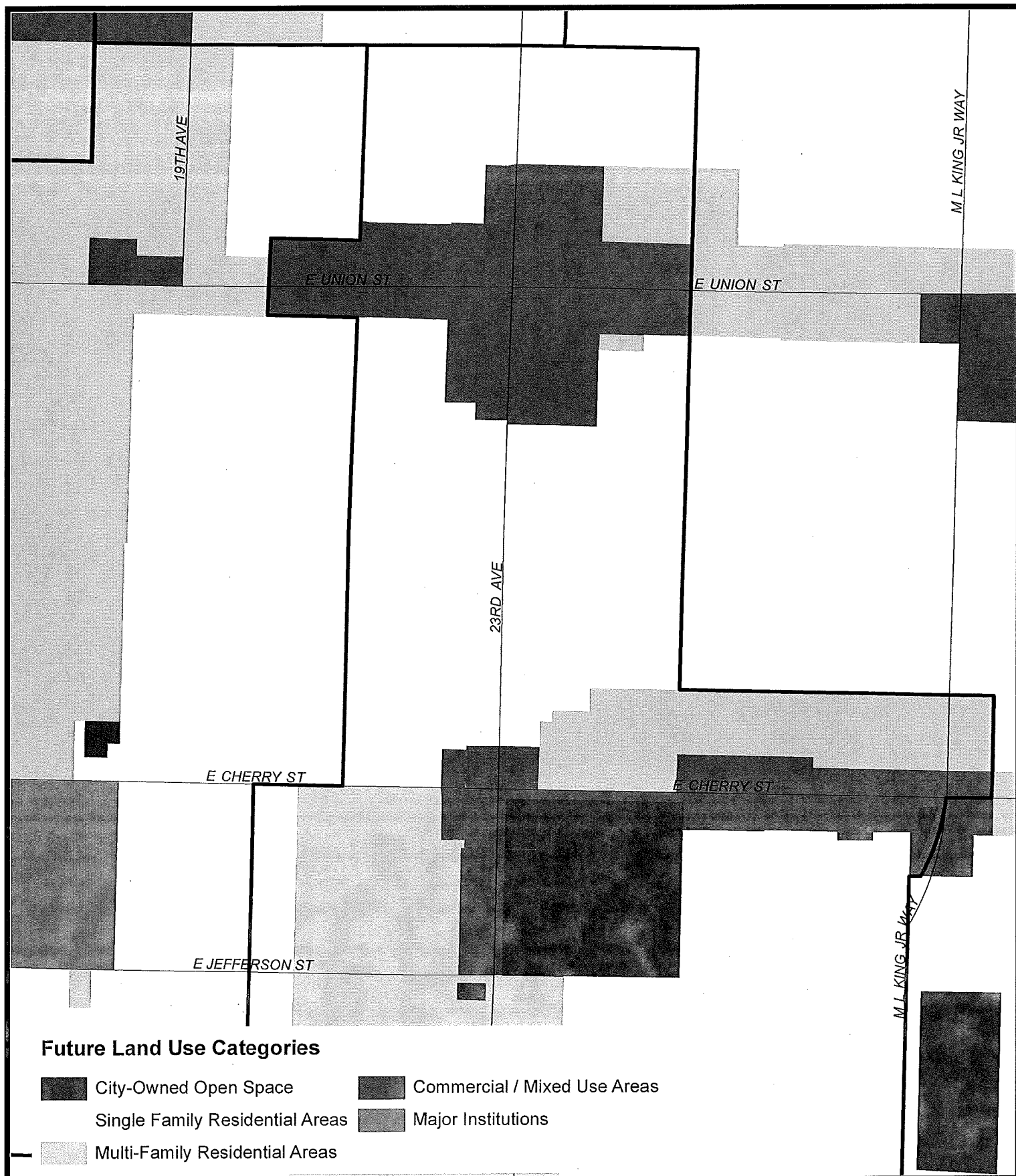
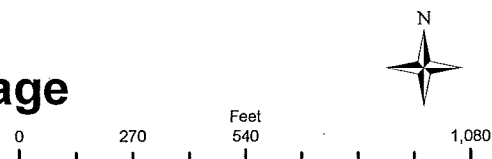
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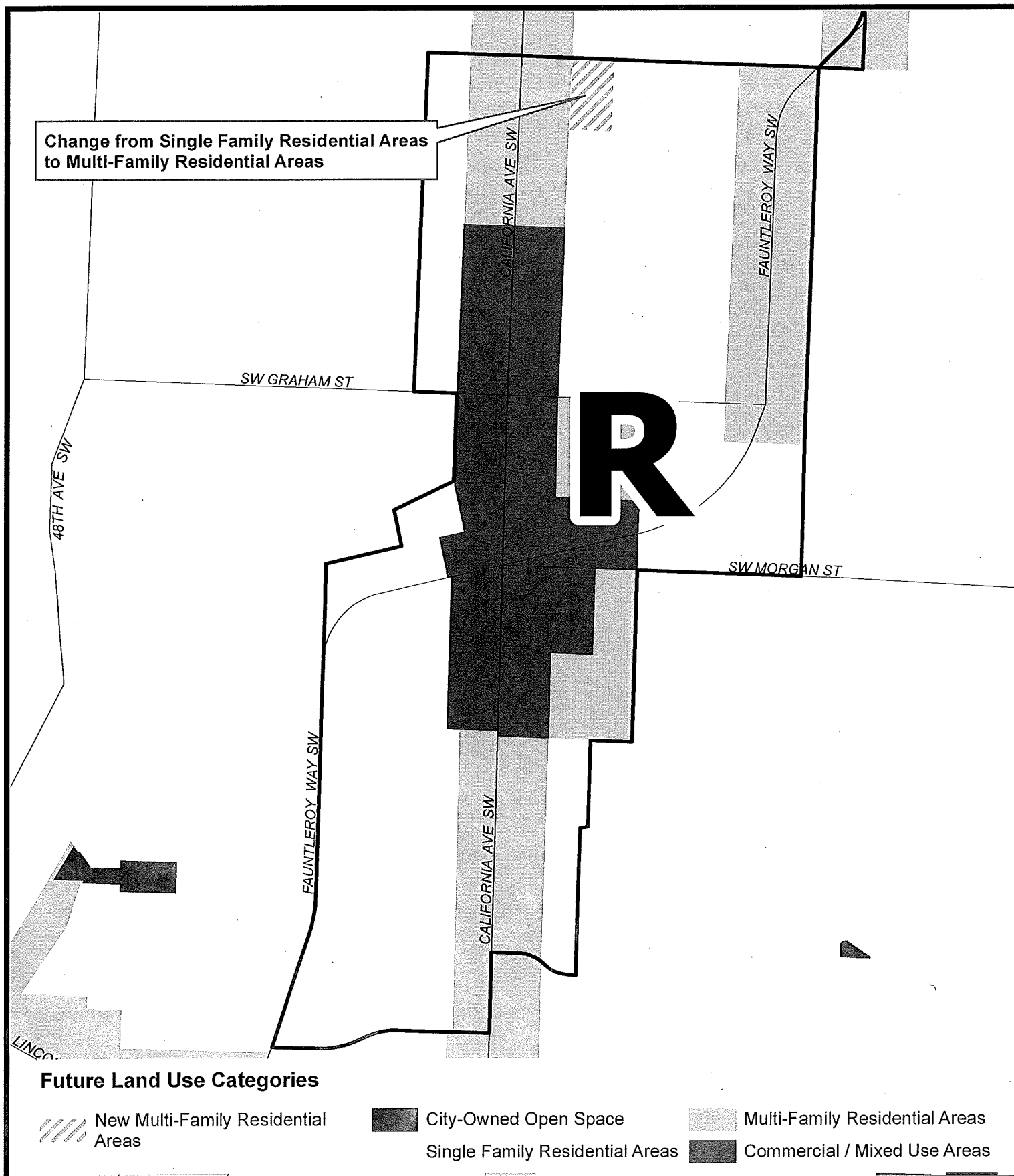
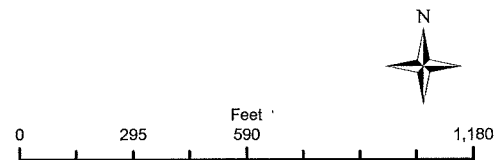
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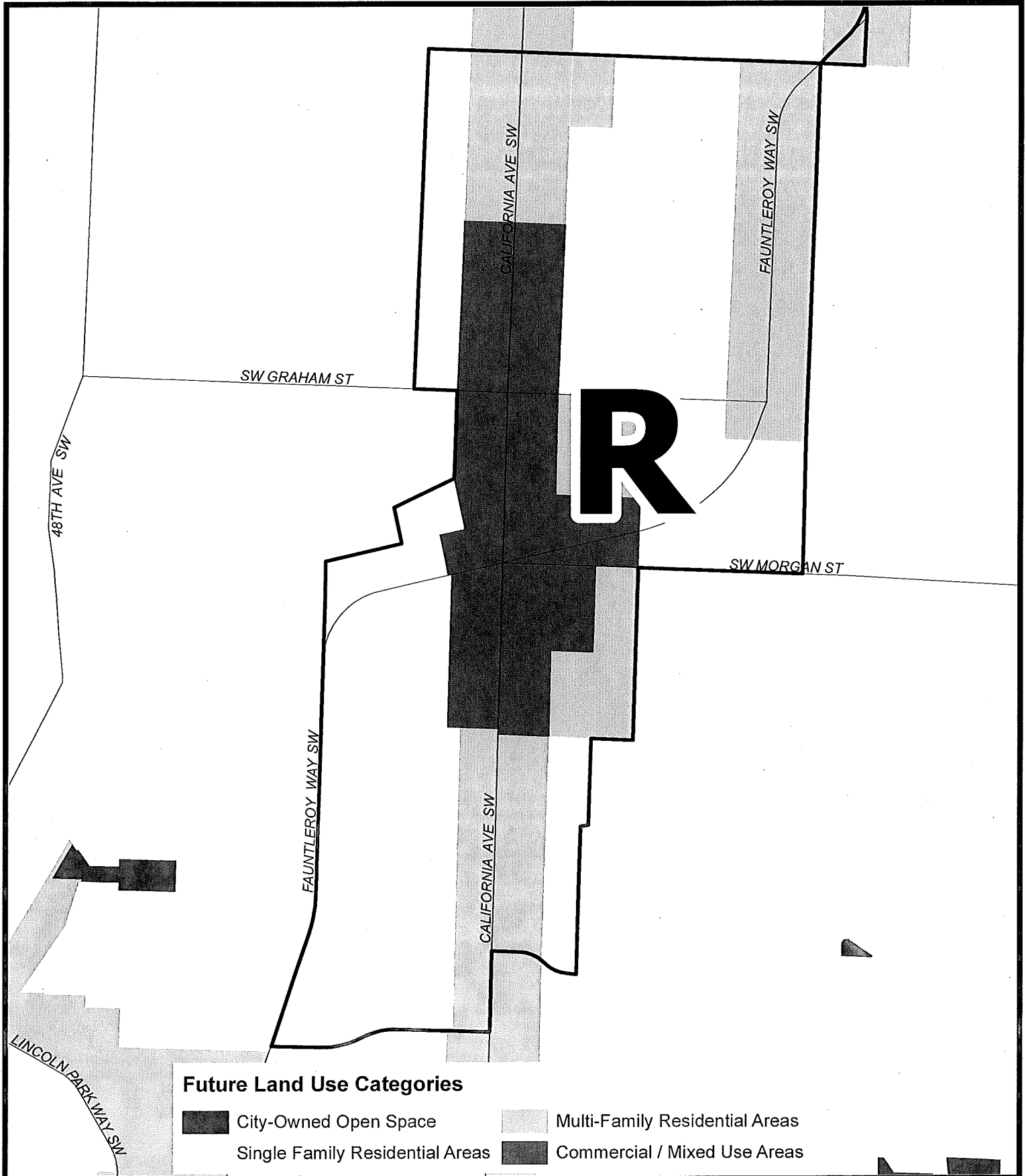
Morgan Junction Residential Urban Village Future Land Use Map - Proposed Changes



Morgan Junction Residential Urban Village Future Land Use Map - Effect of Adoption



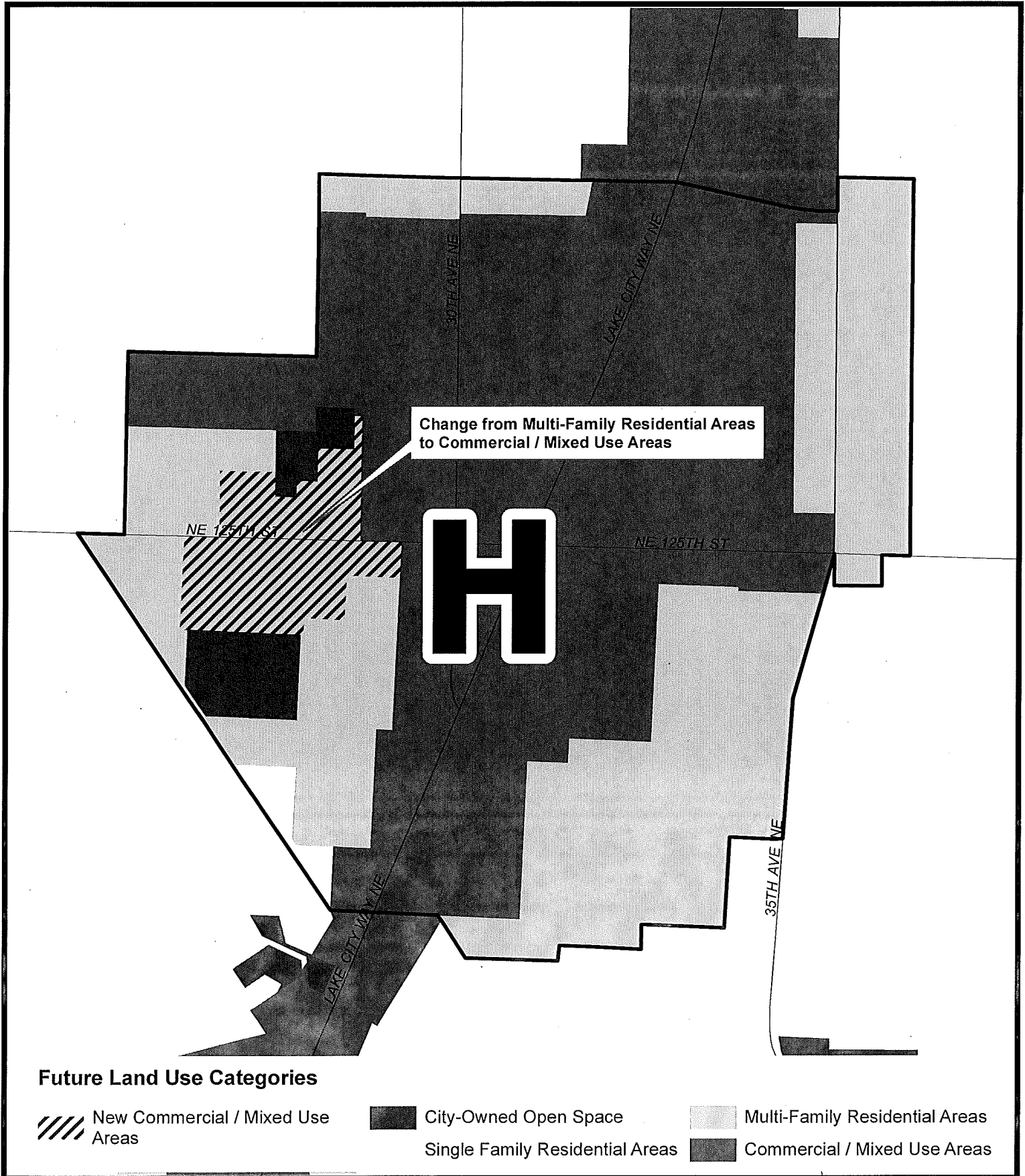
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Lake City Hub Urban Village Future Land Use Map - Proposed Changes



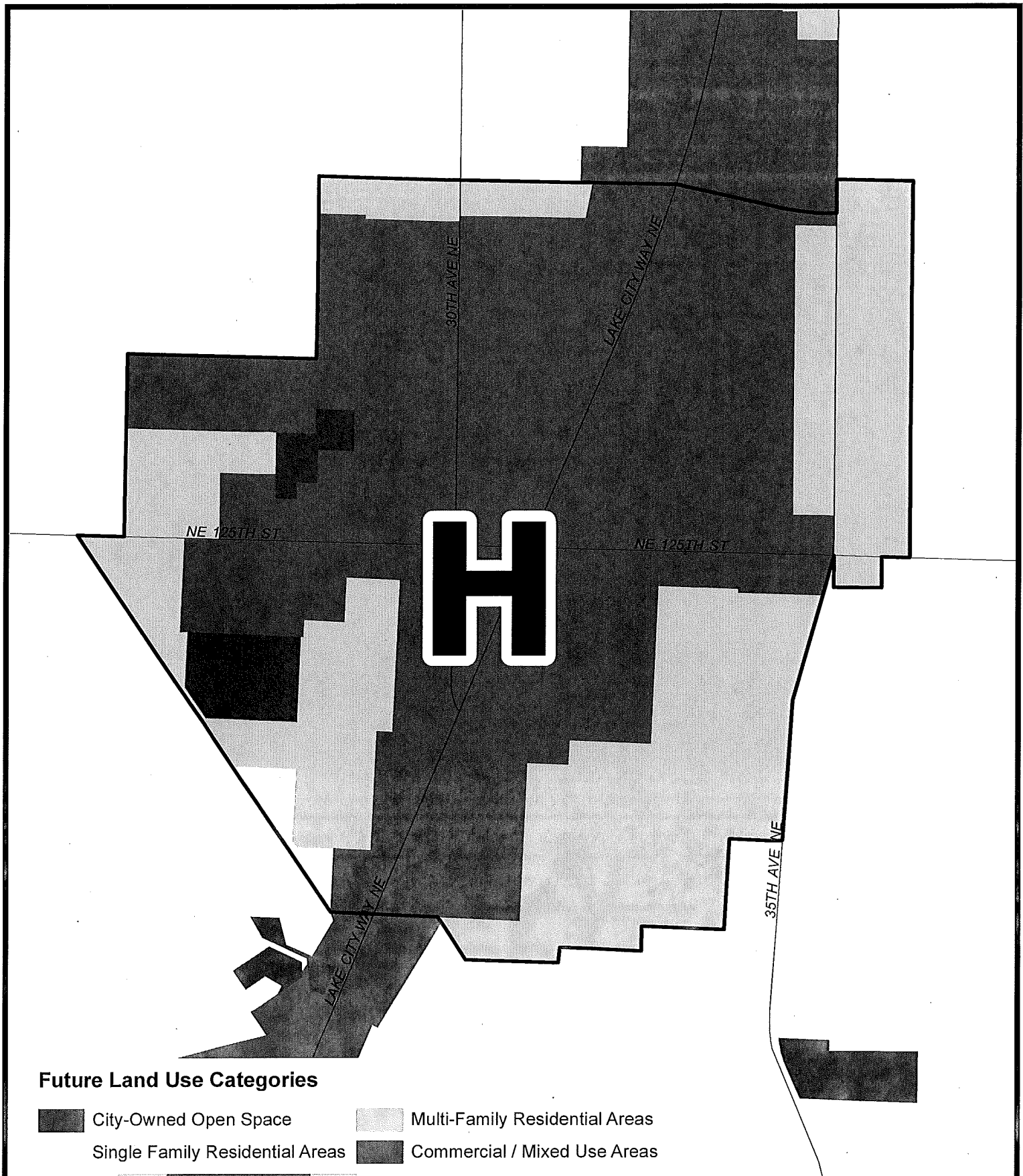
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Lake City Hub Urban Village Future Land Use Map - Effect of Adoption



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Attachment 2 Urban Village Element

Urban Village Element

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A Urban Village Strategy

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goals

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~~((UVG7 Accommodate the City's existing and future housing needs through maintenance of existing residential neighborhoods and the creation of new residential neighborhoods. Encourage housing development so that by 2024, a citywide ratio of 1.8 jobs per household is maintained.))~~

UVG((8))7 Use limited land resources more efficiently and pursue a development pattern that is more economically sound, by encouraging infill development on vacant and underutilized sites, particularly within urban villages.

UVG((9))8 Maximize the benefit of public investment in infrastructure and services, and deliver those services more equitably by focusing new infrastructure and services, as well as maintenance and improvements to existing infrastructure and services, in areas expecting to see additional growth, and by focusing growth in areas with sufficient infrastructure and services to support that growth.

UVG((40))9 Collaborate with the community in planning for the future.

UVG((44))10 Increase public safety by making villages places that people will be drawn to at all times of the day.

UVG((42))11 Promote physical environments of the highest quality, which emphasize the special identity of each of the city's neighborhoods, particularly within urban centers and villages.

UVG((43))12 Distribute urban villages around the city so that communities throughout the city have easy access to the range of goods and services that villages are intended to provide.

UVG((44))13 Encourage development of ground-related housing, which is attractive to many residents including families with children, including townhouses, duplexes, triplexes, ground-related apartments, small cottages, accessory units, and single-family homes.

UVG((45))14 Provide parks and open space that are accessible to urban villages to enhance the livability of urban villages, to help shape the overall development pattern, and to enrich the character of each village.

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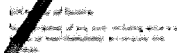
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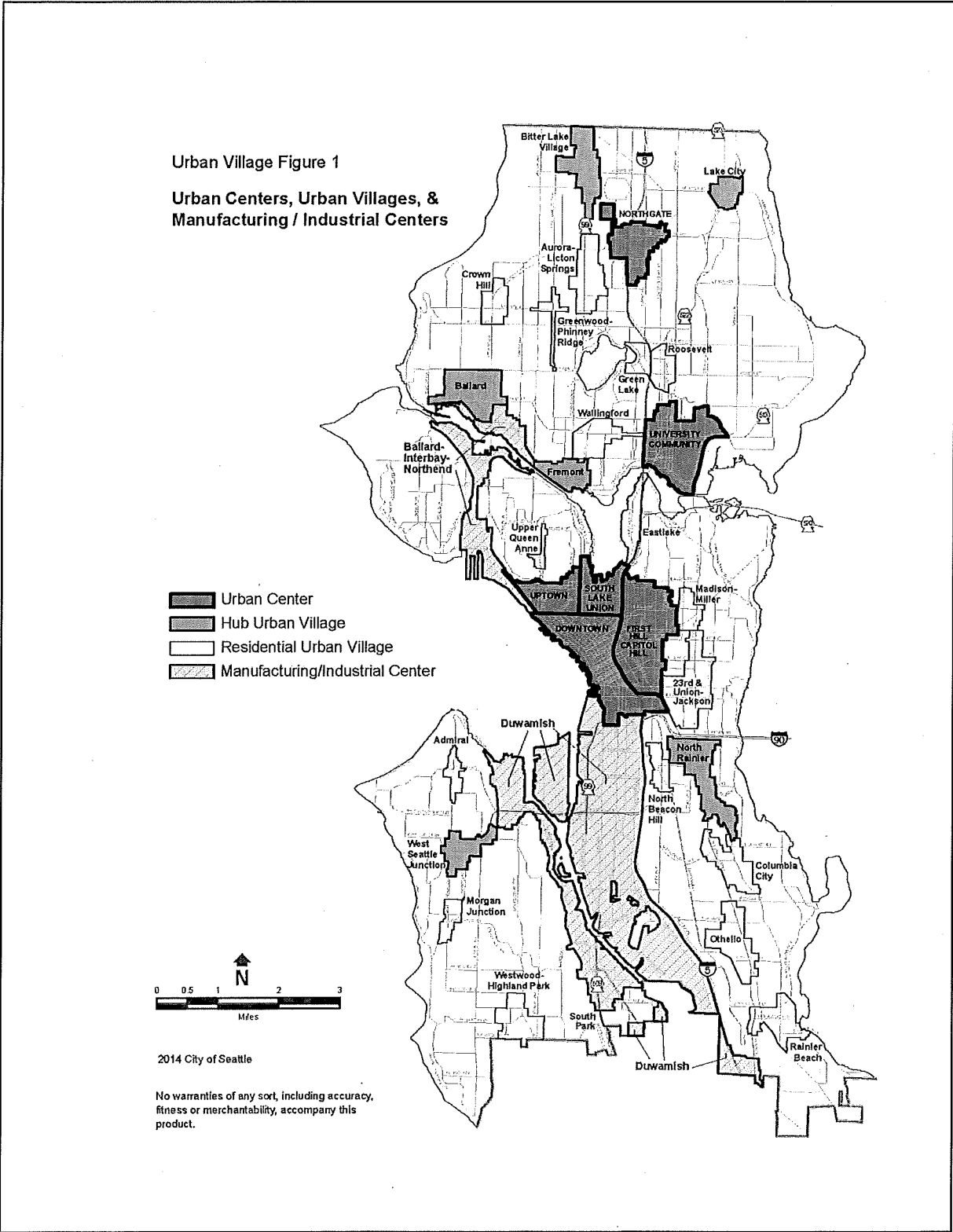
UV3 Consider the following characteristics appropriate to all urban village categories except Manufacturing and Industrial Centers:

1. Clearly defined geographic boundaries that reflect existing development patterns, functional characteristics of the area, and recognized neighborhood boundaries.
2. Zoning sufficient to accommodate ~~((the))~~residential and employment growth ~~((targets established))~~appropriate for that village.
3. The ability to accommodate a range of employment or commercial activity compatible with the overall function, character, and intensity of development specified for the village.
4. Zoning that provides locations for commercial services convenient to residents and workers and, depending on the village designation, serving a citywide and regional clientele.
5. Zoning sufficient to allow a diversity of housing to accommodate a broad range of households.
6. Zoning regulations that restrict those public facilities that are incompatible with the type of environment intended in centers and villages.
7. Most future households are accommodated in multi-family housing.
8. Additional opportunities for housing in existing single-family areas, to the extent provided through neighborhood planning, and within other constraints consistent with this Plan.
9. Public facilities and human services that reflect the role of each village category as the focus of housing and employment and as the service center for surrounding areas.
10. Parks, open spaces, street designs, and recreational facilities that enhance environmental quality, foster public health and attract residential and commercial development.
11. A place, amenity, or activity that serves as a community focus.
12. Neighborhood design guidelines for use in the City's design review process.

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Urban Centers, Urban Villages, and Manufacture / Industrial Centers





A-1 Categories of Urban Villages

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goal

UVG((46))15 Guide public and private activities to achieve the function, character, amount of growth, intensity of activity, and scale of development of each urban village consistent with its urban village designation and adopted neighborhood plan.

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UV13 Designations of areas as hub urban villages and residential urban villages, as indicated in Urban Village Figure 1, shall be consistent with criteria developed to address the following factors:

- Existing zoned capacity
- Existing and planned density
- ((20-year growth targets))
- Population
- Amount of neighborhood commercial land
- Public transportation investments and access
- Other characteristics of hub or residential urban villages as provided in this Plan, or further refined

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urban centers goals

UVG((47))16 Designate as urban centers unique areas of concentrated employment and housing, with direct access to high-capacity transit, and a wide range of supportive land uses such as retail, recreation, public facilities, parks, and open space.

UVG((48))17 Recognize areas that provide a regionally significant focus for housing and employment growth as urban centers. Enhance the unique character and collection of businesses and housing types of each center.

UVG((49))18 Designate urban center villages within larger urban centers to recognize different neighborhoods within a larger community.

~~((UVG20—Encourage housing development so that by 2024, the ratios of jobs per household shown on the following chart are achieved:~~

Urban Center	2024 Jobs/Housing Ratio
Center City (First Hill/Capitol Hill, Downtown, South Lake Union, and Uptown	4.2

Urban Centers)	
University Community Urban Center (University District Northwest, Ravenna, and University of Washington Campus*)	4.1
Northgate Urban Center	2.5

* The household numbers for the University District do not include on-campus dormitory housing.))

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manufacturing/industrial centers goals

UVG((24))19 Ensure that adequate accessible industrial land remains available to promote a diversified employment base and sustain Seattle's contribution to regional high-wage job growth.

UVG((22))20 Promote the use of industrial land for industrial purposes.

UVG((23))21 Encourage economic activity and development in Seattle's industrial areas by supporting the retention and expansion of existing industrial businesses and by providing opportunities for the creation of new businesses consistent with the character of industrial areas.

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hub urban villages goals

UVG((24))22 Accommodate concentrations of housing and employment at strategic locations in the transportation system conveniently accessible to the city's residential population, thereby reducing the length of work-trip commutes.

UVG((25))23 Provide convenient locations for commercial services that serve the populations of the village, surrounding neighborhoods, the city, and the region.

UVG((26))24 Accommodate concentrations of employment and housing at densities that support pedestrian and transit use and increase opportunities within the city for people to live close to where they work.

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residential urban villages goal

UVG((27))25 Promote the development of residential urban villages, which function primarily as compact residential neighborhoods providing opportunities for a wide range of housing types and a mix of activities that

support the residential population. Support densities in residential urban villages that support transit use.

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A-2 Areas Outside of Centers ~~((&))~~ and Villages

goal

UVG~~((28))~~26 Support and maintain the positive qualities of areas outside of urban centers and villages.

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B. Distribution of Growth

discussion

The urban village strategy directs Seattle's future growth primarily to areas designated as centers and villages. The greatest share of job growth will be accommodated in urban centers – areas that already function as high density, concentrated employment centers with the greatest access to the regional transit network. Growth in industrial sector jobs will continue to be accommodated primarily within the two manufacturing/industrial centers where this activity is already securely established. Job growth will also occur in hub urban villages, which are distributed throughout the city to promote additional employment concentrations in areas easily accessible to the surrounding residential population, thereby locating jobs and services near where people live.

The greatest share of residential growth will also be accommodated in urban centers, increasing opportunities for people to live close to work. The next most significant share of residential growth will be distributed among the various hub and residential urban villages throughout the city in amounts compatible with the existing development characteristics of individual areas.

Modest growth will also be dispersed, generally at low density, in various areas outside centers and villages.

Growth ~~((targets))~~ estimates at the citywide level represent the city's share of King County's projected 20-year population and employment growth. The City plans its zoning and infrastructure to accommodate ~~((these targets))~~ estimated growth citywide as well as estimated growth in ~~((for))~~ the individual urban centers ~~((and villages))~~.

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goals

UVG((29))27 Encourage growth in locations within the city that support more compact and less land-consuming, high quality urban living.

UVG((30))28 Concentrate a greater share of employment growth in locations convenient to the city's residential population to promote walking and transit use and reduce the length of work trips.

UVG((34))29 Plan for urban centers to receive the most substantial share of Seattle's growth consistent with their role in shaping the regional growth pattern.

UVG((32))30 Plan citywide for 70,000 additional housing units and 115,000 additional jobs between 2015 and 2035 and ~~((E))encourage growth in Seattle's urban centers and manufacturing/industrial centers ((between 2004-2024,))~~to be distributed generally ((distributed across the city))as shown in Urban Village Figure 8.

Urban Village Figure 8

~~((Targets for the General Distribution of Growth 2004-2024))~~

Location	% of Citywide Residential Growth	% of City Employment Growth
In urban centers	58% (27,450 households)	73% (61,120 jobs)
In manufacturing/industrial centers	No housing target	14% (11,900 jobs)
In hub and residential urban villages	25% (11,880 households)	No target for residential urban villages; hub urban villages only: 5% (4,450 jobs)
Remainder of city	16% (7,670 households)	No specific target
Total	47,000 households	84,000 jobs

Growth Estimates for Urban Centers and Manufacturing/Industrial Centers 2015-2035

<u>Location</u>	<u>Housing Units</u>	<u>Jobs</u>
<u>Urban Centers</u>		
<u>Downtown</u>	<u>10,000</u>	<u>30,000</u>
<u>First Hill/Capitol Hill</u>	<u>7,000</u>	<u>4,000</u>
<u>South Lake Union</u>	<u>4,700</u>	<u>20,000</u>
<u>Uptown</u>	<u>3,500</u>	<u>3,500</u>
<u>University District</u>	<u>2,700</u>	<u>8,000</u>
<u>Northgate</u>	<u>1,600</u>	<u>5,000</u>
<u>M/I Centers</u>		
<u>Duwamish</u>		<u>3,000</u>
<u>Ballard/Interbay</u>		<u>1,500</u>
<u>Remainder of city (Urban Villages and areas outside centers/villages)</u>	<u>40,500</u>	<u>40,000</u>
<u>Total</u>	<u>70,000</u>	<u>115,000</u>

UVG((33))31 Plan for ~~((a distribution of))~~ growth ~~((to each urban village-))~~ that accomplishes the goals of the urban village strategy, and recognizes local circumstances, community preferences as expressed in neighborhood plans, and the need for an equitable distribution of growth across the city.

~~((UVG34 — Achieve growth in urban centers, manufacturing/Industrial centers, hub urban villages and residential urban villages that is consistent with the 20-year residential and employment growth targets contained in Urban Village Appendix A.))~~

UVG((35))32 Achieve development within urban villages at a pace appropriate to current conditions in the area.

UVG((36))33 Allow limited amounts of development in areas of the city outside urban centers and villages to maintain the general intensity of development that already characterizes these areas and to promote the ~~((targeted-))~~ level of growth ~~((in village and-))~~ estimated for centers ~~((locations))~~.

policies

~~((UV40 Use 20-year growth targets for urban villages as a tool for planning for the growth that may occur in each urban village. Use these targets as a guide for City plans for development and infrastructure provision. Recognize that the growth targets do not represent the maximum amount of growth that could occur in a village. Recognize also that the private sector builds most housing units and creates most jobs, and, therefore, the growth targets impose no obligation on the City to ensure that those numbers of households or jobs actually occur.))~~

UV((41))40 Base 20-year growth ~~((targets))~~estimates for each urban center~~((;))~~ and manufacturing/industrial~~((manufacturing/ industrial))~~ center ~~((and urban village contained in Urban Village Appendix A.))~~on:

1. Citywide ~~((targets))~~estimates for housing and job growth over 20 years from the Countywide Planning Policies
2. The center's ~~((or village's-))~~role in regional growth management planning
3. Accessibility to transit
4. Existing zoning, including capacity for ~~((commercial))~~employment and residential development
5. Existing densities
6. Current development conditions, recent development trends and plans for development by public or private sector developers, such as major institution plans
7. Density goals for each type of center~~((or village))~~
8. Plans for infrastructure and public amenities and services necessary to support additional growth
9. The relationship of the center ~~((or village-))~~to the regional transportation network

UV((42))41 Promote the concentration of development within centers ~~((and villages))~~over the 20-year timeframe of this ~~((p))~~Plan, by:

1. Establishing 20-year growth ~~((targets-))~~estimates that do not exceed 80 percent of zoned capacity for development, as calculated by the City
2. Maintaining the 80 percent capacity margin in each center ~~((or village))~~whenever zoning is modified

3. Making reasonable efforts to provide services, facilities, and incentives to accommodate the ~~((targeted-))~~estimated growth~~((--))~~

~~((UV43 Adjust growth targets at least every ten years to reflect state and county 20-year growth estimates and current information, or as neighborhood plans for the city's urban centers and villages are adopted or substantially revised.~~

~~UV44 In order to monitor the effects of the urban village strategy: collect data, review, and report on growth and change in urban centers, urban villages, and manufacturing/ industrial centers at least every 3 years. Include in these reports factors such as: progress on implementing neighborhood plan approval and adoption matrices; changes in the numbers of jobs and housing units; housing costs, including net loss or gain of low income and very low-income housing units; housing types; crime rates; transportation systems and their use; business types; public facilities; services; and open space, to the extent information is practically available. Collect and report on similar data for typical areas outside villages for comparison. Broadly communicate the results of monitoring efforts.))~~

~~UV((45))42~~ Review, monitor and publish ~~((situations where-))~~the rate of growth ~~((is significantly faster or slower than anticipated in the growth targets contained in Appendix UV-A-))~~in centers and villages ((or where)) along with other measures that indicate ~~((significant))~~ changes in the center or village over ~~((f))~~an extended period of time. Evaluate the significance of the changes with center or village residents, business owners, and other community stakeholders in light of the expectations underlying the neighborhood plan for the area, the actual level of growth, progress toward neighborhood plan implementation, and the relative maturity (level of mixed-use development, the pedestrian environment, infrastructure, and public facilities) of the area as an urban center or village.

Establish by resolution, percentage threshold criteria to identify growth conditions over an extended period of time that ~~((are at variance with growth targets-))~~indicate a need to initiate a neighborhood review process. ~~((when the established threshold criteria are exceeded, or when there are significant changes in the other growth monitoring measures-))~~In the neighborhood review process, identify appropriate responses to significant growth or changes, including, but not limited to:

- community-led activities;
- additional planning for, or re-prioritization of, City programs or infrastructure improvements;
- partially or entirely updating a neighborhood plan;
- amending growth ~~((targets))~~estimates; or

- working with other public agencies to address community goals.

C. Open Space Network

goals

UVG((37))34 Provide safe and welcoming places for the people of Seattle to play, learn, contemplate, and build community. Provide healthy spaces for children and their families to play; for more passive activities such as strolling, sitting, viewing, picnicking, public gatherings, and enjoying the natural environment; and for active uses such as community gardening, competitive sports, and running.

UVG((38))35 Through the creation, preservation, and enhancement of the city's open spaces, support the development patterns called for by this ((p))Plan, enhance environmental quality, provide light, air, and visual relief; offer community-building opportunities; provide buffers between residential areas and incompatible uses; provide spaces for sports and recreation; and protect environmentally sensitive areas.

UVG((39))36 Enhance the urban village strategy through the provision of:

1. Amenities in more densely populated areas
2. Recreational opportunities for daytime populations in urban centers
3. Mitigation of the impacts of large scale development
4. Increased opportunities to walk regularly to open spaces by providing them close by
5. Connections linking urban centers and villages, through a system of parks, boulevards, community gardens, urban trails, and natural areas
6. A network of connections to the regional open space system
7. Protected environmentally critical areas
8. Enhanced tree canopy and understory throughout the city

policies

UV((46))43 Strive to accomplish goals in Urban Village Appendix ((B))Figures A-1 and A-2 for the amount, types, and distribution of open space.

UV((47))44 Designate and preserve important natural or ecological features in public ownership as ((greenspaces))green spaces for low-intensity open space uses.

UV((48))45 Identify City-owned open spaces on the Future Land Use Map.

UV((49))46 Consider open space provisions identified in adopted neighborhood plans, including specific open space sites and features, in guiding the expansion of the open space network.

UV((50))47 Establish, through the combined systems of urban trails, green streets and designated boulevards, a network among the city's varied open space features and urban villages and urban centers as well as connections with recreational and natural areas within the Puget Sound region.

UV((54))48 Provide unstructured open play space for children in or near residential neighborhoods.

UV((52))49 Guide development of shoreline public access and recreation as important elements in the city's open space network.

UV((53))50 Direct efforts to expand the open space network according to the following considerations:

1. Locations for new facilities:

- a. Urban centers and villages ((targeted for))with the largest share of estimated residential growth; especially those existing high density residential areas presently not served according to the population-based or distribution goals for urban village open space;
- b. Other urban village locations where an adopted subarea plan or recognized neighborhood plan includes open space recommendations consistent with these policies; and
- c. Specific locations enumerated in the Parks functional plan outside urban centers or villages.

2. Types of open space acquisitions and facility development:

- a. Village open space sites, urban center indoor recreation facilities, village commons sites, and community gardens;

- b. Critical open space linkages, connectors, and corridors that are highly accessible for active use within or directly serving urban villages, high density and/or high pedestrian, bicycle, or transit use areas;
- c. Open space linkages, connectors, and corridors that are highly accessible for active use serving other high pedestrian, bicycle, or transit use areas; and
- d. Other types of open space within or adjacent to urban villages that is accessible from adjacent urban villages.

UV((54))51 Promote sustainable management of public and private open spaces and landscaping including preserving or planting native and naturalized vegetation as appropriate to the landscape, removing invasive plants, protecting and enhancing wildlife habitat, and using an integrated pest management approach which favors natural over chemical pest management.

public projects policies

UV((55))52 Seek to provide public open space in conjunction with major public projects such as utility and transportation projects, with the amount of open space based on the size of the project, open space needs of the adjacent areas, and the opportunities provided by the particular project.

UV((56))53 Emphasize flexibility in planning, designing, and developing new open space and encourage development of innovative projects.

UV((57))54 Promote inter-agency and intergovernmental cooperation to expand community gardening opportunities.

UV((57.5))54.5 Create opportunities for people to experience the natural environment by including parks, forested areas, urban agriculture (P-Patches, farms, orchards, and community gardens), and viewpoints among the priority uses to be considered for the City's surplus properties.

D. Annexation

policies

UV((58))55 Seek, through cooperative efforts with adjacent jurisdictions, an equitable and balanced resolution to jurisdictional boundaries of the remaining unincorporated areas adjacent to the city's limits. Future annexations to Seattle and/or city boundary changes shall be based on the following:

1. The area has access or can easily be connected to areas already served by the City, allowing efficient delivery of services to the area;
2. The City can readily provide services to the area; and
3. The boundary changes or interjurisdictional agreements will result in a fair and equitable distribution of revenues, facilities development and maintenance and operating costs, and transfer of assets.

UV((59))56 Designate as Potential Annexation Areas areas that include parcels currently owned by the City or small areas almost completely surrounded by land currently within Seattle's city limits. Areas meeting these conditions are designated as Potential Annexation Areas as shown in Urban Village Figure 9.

UV((60))57 Favorably consider annexation requests by the residents of unincorporated areas to meet regional growth management goals.

UV((61))58 Support annexations of unincorporated areas to surrounding jurisdictions by being involved in public participation efforts to determine local sentiment regarding annexations, participating in the development of interlocal agreements concerning final annexation plans with the goal of eventually eliminating any unincorporated island areas, and participating in the evaluation of any proposals to create new jurisdictions in these areas.

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ATTACHMENT 3 Land Use Element

Land Use Element

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C-3 Environmentally Critical Areas

goals

LUG36 Protect the ecological functions and values of wetlands, and fish and wildlife habitat conservation areas; prevent erosion ~~((from development-))~~ on steep slopes; ~~((and-))~~ protect the public health, safety and welfare in landslide-prone, liquefaction-prone, peat settlement-prone areas, and flood-prone areas; and protect the public by identifying seismic hazard areas and volcanic hazard areas.

LUG37 Permit landowners to develop land in a manner that is reasonable in light of the environmental constraints and the ecological functions and values present.

LUG38 Avoid development that causes physical harm ~~((injury))~~ to persons, property, public resources, or the environment.

LUG38.1 Promote both public and private opportunities to improve water quality and enhance aquatic, wetland, and terrestrial habitat in the City's environmentally critical areas so that these habitats are healthy for native wildlife and people.

policies

LU208 Include best available science to identify and protect environmentally critical areas.

LU208.1 Strictly regulate development in environmentally critical areas and buffers to protect the ecological functions and values of the critical areas and protect the public health, safety, and welfare on development sites and neighboring properties ~~((-~~

~~LU209~~ ~~Limit impacts to environmentally critical areas and buffers))~~ by directing activities away from these areas through restrictions on the design and siting of structures, and restrictions on grading and other land-disturbing activity.

LU209 ~~((240))~~ Permit modification of development standards in environmentally critical areas and buffers to help protect the ecological functions and values of the critical ~~((these))~~ areas and to allow reasonable development.

LU210((211)) When reviewing a rezone, subdivision, or lot boundary adjustment proposed for an area located in or adjacent to an environmentally critical area, consider the effect of the rezone, subdivision, or lot boundary adjustment on the ecological functions and values of the critical area, and recognize that lower intensity zones are generally more appropriate in critical areas than higher intensity zones.

LU211 Maintain in their natural state environmentally critical areas that contain vegetative cover and physical space for habitat.

LU212 Adopt regulations that encourage voluntarily enhancing the ecological functions and values of environmentally critical areas.

LU212.1 Provide opportunities for environmental education.

landslide-prone areas policies

LU213((212)) Seek to protect landslide-prone hillsides, including steep slopes, ~~((against))~~ from future damage due to instability created or exacerbated by development, including protecting against damage to public facilities. Take into account the relative risk to life or property when reviewing development proposals for landslide-prone areas.

~~((LU213 Identify landslide-prone areas through identification of geologic, hydrologic and topographic factors that contribute to landslides.))~~

LU214 Before permitting development ~~((on))~~ within a landslide-prone ~~((hillside))~~ area, ~~((ensure that))~~ require engineering solutions ~~((are))~~ designed to ~~((prevent slides both during high-stress periods and in the event of poor maintenance of the hillside))~~ provide complete stabilization of the developed area.

~~((Require, as appropriate, that special engineering considerations be integrated into a structure's design to provide an acceptable level of risk. Design permanent facilities for a 100-year life expectancy. Account for a one-in-100-year event for seismic activity when designing a development.))~~

steep slopes policies

~~((LU215 Regulate development on steep slopes to control erosion, water runoff, siltation of streams, lakes, Puget Sound and the City's stormwater facilities.))~~

LU215((216)) Limit disturbance of ~~((the))~~ steep slopes and maintain ~~((and enhance-))~~ existing vegetative cover in order to control erosion ~~((,))~~ and water runoff ~~((, and))~~ to reduce the risk of siltation and other negative environmental impacts to ~~((of))~~ streams, lakes, Puget Sound, and the City's stormwater facilities.

liquefaction-prone areas policy

LU216~~((217))~~ ~~((Identify areas subject to liquefaction during earthquakes.~~
~~))~~Require ~~((that-))~~new development in ~~((those))~~liquefaction-prone areas
~~((is))~~to be designed and built to limit property damage and
~~((eliminate))~~minimize risks of injury and loss of life during earthquakes.

abandoned solid waste landfills policies

LU217~~((218))~~ Regulate development on sites of abandoned solid waste landfills
to minimize the risks of ground subsidence, earthquake induced ground
shaking, and methane gas ~~((build-up))~~accumulation.

LU218~~((219))~~ Regulate development on sites within 1,000 feet of abandoned
solid waste landfills to ~~((minimize the risk of methane gas build-up))~~prevent
accumulation of methane gas within enclosed spaces.

peat settlement-prone areas

LU219 Regulate development in peat settlement-prone areas to minimize ground
settlement caused by the:

- removal of groundwater; and
- structural and earth/fill loads on those areas and on off-site parcels.

wetlands policies

LU220 Seek a net gain in wetland functions by enhancing and restoring wetland
functions across the city in City projects.

LU221 Support efforts to restore wetlands to their original state and natural function.

LU222~~((224))~~ Strictly regulate development to minimize construction and post-
construction impacts in ~~((and near-))~~wetlands and their buffers in order to
protect the remaining unique and valuable wetland resources left in Seattle.

~~((LU222 — Support efforts to restore wetlands to their original state and natural
function.))~~

LU223 Seek no net loss of wetland acreage~~((,))~~ and require no net loss of wetland
functions and values when development is allowed; ~~((or functions across the
city,))~~ functions and values include~~((including,))~~ but are not limited to flood
control, water quantity and quality, and fish and wildlife habitat~~((, and quality of
life and educational benefits. In limited circumstances, allow a wetland's
functions to be replaced either on or off-site))~~.

LU224 In wetlands and their buffers~~((Near wetlands))~~, protect vegetation in its existing
condition unless augmenting or replanting can be shown to better protect the
wetland's functions and values.

fish ~~((&))~~ and wildlife habitat
conservation areas policies

LU225 Regulate development in and near designated fish and wildlife habitat conservation areas in order to protect the remaining native wildlife species and significant fish populations, especially salmonids.

LU226 Whenever possible ~~((, maintain in their natural or native state those areas that contain the natural vegetative cover and physical space necessary to serve as valuable habitat, in order to))~~:

- protect ~~((large-))~~ contiguous wildlife habitat areas;
- maintain wildlife corridors that connect functions;
- conserve soil and ground conditions that support native vegetation;
- prevent siltation and high water temperatures in downstream habitat;
- dampen fluctuations in surface water flows, which are typically problematic in urbanized areas; and
- maintain groundwater recharge flow to support stream flows during drier seasons.

LU227 Regulate development within riparian corridors to protect the natural functions and values of streams, creeks, and lakes from the potential negative effects of urban development.

LU228 Establish development standards to:

- ~~((prevent the degradation of))~~ protect existing water quality ~~((;))~~;
- prevent erosion and siltation ~~((;))~~; and
- protect fish and wildlife habitat.

LU229 Establish riparian corridors that include the water course or water body, and riparian management area ~~((buffer areas adjacent to the water body on each development site that is located within a riparian corridor))~~. Strictly limit development within ~~((buffer areas))~~ the riparian corridor, and leave vegetation in its natural condition. If the vegetation within the riparian corridor is degraded, allow ~~((unless))~~ new native plantings that ~~((will))~~ enhance the functions and values of the riparian corridor ~~((of the buffer))~~.

flood-prone areas policy

LU230 Regulate development in flood-prone areas in order to protect ~~((the-))~~ public health and safety, and aquatic habitat; and to prevent damage to private property caused by hazardous flooding conditions.

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Attachment 4 Transportation Element

Transportation Element

A Building Urban Villages: Land Use ~~((&))~~ and Transportation

discussion

The development pattern described in the Urban Village Element of this Plan will shape the city's transportation facilities. In particular, transportation facility design will reflect the intended pedestrian nature of the urban centers and villages and the desire to connect these places with transit service. Because Seattle is a fully built city with a mature street system, the City uses a full range of non-single-occupant vehicle transportation facilities to support the desired redevelopment pattern within ~~((U))~~urban ~~((V))~~villages. These facilities can help create the mixed-use, walkable, transit, and bike-friendly centers that this Plan envisions. However, the City recognizes that auto and service access to property will remain important for accommodating growth in centers and villages.

Outside of urban centers and villages, the City will also look for appropriate transportation designs that align transportation facilities and services with adjacent land uses.

~~((This Element contains references to the Transportation Strategic Plan (TSP), which is the functional plan developed to implement these policies.~~

~~The TSP:~~

- ~~• Establishes the Seattle Department of Transportation's (SDOT) near and long term work program.~~
- ~~• Defines the strategies, projects and programs to accomplish Comprehensive Plan goals and policies for transportation.~~
- ~~• Provides a central resource for planning tools and transportation related data to use in developing future projects and programs.~~
- ~~• Outlines SDOT's financial plan, and describes the projects, programs and services that will be implemented through SDOT's budget over the next 20 years.~~
- ~~• Defines the process for determining funding priorities and leveraging project investments to meet multiple goals for SDOT and the community.~~
- ~~• Defines SDOT's performance goals.~~

~~The Comprehensive Plan will guide updates to the TSP.))~~

goal

- TG1 Ensure that transportation decisions, strategies, and investments are coordinated with land use goals and support the urban village strategy.

policies

- T1 Design transportation infrastructure in urban villages to support land use goals for compact, accessible, walkable neighborhoods.
- T2 Make the design and scale of transportation facilities compatible with planned land uses and with consideration for the character anticipated by this Plan for the surrounding neighborhood.
- T3 Encourage and provide opportunities for public involvement in planning and designing of City transportation facilities, programs, and services((,)) and encourage other agencies to do the same.
- T4 Provide sufficient transportation facilities and services to promote and accommodate the growth this Plan anticipates in urban centers, urban villages, and manufacturing/industrial centers while reducing reliance on single-occupancy vehicles.
- T5 Establish multi-modal hubs providing transfer points between transit modes in urban centers and urban villages.

B Make the Best Use of the
Streets We Have to
Move People ((&))and Goods

discussion

The City has a limited amount of street space, and is unlikely to expand this space significantly. To make the best use of existing rights-of-way for moving people and goods, the City must allocate street space carefully among competing uses to further the City's growth management and transportation goals. The Complete Streets principles set out in Ordinance 122386 promote safe and convenient access and travel for all users — pedestrians, bicyclists, transit riders, and people of all abilities, as well as freight and motor vehicle drivers.

~~((As guided below by this Plan, the Transportation Strategic Plan (TSP) will include detailed maps and descriptions of Seattle's street classifications. Street classifications define how a street should function to support movement of people, goods and services versus access to property. Street classifications provide the basis for determining how individual streets should be used and operated. The TSP also designates street types to further define streets by relating them to the adjacent~~

~~land uses and their function for pedestrians, bicyclists, transit and freight. Street types enhance the citywide street classifications with more site-specific design guidance that balances the functional classification, adjacent land uses, and competing travel needs.))~~

goals

- TG2 Manage the street system safely and efficiently for all modes and users and seek to balance limited street capacity among competing uses.
- TG3 Promote safe and convenient bicycle and pedestrian access throughout the transportation system.
- TG4 Promote adequate capacity on the street system for transit and other designated uses.
- TG5 Preserve and maintain the boulevard network as both a travel and open space system.
- TG6 Promote efficient freight and goods movement.
- TG7 Protect neighborhood streets from through traffic.

policies

- T6 Allocate street space among various uses (e.g., traffic, transit, trucks, carpools, bicycles, parking, and pedestrians) according to Complete Streets principles, set out in Ordinance 122386, to enhance the key function(s) of a street(~~((as described in the Transportation Strategic Plan))~~).
- T7 Designate(~~((, in the))~~) a series of arterials as defined below and, consistent with such designations, identify these arterials in Transportation Appendix Figure A-1.(~~(Strategic Plan, a traffic network that defines Interstate Freeways, Regional, Principal, Minor and Collector Arterial streets, Commercial and Residential Access streets and Alleys as follows:~~
 - ~~**Interstate Freeways:** roadways that provide the highest capacity and least impeded traffic flow for longer vehicle trips.~~
 - ~~**Regional Arterials:** roadways that provide for intra-regional travel and carry traffic through the city or serve important traffic generators, such as regional shopping centers, a major university, or sports stadia.~~
 - **Principal (Major) Arterials:** roadways that are intended to serve as the primary routes for moving traffic through the city connecting urban centers and urban villages to one another, or to the regional transportation network.

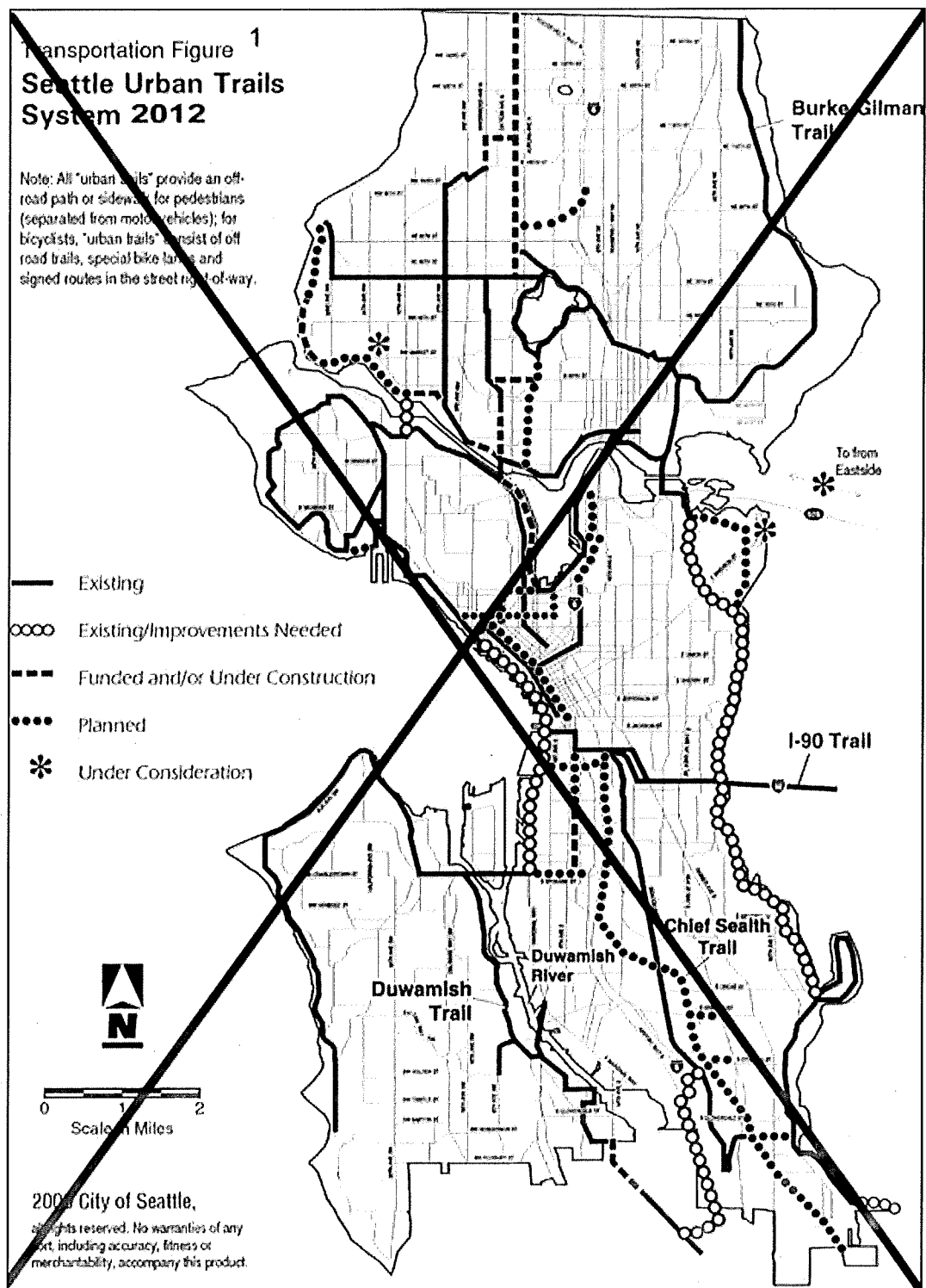
- **Minor (Secondary) Arterials:** roadways that distribute traffic from principal arterials to collector arterials and access streets.
 - **Collector Arterials:** roadways that collect and distribute traffic from principal and minor arterials to local access streets or provide direct access to destinations.
 - ~~**Commercial Access Streets:** roadways that directly serve commercial and industrial land uses and provide localized traffic circulation.~~
 - ~~**Residential Access Streets:** roadways that provide access to neighborhood land uses and access to higher level traffic streets.~~
 - ~~**Alleys:** travelways that provide access to the rear of residences and businesses that are not intended for the movement of through trips. Where a continuous alley network exists, it is the preferred corridor for utility facilities.))~~
- T8 ~~((Pursue strategies to reduce and help prevent road damage from heavy vehicles))~~ Establish a street system that can accommodate the weight of heavy vehicles and reduce the damage such vehicles can cause.
- T9 Designate, ~~((in the Transportation Strategic Plan,))~~ a future transit network in the Transit Master Plan to maintain and improve transit mobility and access, compatible with the transportation infrastructure and surrounding land uses. Through the network, focus transit investments and indicate expected bus volumes and transit priority treatments appropriate for the type and condition of the street.
- T10 Designate in a Freight Master Plan ~~((, in the Transportation Strategic Plan,))~~ a truck street classification network to accommodate trucks and to preserve and improve commercial transportation mobility and access. ~~((Designate as follows:~~
- ~~**Major Truck Streets:** an arterial street that accommodates significant freight movement through the city, and connects to major freight traffic generators.))~~
- T11 Designate, ~~((in the Transportation Strategic Plan,))~~ a future bicycle classification network in the Bicycle Master Plan to accommodate bicycle trips through the ~~((C))~~ city and to major destinations. ~~((Designate as follows:~~
- ~~**Urban Trails:** a network of on and off street trails that facilitate walking and bicycling as viable transportation choices, provide recreational opportunities, and link major parks and open spaces with Seattle neighborhoods, as shown on Figure 1.~~

- ~~**Streets:** an on-street bicycle network that connects neighborhoods and urban centers and villages and serves major inter-modal connections.))~~

T12 Designate, in the Right-of-Way Improvement Manual, ~~((, in the Transportation Strategic Plan,))~~ a network of boulevards that provides for circulation and access in a manner that enhances the appreciation or use of adjacent major parklands and vistas and preserves the historic character of the boulevards.

T13 Designate, in the ~~((Transportation Strategic Plan))~~ Right-of-Way Improvement Manual, a series of s((S))treet ((T))types ~~((overlay-))~~ to define street use and design features that support adjacent land uses ~~((,))~~ and mobility. ~~((generally, as follows:~~

- ~~**Main Street:** Main activity center in urban villages for pedestrians and transit. This Street Type encourages and supports pedestrian and bicycle activity as well as transit. Streets in this type may include high capacity transit stops and are distinguished by compact, mixed land uses, and high densities.))~~



- ~~((Mixed Use Street: Streets within neighborhood commercial areas of the city. This Street Type supports all modes with an emphasis on pedestrian access.~~
- ~~Regional Connector Street: Provide connections between regional centers along principal arterials. This Street Type supports all modes but is primarily designed to provide citywide and regional access for transit, cars and truck trips and may support high and intermediate capacity transit service.~~
- ~~Commercial Connector Street: Provide connections between commercial areas as well as local access within urban villages along minor arterials streets. This Street Type supports all modes with an emphasis on local access.~~
- ~~Local Connector Street: This Street Type supports pedestrian access along Collector Arterials to and from key pedestrian generators and destinations (e.g. schools, community centers, transit stops). May also be non-arterial streets that provide direct connection to high-capacity transit stops.~~
- ~~Industrial Access Street: This Street Type supports freight access to manufacturing and industrial land uses.~~
- ~~Green Street: This Street Type on certain downtown streets provides exceptional pedestrian environments and may include wider sidewalks, street trees, landscaping, and appropriate street furniture emphasizing pedestrian movement.~~
- ~~Neighborhood Green Street: May be on any non-arterial street adjacent to residential and commercial land uses. This Street Type supports all modes with an emphasis on pedestrian amenities, street trees and landscaping.))~~

T14 Use neighborhood traffic control devices and strategies to protect local streets from through traffic, high volumes, high speeds, and pedestrian/vehicle conflicts. Use these devices and strategies on collector arterials where they are compatible with the basic function of collector arterials.

T15 Increase capacity on roadways only if needed to improve safety, improve connectivity of the transportation network, improve isolated connections to regional roadways, or where other measures are impractical to achieve level-of-service standards. The City will manage capacity of principal arterials where and as appropriate and will not attempt to provide street space to meet latent demand for travel by car. The City will not support

freeway expansion for the sole purpose of increasing general traffic capacity.

- T16 Recognize the important function of alleys in the transportation network. Consider alleys, especially continuous alleys, a valuable resource for access to abutting properties to load/unload, locate utilities, and dispose of waste.

C Increasing Transportation Choices

discussion

To reduce car use, the City will employ land use policies and parking strategies that encourage increased use of transit, walking, biking, and carpooling. To be effective, the City must provide for transportation alternatives and educate people on transportation choices that are responsive to the specific needs of ((U))urban ((G))centers as well as other residential and employment areas. These kinds of tools enable the City to better manage, or control, the need to travel by car. Transportation alternatives to the single-occupancy-vehicle (SOV) need to address cost, convenience, and travel time. The City recognizes that transportation needs and travel choices will change over time as alternatives to car travel become more viable.

goals

- TG8 Meet the current and future mobility needs of residents, businesses, and visitors with a balanced transportation system.
- TG9 Provide programs and services to promote transit, bicycling, walking, and carpooling to help reduce car use and SOV trips.
- TG10 Accommodate all new trips in downtown with non-SOV modes.
- ~~((TG11 Strive to achieve the following mode choice goals for use of travel modes through the City's land use strategies and transportation programs:~~

Mode Choice Goals for Work Trips to Seattle & its Urban Centers

Proportion of work trips made using Non-SOV Modes

Urban Center	2000*	2010 Goal	2020 Goal
Downtown	56%	62%	70%
First Hill/Capitol Hill	31%	37%	50%
Uptown/Queen Anne	33%	37%	50%
South Lake Union	30%	37%	50%
University District	56%	62%	70%
Northgate	26%	30%	40%
Seattle	39%	42%	45%

* 2000 mode choice numbers are from the U.S. Census for the year 2000 journey to work data by place of employment.

Mode Choice Goals for Residents of Seattle & its Urban Centers

Proportion of all trips made using Non-SOV Modes

Urban Center	2000*	2010 Goal	2020 Goal
Downtown	77%	80%	85%
First Hill/Capitol Hill	69%	75%	80%
Uptown/Queen Anne	64%	70%	75%
South Lake Union	65%	70%	75%
University District	60%	65%	70%
Northgate	50%	55%	60%
Seattle	53%	55%	60%

~~* 2000 mode choice numbers are preliminary estimates from the Puget Sound Regional Council Regional Travel Demand Model (2004 preliminary model update) for Home-Based Work and Home-Based Non-Work Trips.))~~

policies

- T17 Provide, support, and promote programs and strategies aimed at reducing the number of car trips and miles driven (for work and non-work purposes) to increase the efficiency of the transportation system((;)) and reduce greenhouse gas emissions.
- T18 Promote public awareness of the impact travel choices have on household finances, personal quality of life, society, and the environment((;)) and increase awareness of the range of travel choices available.
- T19 Pursue transportation demand management (TDM) strategies at the regional and urban center levels, and strengthen regional and urban center-based partnerships working on TDM measures. Coordinate and develop relationships with urban center, regional, and state partners so customers see their travel choices and the various TDM promotions as a coordinated, integrated system that makes a difference in the community.

C-1 Increasing Transportation Choices: Making Transit a Real Choice

discussion

Providing convenient and accessible transit service can help reduce reliance on single-occupant vehicles, slow the increase in environmental degradation associated with their use, and increase mobility without building new streets and highways. Street rights-of-way are limited and as streets get more congested, transit provides an efficient way to move large numbers of people around the city and the region and support growth in urban centers and villages. These policies will guide City decisions to enhance transit, and are also intended to guide decisions of transit serving Seattle.

goals

- TG((42))11 Create a transit-oriented transportation system that builds strong neighborhoods and supports economic development.
- TG((43))12 Provide mobility and access by public transportation for the greatest number of people to the greatest number of services, jobs, educational opportunities, and other destinations.

TG((44))13 Increase transit ridership, and thereby reduce use of single-occupant vehicles to reduce environmental degradation and the societal costs associated with their use.

policies

- T20 Work with transit providers to provide transit service that is fast, frequent, and reliable between urban centers and urban villages and that is accessible to most of the city's residences and businesses. Pursue strategies that make transit safe, secure, comfortable, and affordable.
- T21 Support development of an integrated, regional high capacity transit system that links urban centers within the city and the region.
- T22 Pursue a citywide intermediate capacity transit system that connects urban centers, urban villages, and manufacturing/industrial centers.
- T23 Pursue a citywide local transit system that connects homes and businesses with neighborhood transit facilities.
- T24 Work with transit providers to design and operate transit facilities and services to make connections within the transit system and other modes safe and convenient. Integrate transit stops, stations, and hubs into existing communities and business districts to make it easy for people to ride transit and reach local businesses. Minimize negative environmental and economic impacts of transit service and facilities on surrounding areas.
- T24.5 Work with transit providers to locate transit stops and stations to facilitate pedestrian access. Seek to develop safe street crossings at transit stop locations, particularly on roadways with more than one travel lane in any direction.
- T25 Work with transit providers to ensure that the design of stations and alignments will improve how people move through and perceive the city, contribute positively to Seattle's civic identity, and reflect the cultural identity of the communities in which they are located.
- T26 Discourage the development of major, stand-alone park-and-ride facilities within Seattle. Situations where additions to park-and-ride capacity could be considered include:
- At the terminus for a major, regional transit system;
 - Opportunities exist for "shared parking" (e.g., where transit commuter parking can be leased from another development, such as a shopping center, movie theater, or church); and

- Areas where alternatives to automobile use are particularly inadequate (e.g., lack of direct transit service, or pedestrian and bicycle access) or cannot be provided in a cost-effective manner.

T27 Encourage transit services that address the needs of persons with disabilities, the elderly, other people with special needs, and people who depend on public transit for their mobility.

T28 ~~((4-))~~Support efficient use of ferries to move passengers and goods to, from, and within Seattle. Explore route, funding, and governance options for waterborne transit service, especially those that serve pedestrians.

~~((2-))~~In order to limit the expansion of automobile traffic by ferry, encourage the Washington State Ferry System to expand its practice of giving loading and/or fare priority to certain vehicles, such as transit, carpools, vanpools, bicycles, and/or commercial vehicles, on particular routes, on certain days of the week, and/or at certain times of day. Encourage the Washington State Ferry System to integrate transit loading and unloading areas into ferry terminals, and to provide adequate bicycle capacity on ferries and adequate and secure bicycle parking at terminals.

T29 For water-borne travel across Puget Sound, encourage the expansion of passenger-only ferry service and land-side facilities and terminals that encourage walk-on (by foot, bicycle and transit) trips rather than ferry travel with automobiles.

C-2 Increasing Transportation Choices: Bicycling ~~((&))~~and Walking

discussion

Walking and bicycling can be practical alternatives to driving, especially for short trips. They can also contribute greatly to neighborhood quality and vitality, and help achieve City transportation, environmental, open space, and public health goals. Pedestrian and bicycle improvements to streets, intersections, sidewalks, and other facilities can improve access and safety. Such facilities are particularly important for children, senior citizens, and people with disabilities.

goals

TG~~((45))~~14Increase walking and bicycling to help achieve City transportation, environmental, community, and public health goals.

TG~~((46))~~15Create and enhance safe, accessible, attractive, and convenient street and trail networks that are desirable for walking and bicycling.

policies

- T30 Improve mobility and safe access for walking and bicycling, and create incentives to promote non-motorized travel to employment centers, commercial districts, transit stations, schools and major institutions, and recreational destinations.
- T30.5 Look for opportunities to re-establish connections across I-5 by enlarging existing crossings, creating crossings under, or constructing lids over I-5 that can also provide opportunities for development or open space.
- T31 Integrate pedestrian and bicycle facilities, services, and programs into City and regional transportation and transit systems. Encourage transit providers, the Washington State Ferry System, and others to provide safe and convenient pedestrian and bicycle access to and onto transit systems, covered and secure bicycle storage at stations, ~~((and))~~ especially for persons with disabilities and special needs.
- T32 Recognize that stairways located within Seattle's public rights-of-way serve as a unique and valuable pedestrian resource in some areas of the ~~((C))~~ city. Discourage the vacation of public rights-of-way occupied by stairways, and protect publicly-owned stairways from private encroachment.
- T33 Accelerate the maintenance, development, and improvement of pedestrian facilities, including public stairways. Give special consideration to:
- ~~((a--))~~ access to recommended school walking routes;
 - ~~((b--))~~ access to transit, public facilities, social services, and community centers;
 - ~~((c--))~~ access within and between urban villages for people with disabilities and special needs;
 - ~~((d--))~~ areas with a history of ~~((pedestrian / motor vehicle))~~ pedestrian/motor vehicle crashes and other safety problems; and
 - ~~((e--))~~ areas with high levels of growth.
- ~~((The Pedestrian Master Plan should identify a method for assessing and implementing pedestrian safety and access improvements in high growth areas.))~~
- T34 Provide and maintain a direct and comprehensive bicycle network connecting urban centers, urban villages, and other key locations. Provide continuous bicycle facilities and work to eliminate system gaps.
- T35 Develop, apply, and report on walking and bicycling transportation performance measures ~~((in the Transportation Strategic Plan--))~~ to evaluate

the functioning of the non-motorized transportation system; to ensure consistency with current industry standards; to identify strengths, deficiencies, and potential improvements; and to support development of new and innovative facilities and programs.

- T35.5 Provide facilities for non-motorized modes of travel that keep pace with development in the City.
- T36 Promote safe walking, bicycling, and driving behavior through education, enforcement, and engineering design, in order to provide public health benefits and to reinforce pedestrian, bicycle, and motorist rights and responsibilities.

C-3 Increasing Transportation Choices: Managing the Parking Supply discussion

Long- or short-term parking is part of every car trip, and parking, especially when free, is a key factor in the mode choice for a trip. The availability and price of parking influences people's housing and transportation choices about where to live and how to travel to work, shop, and conduct personal business. The City's challenge is to provide enough parking to meet mobility and economic needs, while limiting supply to encourage people to use non-auto modes. This section establishes goals and policies primarily for on-street parking. Off-street parking goals and policies can be found in the Land Use Element, parking section.

goals

- TG((47))16 Manage the parking supply to achieve vitality of urban centers and villages, auto trip reduction, and improved air quality.
- TG((48))17 Recognize that the primary transportation purpose of the arterial street system is to move people and goods, when making on-street parking decisions.

policies

- T37 Consider establishing parking districts that allow for neighborhood based on- and off-street parking management regulations(~~(to help meet urban center mode split goals)~~).
- T38 Use low-cost parking management strategies such as curb space management, shared parking, pricing, parking information and marketing, and similar tools to encourage more efficient use of existing parking supply before pursuing more expensive off-street parking facility options.

- T39** Restrict on-street parking when necessary to address safety, operational, or mobility problems. In urban centers and urban villages where such restriction is being considered, the pedestrian environment and transit operations are of primary concern, but decisions should also balance the use of the street by high-occupancy vehicles, bicycles, and motor vehicles; access to local businesses; control of parking spillover into residential areas; and truck access and loading.
- T40** In commercial districts prioritize curb space in following order:
- transit stops and layover(());
 - passenger and commercial vehicle loading(());
 - short-term parking (time limit signs and paid parking);
 - parking for shared vehicles; and
 - vehicular capacity.
- T41** In residential districts, prioritize curb space in the following order:
- transit stops and layover;
 - passenger and commercial vehicle loading;
 - parking for local residents and for shared vehicles; and
 - vehicular capacity.
- T42** During construction or implementation of new transportation projects, consider replacing short-term parking only when the project results in a concentrated and substantial amount of on-street parking loss.
- T43** Use paid on-street parking to encourage parking turnover, customer access, and efficient allocation of parking among diverse users.
- T44** Consider installing longer-term paid on-street parking along edges of commercial districts or in office and institutional zones to regulate curb space where short-term parking demand is low.
- T45** Strive to allocate adequate parking enforcement resources to encourage voluntary compliance with on-street parking regulations.
- T46** Coordinate Seattle's parking policies with regional parking policies to preserve Seattle's competitive position in the region.

**D Promoting the Economy:
Moving Goods ((&))and Services**

discussion

The transport of goods and services is critical to Seattle's and the region's economic development. As a major port city, Seattle's businesses and industries rely on rail, water, and truck transport. These policies, and those in the Economic Development and the Neighborhood Planning elements, support existing businesses and industries, and promote Seattle as a place for economic expansion. Major truck streets are an important part of the freight mobility network((and are described in ~~Section B—Make the Best Use of the Streets We Have to Move People and Goods, in this element. The Transportation Strategic Plan has more detailed strategies and street classifications that further support freight mobility in the City of Seattle~~)).

goals

TG((49))18 Preserve and improve mobility and access for the transport of goods and services.

TG((20))19 Maintain Seattle as the hub for regional goods movement and as a gateway to national and international suppliers and markets.

policies

- T47 Maintain a forum for the freight community to advise the City and other entities on an ongoing basis on topics of land-based freight transportation facility modifications and enhancements. Coordinate the review of potential operational changes, capital projects, and regulations that may impact freight movement. Participate and advocate Seattle's interests in regional and state forums.
- T48 Recognize the importance of the freight network to the city's economic health when making decisions that affect Major Truck streets as well as other parts of the region's roadway system. Complete Street improvements supporting freight mobility along with other modes of travel may be considered on Major Truck streets.
- T49 Support efficient and safe movement of goods by rail where appropriate. Promote continued operation of freight rail lines and intermodal yards that serve industrial properties and the transport of goods. Improve the safety and operational conditions for freight rail transport at the rail track crossings within city streets.
- T50 Promote an intermodal freight transportation strategy, including rail, truck, air, and water transport and advocate for improved freight and goods movement. Work toward improved multi-modal connections among rail yards, industrial areas, airports, and regional roadways.

- T51 Consider the needs for local delivery and collection of goods at businesses by truck when making street operational decisions and when developing and implementing projects and programs for highways, streets, and bridges.

E Improving the Environment

discussion

The development pattern promoted by the urban village strategy is supported by transportation policies that encourage walking, biking, and transit. Streets that support travel by all modes and that are well designed and maintained and that include landscaping and street trees contribute to a healthy urban environment. Over-reliance on motor vehicles degrades environmental quality in the form of deteriorating air quality, increasing water pollution through street and stormwater runoff, and causing higher levels of noise pollution. Excessive reliance on motor vehicles also negatively affects the quality of life in the city by increasing congestion and travel time.

goals

- TG((24))20 Promote healthy neighborhoods with a transportation system that protects and ((1))improves environmental quality.
- TG((22))21 Reduce or mitigate air, water, and noise pollution from motor vehicles.
- TG((23))22 Promote energy-efficient transportation.

policies

- T52 Design and operate streets to promote healthy urban environments while keeping safety, accessibility, and aesthetics in balance.
- T53 Implement an environmental management system to develop, operate, and maintain a safe and reliable transportation system in a manner that reduces the environmental impacts of City operations and services.
- T54 Identify, evaluate, and mitigate environmental impacts of transportation investments and operating decisions (including impacts on air and water quality, noise, environmentally critical areas, and endangered species). Pursue transportation projects, programs, and investment strategies consistent with noise reduction, air quality improvement, vehicle trip reduction, protection of critical areas and endangered species, and water quality improvement objectives.
- T55 Coordinate with other city, county, regional, state, and federal agencies to pursue opportunities for air and water quality improvement, street and stormwater runoff prevention, reduction in vehicle miles traveled, and noise reduction.

- T56 Continue to work to reduce fuel use and promote the use of alternative fuels.

F Connecting to the Region

discussion

Seattle is a regional destination and is also the focus of a number of major regional transportation facilities. Much of the rest of the Comprehensive Plan Transportation Element considers transportation within the city limits. This section provides guidance for regional projects that affect Seattle and for Seattle's participation in regional planning and funding efforts.

goal

- TG((24))23 Actively engage other agencies to assure that regional projects and programs affecting the city are consistent with City plans, policies, and priorities.

policies

- T57 Support regional pricing and parking strategies that contribute to transportation demand management objectives and to economic development.
- T58 Coordinate with regional, state and federal agencies, local governments, and transit providers when planning and operating transportation facilities and services in order to promote regional mobility for people and goods and the urban center approach to growth management.
- T59 Support completion of the freeway high-occupancy-vehicle (HOV) lane system throughout the central Puget Sound region. Maintain the HOV system for its intended purpose of promoting non-SOV travel.
- T60 Expansion of freeway capacity should be limited primarily to accommodate ((n))non-SOV users. Spot expansion of capacity to improve safety or remove operational constraints may be appropriate in specific locations.
- T61 Support a strong regional ferry system that maximizes the movement of people, freight, and goods.

G Conserving Transportation Resources: Operating ((&))and Maintaining the Transportation System

discussion

Successful operation and maintenance of the transportation system promotes safety, efficiency, infrastructure preservation, and a high quality environment. Maintenance costs consume 75 to 80((%)) percent of the Seattle Department of Transportation's annual operating budget. This investment represents a significant and recurring commitment to the conservation of our city's transportation facilities, as dollars spent on maintenance today help ensure that more dollars are not needed for premature replacement later. Effective maintenance of the transportation system means the City will have to plan for future maintenance activity and must also address the significant backlog of unmet maintenance needs that currently exist((s)). The policies below guide transportation system operating and maintenance decisions of the City.

goals

TG((25))24 Promote the safe and efficient operation of Seattle's transportation system.

TG((26))25 Preserve and renew Seattle's transportation system.

policies

- T62 In operating the transportation system, balance the following priorities: safety, mobility, accessibility, infrastructure preservation, and citizen satisfaction.
- T63 Maintain the transportation system to keep it operating safely and to maximize its useful life.
- T64 Repair transportation facilities before replacement is warranted. Replace failed facilities when replacement is more cost-effective than continuing to repair.

H Measuring Levels of Service

discussion

The Growth Management Act requires that the Comprehensive Plan include level-of-service (LOS) standards for all locally-owned arterials and transit routes to judge the performance of the system. The LOS standards identify minimally acceptable travel conditions on arterials and the transit network. The City has decided to use a system-wide method as a basis to assess the performance of the transportation system. Because buses are the primary form of transit service in the City and buses operate in the same traffic stream as cars, the City has chosen to use the same technique to measure the operation of both forms of travel.

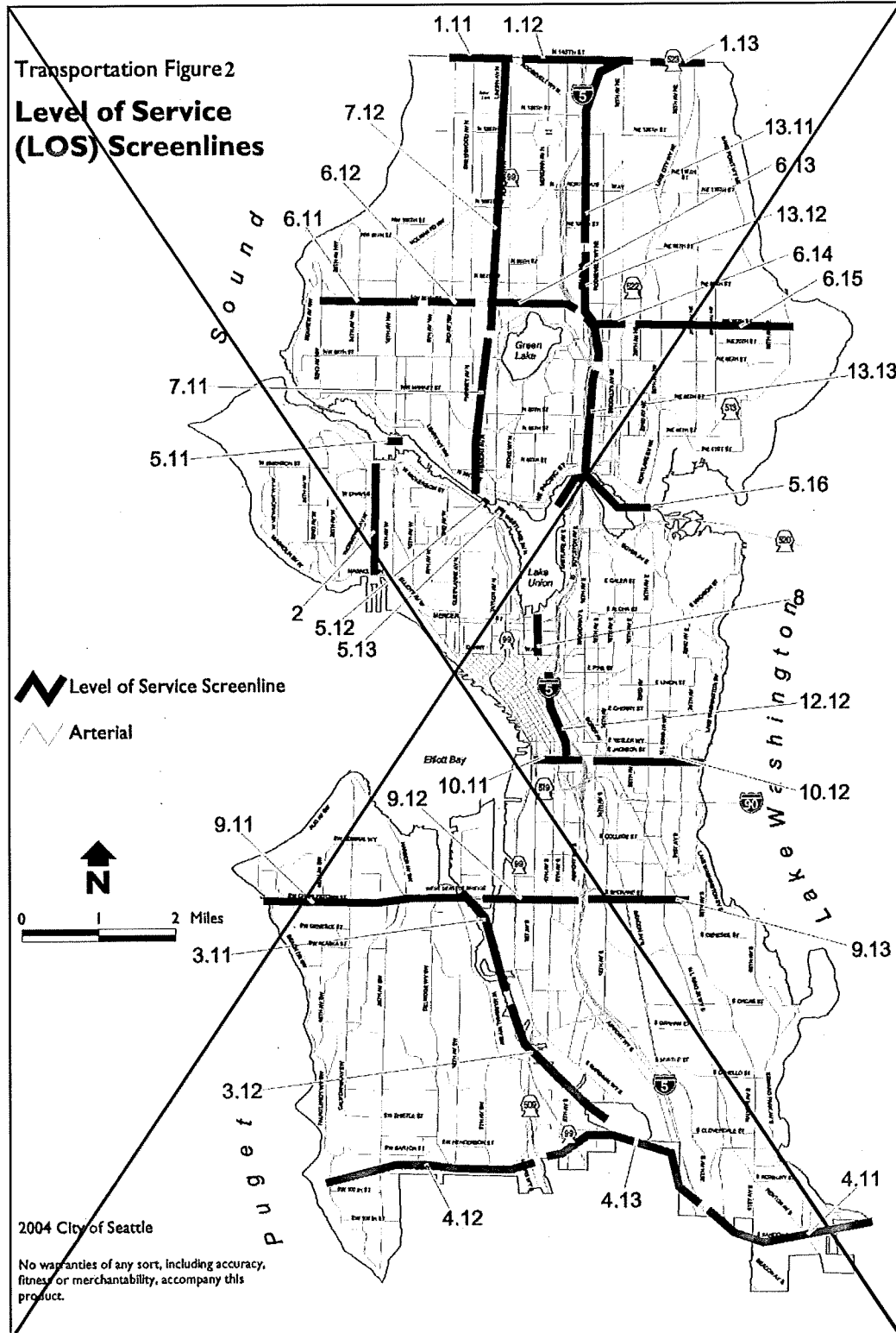
The City's facilities currently comply with the standards in Policies T65 and T66 below.

goal

TG((27))26 Use level-of-service standards, as required by the Growth Management Act, as a gauge to judge the performance of the arterial and transit system.

policies

- T65 Define arterial level-of-service (LOS) to be the ratio of measured traffic volumes to calculated roadway capacity at designated screenlines, each of which encompasses one or more arterials, as shown in Transportation Appendix Figure ((2))A-11. Measure peak hour directional traffic volumes on the arterials crossing each screenline to calculate the screenline LOS. ~~((To judge the performance of the arterial system, compare the calculated LOS for each screenline with the LOS standard for that screenline shown in Transportation Appendix Figure 3.))~~
- T66 Define transit level-of-service (LOS) to be the ratio of measured traffic volumes to calculated roadway capacity at designated ~~((screen lines))~~screenlines, each of which encompasses one or more arterials~~((;))~~ shown in Transportation Appendix Figure A-11 on some of which transit operates~~((, as shown in Transportation Figure 2))~~. Measure peak hour directional traffic volumes on the arterials crossing each screenline to calculate the screenline LOS. ~~((To judge the performance of the transit system compare the calculated LOS for each screenline with the LOS standard for that screenline shown in Transportation Figure 3.))~~
- T67 When the calculated LOS for a screenline approaches the LOS standard for that screenline, first pursue strategies to reduce vehicular travel demand across the screenline before increasing the operating capacity across the screenline.



((Transportation Figure 3
Level-of-Service (LOS) Standards))

((Level-of-Service Screenline Number	Screenline Location Segment	LOS Standard	Direction	2020 V/C Ratios Comp. Plan
1.11	North City Limit 3 rd Ave. NW to Aurora Ave. N	1.20	NB	0.96
			SB	0.61
1.12	North City Limit Meridian Ave. N to 15 th Ave. NE	1.20	NB	0.83
			SB	0.43
1.13	North City Limit 30 th Ave. NE to Lake City Way NE	1.20	NB	0.93
			SB	0.58
2	Magnolia	1.00	EB	0.51
			WB	0.64
3.11	Duwamish River West Seattle Fwy. & Spokane St.	1.20	EB	0.55
			WB	0.86
3.12	Duwamish River 1 st Ave. S & 16 th Ave. S	1.20	NB	0.51
			SB	0.75
4.11	South City Limit Martin Luther King Jr Way to Rainier Ave. S	1.00	NB	0.46
			SB	0.61
4.12	South City Limit Marine Dr. SW to Meyers Way S	1.00	NB	0.33
			SB	0.39
4.13	South City Limit SR 99 to Airport Way S	1.00	NB	0.41
			SB	0.49
5.11	Ship Canal Ballard Bridge	1.20	NB	1.20
			SB	0.81
5.12	Ship Canal	1.20	NB	1.07

((Level-of- Service Screenline Number	Screenline Location Segment	LOS Standard	Direction	2020 V/C Ratios Comp. Plan
	Fremont Bridge		SB	0.73
5.13	Ship Canal Aurora Bridge	1.20	NB	0.90
			SB	0.78
5.16	Ship Canal University & Montlake Bridges	1.20	NB	1.10
			SB	1.07
6.11	South of NW 80th St. Seaview Ave. NW to 15 th Ave. NW	1.00	NB	0.47
			SB	0.32
6.12	South of N(W) 80th St. 8 th Ave. NW to Greenwood Ave. N	1.00	NB	0.56
			SB	0.33
6.13	South of N(E) 80th St. Linden Ave. N to 1 st Ave. NE	1.00	NB	0.46
			SB	0.36
6.14	South of NE 80th St. 5 th Ave. NE to 15 th Ave. NE	1.00	NB	0.76
			SB	0.48
6.15	South of NE 80th St. 20 th Ave. NE to Sand Point Way NE	1.00	NB	0.55
			SB	0.38
7.11	West of Aurora Ave Fremont Pl. N to N 65 th St.	1.00	NB	0.52
			SB	0.71
9.11	South of Spokane St. Beach Dr. SW to W Marginal Way SW	1.00	NB	0.45
			SB	0.59
9.12	South of Spokane St. E Marginal Way S to Airport Way S	1.00	NB	0.52
			SB	0.63
9.13	South of Spokane St.	1.00	NB	0.58

((Level-of-Service Screenline Number	Screenline-Location Segment	LOS Standard	Direction	2020 V/C Ratios Comp. Plan
	15th Ave. S to Rainier Ave. S		SB	0.64
10.11	South of S Jackson St. Alaskan Way S to 4th Ave. S	1.00	NB	0.70
			SB	0.69
10.12	South of S Jackson St. 12th Ave. S to Lakeside Ave. S	1.00	NB	0.52
			SB	0.66
12.12	East of CBD	1.20	EB	0.61
			WB	0.74
13.11	East of I-5 NE Northgate Way to NE 145th St.	1.00	EB	0.76
			WB	0.63
13.12	East of I-5 NE 65th St. to NE 80th St.	1.00	EB	0.46
			WB	0.48
13.13	East of I-5 NE Pacific St. to NE Ravenna Blvd.	1.00	EB	0.64
			WB	0.77))

I Financing the Transportation System

discussion

Without funding, the goals identified in this Element would be difficult to achieve. This section identifies goals and policies related to providing and prioritizing funds for transportation projects, programs, and services. ((It also identifies the types of multi-year investment plans to be developed as part of the Transportation Strategic Plan process.))

goals

TG((28))27 Recognize and promote the urban village strategy when making transportation investments.

TG((29))28 Work towards transportation funding levels adequate to maintain and improve the transportation system.

policies

- T68 Make strategic transportation investment decisions that are consistent with other policies in this Plan(~~(, with the Transportation Strategic Plan,)~~) and with funding opportunities that promote the city's transportation investment priorities. These investment decisions will also be made with consideration to future operating and maintenance costs associated with improvements.
- T69 Support regional and local transit resource allocations, as well as efforts to increase overall transit funding that are consistent with the City's urban village strategy and the regions' urban center policies.
- T70 Pursue strategies to finance repair of road damage from heavy vehicles in a way that is equitable for Seattle's taxpayers.
- T71 Fund projects, programs, and services with a combination of local and non-local funds, including:
- contributions from other entities that benefit from an investment, such as property owners located near(~~(-by)~~) an investment;
 - grants and other investments from local, regional, state, and federal funding sources; and
 - contributions from the region for investments that serve regionally-designated urban centers and regional facilities.
- T72 Consider new funding sources that are flexible, equitable, and sustainable, including:
- growth- and development-related revenues, including impact fees, where appropriate and where consistent with economic development policies;
 - user-based taxes and fees, including a commercial parking tax; and
 - other locally generated revenues.
- T73 Support regional, state, and federal initiatives to increase transportation funding. Work to encourage new and existing funding sources that recognize Seattle's needs and priorities.

T74 Consistent with the other policies in this Plan(~~(-and the Transportation Strategic Plan))~~):

- Prepare a six-year CIP that includes projects that are fully or partially funded;
- (~~((As part of the Transportation Strategic Plan, p))~~)Prepare an intermediate-range list of projects for which the City plans to actively pursue funds over the next approximately (~~((8 to 10))~~)eight to ten years(~~((;))~~); and
- Maintain a long-range working list of potential projects and known needs.

T75 If the level of transportation funding anticipated in the six-year financial analysis(~~((;))~~) below (Figure 1(~~((4))~~)) falls short, the Department of Finance and the Seattle Department of Transportation will:

- Identify and evaluate possible additional funding resources; and/or
- Identify and evaluate alternative land use and transportation scenarios, including assumptions about levels and distribution of population and employment, densities, types and mixes of land use, and transportation facilities and services, and assess their effects on transportation funding needs.

The City may then revise the Comprehensive Plan as warranted to ensure that level-of-service standards will be met.

((Transportation Figure 4
Estimated Future Transportation Revenue))

((Source	Estimated Revenue in millions 2004-2009
Gas tax	\$70 to \$70
Grants & Loans	\$405 to \$450
General Fund & Cumulative Reserve Fund	\$205 to \$230
Total	\$680 to \$750

Transportation Figure 5
Estimated Future Transportation Expenditures

Category	Estimated Expenditures in millions 2004-2009
Operations & Maintenance	\$291 to \$321
Major Maintenance & Safety	\$192 to \$212
Mobility & Enhancements	\$197 to \$217
Total	\$680 to \$750))

Transportation Figure 1

Estimated Future Transportation Revenue

<u>Source</u>	<u>Estimated Revenue in Millions</u> <u>(2015-2020)</u>	
	<u>Low</u>	<u>High</u>
<u>Seattle Dedicated Transportation Funding</u> ¹	<u>\$230</u>	<u>\$510</u>
<u>STBD Funding</u> ²	<u>\$305</u>	<u>\$325</u>
<u>Grants and Partnerships</u>	<u>\$160</u>	<u>\$240</u>
<u>General Fund and Cumulative Reserve Fund</u>	<u>\$325</u>	<u>\$400</u>
<u>Seawall and Waterfront Revenue</u>	<u>\$420</u>	<u>\$475</u>
<u>Total</u>	<u>\$1,440</u>	<u>\$1,950</u>

Notes to Transportation Figure 1:

1 – Gas Tax, Bridging the Gap transportation levy, commercial parking tax, school zone camera revenue

2 – Vehicle License Fee, sales tax

Based on the revenue and expenditure estimates shown in Transportation Figures 1 and 2 ~~((4 and 5))~~, the City expects to have sufficient resources to fund the expenditure needs shown.

Transportation Figure 2

Estimated Future Transportation Expenditures

<u>Category</u>	<u>Estimated Expenditures in Millions</u> <u>(2015-2020)</u>	
	<u>Low</u>	<u>High</u>
<u>Operations and Maintenance</u> ¹	<u>\$350</u>	<u>\$430</u>
<u>Major Maintenance and Safety</u>	<u>\$325</u>	<u>\$550</u>
<u>Mobility and System Enhancements</u> ²	<u>\$765</u>	<u>\$970</u>
<u>Total</u>	<u>\$1,440</u>	<u>\$1,950</u>

Notes to Transportation Figure 2:

1 – Does not include reimbursables

2 – Includes transit service purchases

Attachment 5 Housing Element

Housing Element

A Accommodating Growth ((&))and Maintaining Affordability

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goals

- HG1 Accommodate ~~((47,000))~~70,000 additional ~~((households))~~housing units,
including Seattle's share of the countywide need for affordable housing,
consistent with the Countywide Planning Policies, over the 20 years covered
by this Plan.

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C-1 Encouraging Housing Affordable to Low-Income Households

policies

- H30 ~~((Address the city's share of affordable housing needs resulting from
expected countywide household growth, consistent with the countywide
affordable housing policies, by planning for:~~
- a. ~~at least 20 percent of expected housing growth to be affordable to
households earning up to 50 percent of median income (estimated 9,400
affordable units).~~
 - b. ~~at least 17 percent of expected housing growth to be affordable to
households earning between 51 percent and 80 percent of median income
(estimated 7,990 affordable units).~~
 - c. ~~At least 27 percent of expected housing growth to be affordable to
households earning between 81 percent and 120 percent of median
income (estimated 12,690 units).~~

~~Both new housing and existing housing that is acquired, rehabilitated or preserved
for long-term low-income and affordable occupancy count toward meeting this
policy.~~

- H34)) Promote the continued production and preservation of low-income housing
through incentive zoning mechanisms, which include density and height

bonuses and the transfer of development rights. Consider expanding the use of incentive zoning for affordable housing in neighborhoods outside downtown, particularly in urban centers.

H((32))31 Encourage the preservation of existing low-income housing by: using housing programs and funds to preserve existing housing that is susceptible to redevelopment or gentrification; encouraging acquisition of housing by nonprofit organizations, land trusts or tenants, thereby protecting housing from upward pressure on prices and rents; inspecting renter-occupied housing for compliance with the Seattle Housing and Building Maintenance Code; and making available funds for emergency, code-related repair.

H((33))32 Give special consideration to actions that can help maintain the affordability of housing occupied by artists in areas that are recognized as established artist communities, such as Pioneer Square.

H((34))33 Encourage affordable housing citywide.

- a. Plan for at least one-quarter of the housing stock in the city to be affordable to households with incomes up to 50 percent of the area median income, regardless of whether this housing is publicly assisted or available in the private market.
- b. Encourage the use of public subsidy funds for the production or preservation of low-income housing in urban centers and urban villages.
- c. Encourage the production of housing affordable to households of all incomes, with particular emphasis on households with incomes up to 50 percent of the area median income in centers and villages with high land values and/or relatively little existing rental housing affordable to households in that income range.
- d. Encourage all neighborhoods and urban villages to participate in the City's commitment to affordable housing, whether through neighborhood planning, station area planning, or other local planning and development activities.

C-2 Publicly Subsidized Low-Income Housing policies

H((35))34 Strive to make some resources available to all household types (such as families and single-person households) in need of affordable housing options through the mix of housing programs in the city; however, emphasize assisting households most in need due to very low-incomes or to special needs that the housing market is unable to serve. Direct affordable housing funds administered by the City to serve households with incomes up to 80 percent of

the area median income, consistent with local, state, and federal law and program requirements.

H((36))35 Promote a broader geographical distribution of subsidized rental housing by generally funding projects in areas with less subsidized rental housing and generally restricting funding for projects in neighborhoods outside of downtown where there are high concentrations of subsidized rental housing.

- a. The specific rules implementing this policy and the conditions for allowing exceptions for particular projects are established by the City Council in the HUD Consolidated Plan and other City policies. The HUD Consolidated Plan may also include additional geographic-specific restrictions on, or exceptions for, subsidized rental housing in order to further housing goals as defined in this Comprehensive Plan or neighborhood plan.
- b. Encourage developers of projects funded with resources not administered by the City of Seattle and the providers of those resources to follow the City's policies for the geographic distribution of subsidized rental housing.

H((37))36 Require sponsors of City-funded subsidized rental housing projects and encourage sponsors of non-City-funded subsidized rental housing projects to use the City's good neighbor guidelines. This should encourage cooperative problem solving as early as possible in the process of developing subsidized rental housing, in order to identify and, where appropriate, respond to neighborhood concerns.

H((38))37 Allocate public funds administered by the City to develop and preserve affordable rental housing for low-income, very low-income, and extremely low-income households in conformity with applicable income limits in City ordinances that govern the use of each fund source.

H((39))38 Seek to promote home ownership in the city in a variety of housing types by:

- a. Using a portion of local discretionary housing subsidy resources to provide home ownership opportunities to low-income households, in conformity with applicable income limits in City ordinances that govern the use of each fund source.
- b. Consider alternative approaches to increase the development of affordable home ownership housing, including but not limited to greater use of land trusts and limited equity cooperatives.

H((40))39 Strive over time for a permanent subsidized rental housing stock with unit types and sizes that reflect the housing needs of the city's low-income households.

H((41))40 Provide affordable housing for low-income families with children, recognizing that family housing requires greater subsidies due to larger household size, the need for play areas for children, and separation of parking and access roads from play areas.

H((42))41 Encourage and support the development of affordable housing for low-income households in all parts of the city, including areas of high land cost where greater subsidies may be needed.

H((43))42 Allow use of public funds to provide subsidized low-income housing units in otherwise market-rate housing developments in order to better integrate low-income households into the community.

H((44))43 Allocate resources for financial assistance to eligible tenants with incomes up to 50 percent of median income who are displaced from existing low-income housing because of redevelopment, substantial rehabilitation, change-of-use or termination of long-term, low-income rent restrictions in order to help offset the cost of relocating to another unit consistent with applicable state laws.

H((45))44 Pursue a comprehensive approach of prevention, transition, and stabilization services to decrease potential homelessness, stop recurring homelessness, and promote long-term self-sufficiency.

- a. Encourage efforts to expand the supply of extremely low-income, permanent housing to meet the needs of those for whom the cost of housing is a chief cause of homelessness.
- b. Strive to develop a continuum of housing opportunities, ranging from emergency shelters to transitional housing to permanent housing, in order to assist homeless households regain and maintain stable, permanent housing.
- c. Strategically invest in emergency and transitional housing for specific homeless populations.

H((46))45 In recognition of the fact that for certain people housing support services can mean the difference between housing stability and homelessness, coordinate housing planning and funding, where appropriate, with the following types of housing support services:

- Services that respond to emergency needs of the homeless (such as emergency shelters).
- Services that assist clients to secure housing (such as rent and security deposit assistance, housing relocation assistance).
- Services that help clients to maintain permanent housing (such as landlord/tenant counseling, chore services, in-home health care, outpatient

mental health treatment, employment counseling, and placement assistance).

H((47))46 Work in partnership among various levels of government and with other public agencies to address homeless and low-income housing needs that transcend jurisdictional boundaries.

- a. Work with the federal and state governments to increase public support for housing.
- b. Work with the Seattle Housing Authority to address the low-income housing needs of Seattle residents.
- c. Work with other jurisdictions in King County to pursue production of assisted low-income housing throughout the region and an equitable distribution of the cost of providing housing and human services to very-low-income households, including the regional problem of homelessness. Pursue the development of new funding sources, including a regional housing levy or other sources of funding for low-income housing and related supportive services that may be used throughout the region.
- d. Continue providing local resources (such as levies, bond issues, and the City's general fund) to meet housing needs, leveraging funds from other sources where appropriate.
- e. Continue to lobby the state government to enact tax incentives and to increase housing funds to encourage the preservation of existing low-income housing.

H((48))47 Strive to leverage federal, state, and private resources with local public funds, where these resources help achieve the goals of Seattle's Comprehensive Plan.

H((49))48 Among its other purposes, the City's Consolidated Plan shall serve as an ongoing, annually updated, coordinated compilation of information for the public regarding housing policies, strategies, programs, and resource allocation. Housing portions of the Consolidated Plan constitute a functional plan to implement housing-related goals and policies in this Comprehensive Plan.

Attachment 6 Economic Development Element

Economic Development Element

Goals

EDG1 ((Add)) Accommodate approximately ((84,000)) 115,000 jobs in the city over the 20-year period covered by this Plan, in order to ensure long-term economic security and social equity to all Seattle residents.

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Attachment 7-A Neighborhood Planning Element: Central Area

Neighborhood Planning Element

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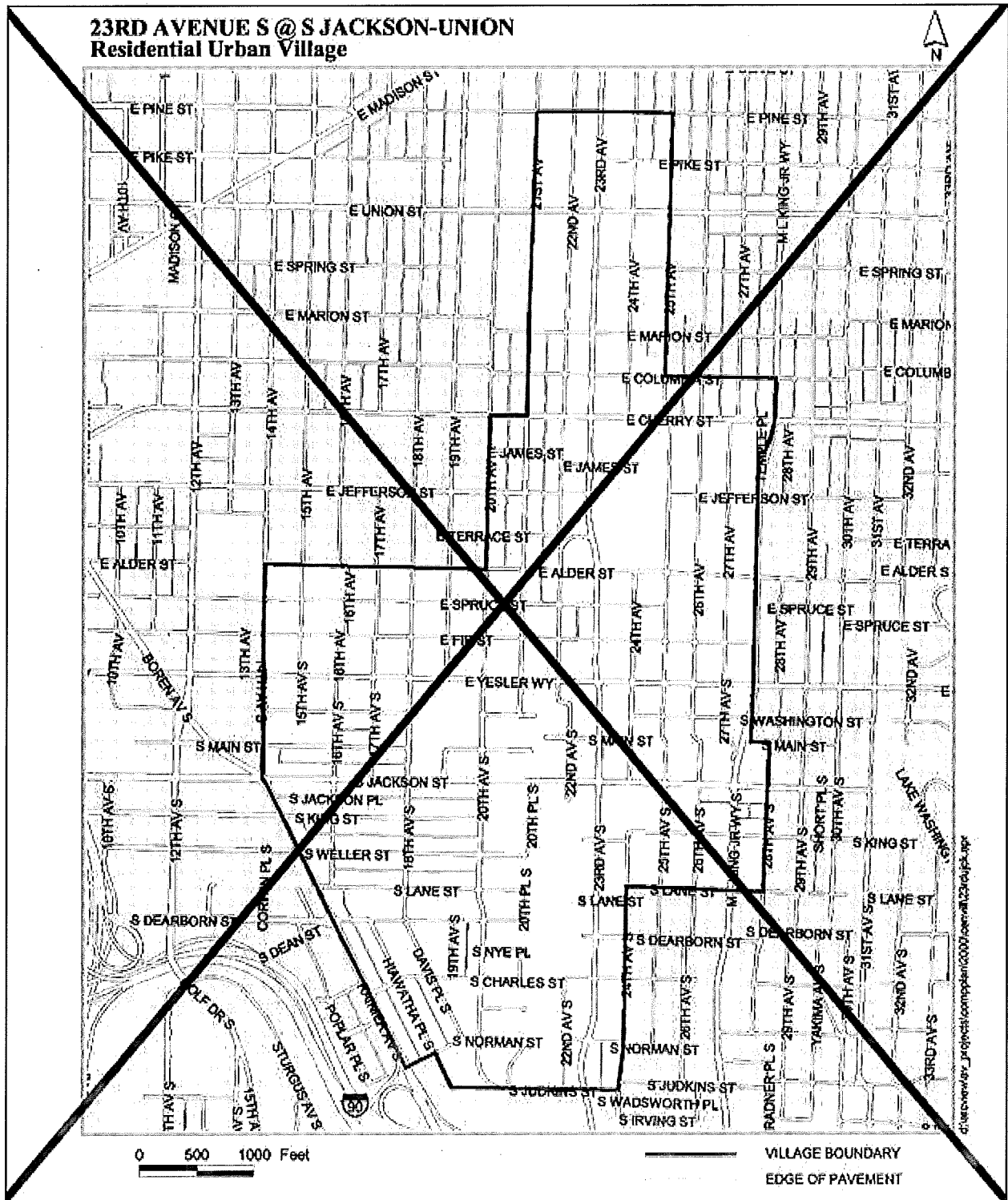
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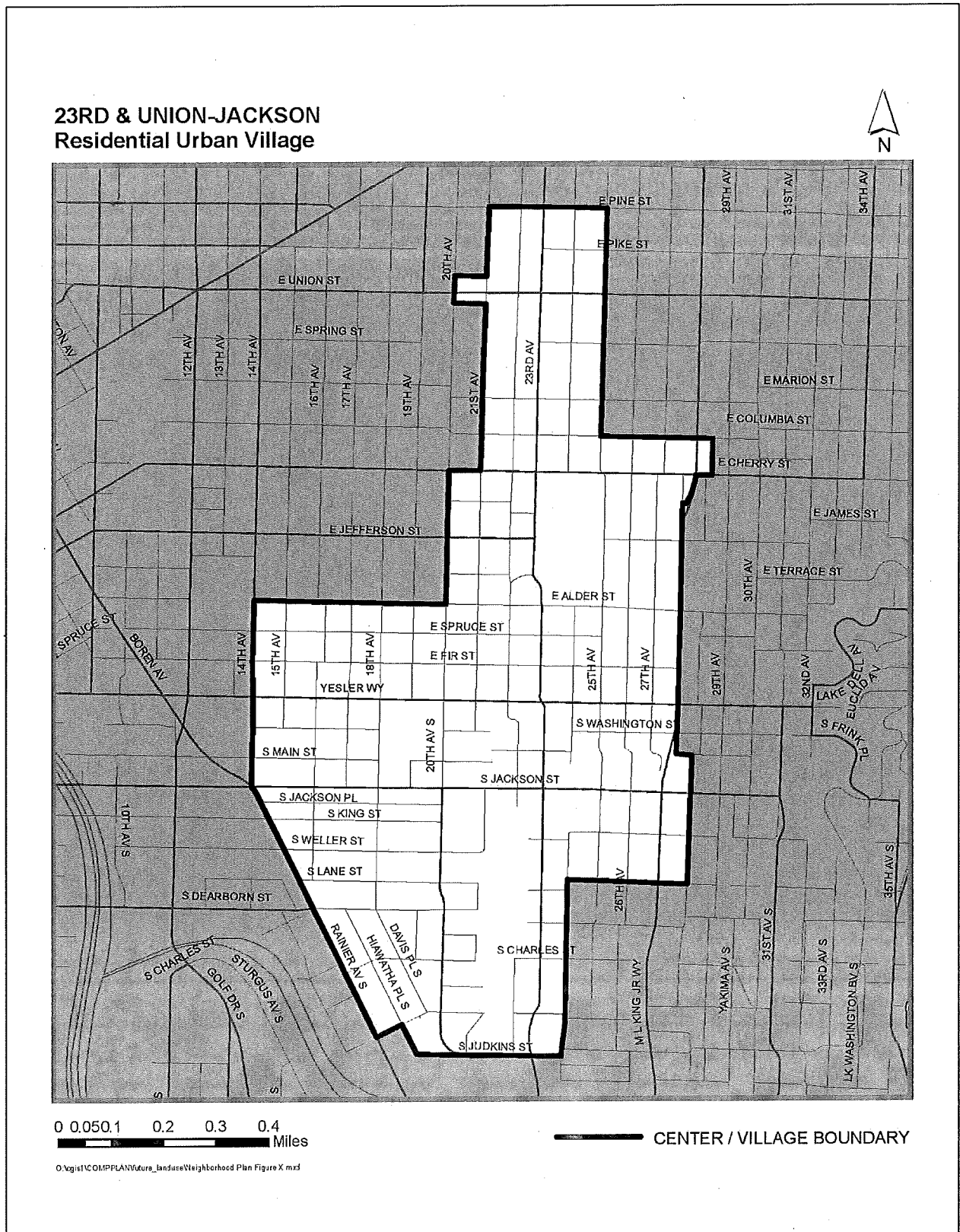
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economic development policies

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CA-P42 Strive to develop healthy workplaces where employees are treated with respect, and have a voice in decisions that impact their jobs, lives and community.





23rd avenue corridor policies

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CA-P67 Improve access and connectivity to community assets at 23rd and Cherry and activate space around Garfield High School, Garfield Community Center, and Medgar Evers Pool.

CA-P68 Consider rezoning single-family zoned parcels to neighborhood commercial to support continuation and expansion of services provided by local institutions such as the Cherry Hill Baptist Church.

Madison-Miller goals

CA-G19 A vibrant, revitalized pedestrian-oriented commercial district on East Madison from 16th to 24th Avenues that serves both local and destination shoppers with a variety of shops and services.

CA-G20 A vibrant, revitalized pedestrian-oriented commercial node at Madison St. between 19th Avenue and 23rd Avenue that principally serves local residents.

CA-G21 A destination/entertainment center at 23rd and Madison serving as the Central Area's northern commercial anchor.

Madison-Miller policies

CA-P((68))69 Encourage increased housing density at 23rd and Madison. As one tool for implementing this policy, consider the Residential Small Lot zone to be appropriate for single-family areas south of E. Madison St. within the Madison-Miller Residential Urban Village.

A. The portion of East Madison Street within the Madison-Miller Residential Urban Village is designated a principal commercial street.

CA-P((69))70 Seek entertainment facilities (e.g., entertainment complex), destination retail, convention and conference facilities and other like businesses at 23rd and Madison.

CA-P((70))71 Adopt themes and identity elements for Madison/Miller and incorporate into streetscape concepts, transportation improvements, community-based projects, and new development proposals, including concepts such as:

- The area's African-American ((H))heritage;
- "Madison After Dark";
- Community ((D))diversity;

- The ~~((P))~~physical and ~~((N))~~natural ~~((E))~~environment; and
- The area's ~~((T))~~transportation ~~((H))~~history.

CA-P~~((74))~~72 Explore the potential for an incentive-based East Madison
"economic opportunity area."

12th avenue goal

CA-G22 A thriving mixed-use residential and commercial area with a "main street" including services and retail that is attractive and useful to neighborhood residents and students, and public spaces that foster a sense of community, near the intersection of several diverse neighborhoods and major economic and institutional centers.

12th avenue policies

CA-P~~((72))~~73 Encourage increased housing density where appropriate, such as on 12th Avenue and on Yesler Way, and in mid-rise zoned areas.

CA-P~~((73))~~74 Facilitate the redevelopment of City-owned land, emphasizing mixed use where that type of development will contribute to the desired community character.

CA-P~~((74))~~75 Seek services and retail that build~~((s))~~ on the neighborhood's proximity to Seattle University.

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Attachment 7-B Neighborhood Planning Element: Morgan Junction

Neighborhood Planning Element

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B-18 Morgan Junction

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parks ~~((&))~~ and open space policies

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MJ-P6 Seek opportunities, particularly within the business district, to provide additional open space and to create open space/plazas that serve as community gathering places.

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housing ~~((&))~~ and land use policies

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MJ-P13 Maintain the character and integrity of the existing single-family(~~-zoned~~) designated areas by maintaining current single family zoning both inside and outside the urban village on properties meeting the locational criteria for single-family zones, except where, as part of a development proposal, a long-standing neighborhood institution is maintained and existing adjacent community gathering places are activated, helping to meet MJ-P6.

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Attachment 7-C Neighborhood Planning Element: North Neighborhoods (Lake City)

Neighborhood Planning Element

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B-20 North Neighborhoods (Lake City)

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Lake City Way policies

NN-P6 Along Lake City Way, ~~((seek to retain on-street parking and existing driveway access. Where safety problems exist,))~~ seek to redesign driveway access where safety problems exist.

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hub urban village policies

NN-P33 Support the use of regulatory tools, including zoning, that promote vibrant, pedestrian oriented development.

~~((**NN-P34** The special L3 and L4 locational criteria for the evaluation of rezones to the L3 and L4 designations inside of urban villages, shall not apply, in the Lake City Hub Urban Village.))~~

NN-P((35))34 New multi-family housing in commercial zones within pedestrian-designated zones in the HUV will be mixed-use, with a non-residential use on the street level.

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NN-P((36))35 Encourage new development in the HUV to include adequate provision for the needs of pedestrians.

housing demand goal

NN-HD1 mixture of high quality housing exists and the established residential areas are protected from encroachment by₁ and impacts of₁ other uses.

housing demand policies

NN-P((37))36 Encourage development of non-single-family parcels adjacent to single-family zoning to provide transitions or buffers adequate to protect the single-family area from adverse impacts.

NN-P((38))37 Encourage innovative and affordable housing types responsive to

market demand and neighborhood desires, including live/work, studio, and in-home business.

NN-P((39))38 This policy is to be considered in the review of future rezones in the area defined by 15th Ave NE on the west, NE 95th Street on the south, NE 145th Street on the north, and Lake Washington on the east. Rezones are not favored by this neighborhood plan if they would:

- ~~((increase the permitted density of residential or commercial use (except for rezones from C to NC zones)))~~ increase the permitted density, bulk, or height of structures in residential or commercial use, except for rezones from a commercial (C) zone to a neighborhood commercial (NC) zone or any rezone in the vicinity of the Civic Core, defined as the area roughly bounded by 128th Avenue NE on the north, Lake City Way on the east, 30th Avenue NE and 125th Street to the south, and 27th Avenue NE to the west;
- ~~((increase the permitted bulk or height of structures))~~
- change a neighborhood commercial (NC) to a commercial (C) zone; or
- change a commercial to an industrial zone.

This policy shall not apply to rezones proposed in close proximity to a high capacity transit station outside of the urban village. Any rezone should be done in cooperation with the community.

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human services policies

NN-P((40))39 Seek to acquire land for capital facilities and other resources in anticipation of population growth, based on demographic projections.

NN-P((41))40 Periodically assess the effectiveness of current services through means such as community reviews or performance audits.

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design review policies

NN-P((42))41 Require design review for all multi-family and commercial development meeting Design Review Program thresholds, in the zones to which the Design Review Program applies, anywhere in the North Neighborhoods' planning area.

NN-P((43))42 Seek to protect existing riparian and wetland areas and re-establish interrupted systems.

NN-P((44))43 Seek to provide clear, safe separation of pedestrian and vehicular areas on all arterials and within the HUV.

NN-P((45))44 Provide amenities along sidewalks which are attractive and safe.

Attachment 8 Environment Element

Environment Element

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C Natural Systems Approach

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policies

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- E8.1 ~~((Where there would be measurable benefits to people or wildlife, place priority on solving drainage problems, such as flooding and frequent reliance on the combined sewer overflow system, with natural drainage system approaches and by restoring watershed elements such as forest, wetlands, and natural channels.))~~Use trees, vegetation, amended soil, bioretention, and other green stormwater infrastructure, where feasible, to manage stormwater runoff and reduce the impacts of development.

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- E10 Strive to increase the amount of permeable surface and remove unnecessary impervious surfaces~~((vegetative cover in the city in order to mitigate the heat island effect of developed areas, control storm water flows and reduce pollution))~~.

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Attachment 9 Urban Village Appendix

Urban Village ((Element))Appendix

((A—Urban Village Appendix A))

**((Growth Targets for Urban Centers, Center Villages, Manufacturing/
 Industrial Centers, Hub Urban Villages, & Residential Urban Villages**

Center or Village	Land Area in Acres	Households (HH)				Employment (Jobs)			
		Existin g (2004)	Existing Density (HH/ Acre)	Growt h Target (HH Growt h)	2024 Densi ty (Est.)	Existin g (2002)	Existi ng Densit y (Jobs/ Acre)	Growth Target (Job Growth)	2024 Densit y (Est.)
Urban Centers & Center Villages									
Downtown Urban Center Total	952	15,700	16	10,000	27	156,960	165	29,015	195
Belltown	220	8,640	39	4,700	61	19,760	90	4,000	108
Chinatown/ International District	171	1,910	11	1,000	17	5,080	30	2,000	41
Commercial Core	276	3,070	11	300	13	103,790	376	10,000	412
Denny Triangle	143	1,290	9	3,000	30	18,020	126	9,515	193
Pioneer Square ⁴	142	790	6	1,000	12	10,310	73	3,500	97
First Hill/Capitol Hill Center Total	916	22,520	25	3,500	28	37,940	41	4,600	46

Center or Village	Land Area in Acres	Households (HH)				Employment (Jobs)			
		Existing (2004)	Existing Density (HH/Acre)	Growth Target (HH Growth)	2024 Density (Est.)	Existing (2002)	Existing Density (Jobs/Acre)	Growth Target (Job Growth)	2024 Density (Est.)
12th Ave.	160	1,450	9	700	13	4,040	25	700	30
Capitol Hill	397	12,250	31	1,000	33	7,300	18	900	21
First Hill	228	6,020	26	1,200	32	22,020	97	2,000	105
Pike/Pine	131	2,800	21	600	26	4,580	35	1,000	43
Northgate Urban Center Total	411	3,490	8	2,500	15	11,030	27	4,220	37
South Lake Union Urban Center Total	340	1,210	4	8,000	27	19,690	58	16,000	105
University Community Urban Center Total²	758	6,850	9	2,450	12	32,360	43	6,140	51
Ravenna	123	1,400	11	450	15	1,960	16	500	20
University District Northwest	287	5,230	18	2,000	25	6,170	21	2,640	31
Uptown-Queen Anne Urban Center Total	297	4,580	15	1,000	19	15,570	52	1,150	56

Center or Village	Land Area in Acres	Households (HH)				Employment (Jobs)			
		Existing (2004)	Existing Density (HH/Acre)	Growth Target (HH Growth)	2024 Density (Est.)	Existing (2002)	Existing Density (Jobs / Acre)	Growth Target (Job Growth)	2024 Density (Est.)
Manufacturing/Industrial Centers									
Ballard-Interbay-Northend (BINMIC)	941	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	15,320	16	2,150	19
Duwamish	4,961	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	64,500	13	9,750	15
Hub Urban Villages									
Ballard	425	5,010	12	1,000	14	4,780	11	750	13
Bitter Lake Village	359	2,010	6	800	8	4,010	11	750	13
Fremont	215	2,170	10	500	12	6,430	30	800	34
Lake City	142	1,920	13	900	20	1,510	11	650	15
North Rainier	453	1,590	4	900	5	4,670	10	750	12
W. Seattle Junction	226	2,280	10	700	13	2,670	12	750	15
Residential Urban Villages									
23rd Ave. @ S Jackson-Union	515	3,730	7	650	9	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Admiral District	98	1,000	10	200	12	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Center or Village	Land Area in Acres	Households (HH)				Employment (Jobs)			
		Existing (2004)	Existing Density (HH/Acre)	Growth Target (HH Growth)	2024 Density (Est.)	Existing (2002)	Existing Density (Jobs / Acre)	Growth Target (Job Growth)	2024 Density (Est.)
Aurora-Licton	327	2,740	8	500	10	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Columbia City	313	1,750	6	800	8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Crown Hill	173	1,110	6	250	8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Eastlake	200	2,760	14	250	15	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Green Lake	109	1,520	14	250	16	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Greenwood/Phinney Ridge	94	1,500	16	400	20	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Madison-Miller	145	1,930	13	500	17	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
MLK@Holly Street	375	2,080	6	590	7	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Morgan Junction	114	1,090	10	200	11	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
North Beacon Hill	131	1,170	9	490	13	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Rainier Beach	250	1,370	5	600	8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Roosevelt	158	1,260	8	250	10	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
South Park	263	1,030	4	250	5	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Upper Queen	53	1,446	27	200	31	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Center or Village	Land Area in Acres	Households (HH)				Employment (Jobs)			
		Existing (2004)	Existing Density (HH/Acre)	Growth Target (HH Growth)	2024 Density (Est.)	Existing (2002)	Existing Density (Jobs / Acre)	Growth Target (Job Growth)	2024 Density (Est.)
Anne									
Wallingford	257	2,520	10	400	12	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Westwood-Highland Park	276	2,015	7	400	9	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Seattle Total	53,535	268,000	5	47,000	6	480,000	9	84,000	11

- ~~1. The Pioneer Square growth targets assume that the north football stadium parking lot and vacant floor area in existing structures are available to accommodate a substantial share of household and employment growth.~~
- ~~2. The University of Washington campus is part of the University Community Urban Center, but is not a distinct urban village. These numbers includes jobs and housing on the University of Washington campus not reflected in Ravenna and the University District Northwest figures.))~~

~~((B—Urban Village Appendix B))~~

Urban Village Figure A-1

Citywide Open Space & Recreation Facility Goals

City Open Space	Goal	Area
Breathing Room Open Space	1 Acre per 100 residents	Citywide
Usable Open Space	¼ to ½ acre within ¼ to ½ mile of every resident	Areas outside Urban Villages
Recreation Facilities	Specific Goals for Recreation Facilities such as Community Centers, swimming pools and	Citywide, except as modified by Village Open

	athletic fields are contained in the Parks Comprehensive Plan	Space and Recreation Goals
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Urban Village Figure A-2

Urban Village Open Space & Recreation Facility Goals

Goal	Urban Center Villages	Hub Urban Villages	Residential Urban Villages
Urban Village Open Space Population-based Goals	One acre of Village Open Space per 1,000 households. For the Downtown Commercial Core: one acre of Village Open Space per 10,000 jobs.	One acre of Village Open Space per 1,000 households.	Same as for Hub Urban Villages.
Urban Village Open Space Distribution Goals	All locations in the village within approximately 1/8 mile of Village Open Space.	Same as for Urban Center Villages.	For moderate and high density areas: All locations within 1/8 mile of a Village Open Space that is between 1/4- and 1-acre in size, or within 1/4 mile of a Village Open Space that is greater than 1 acre. For low density areas: all locations within 1/4 mile of any qualifying Village Open Space.
Qualifying Criteria for Village Open Space	Dedicated open spaces of at least 10,000 square feet in size, publicly accessible, and usable for recreation and social activities.	Same as for Urban Center Villages.	Same as for Urban Center and Hub Villages.
Village Commons, Recreation Facility and Community Garden Goals	At least one usable open space of at least one acre in size (Village Commons) where the existing and target households total 2,500 or more. (Amended 11/96). One indoor, multiple-use recreation facility serving each Urban Center. One dedicated community garden for each 2,500 households in the Village with at least one dedicated garden site.	At least one usable open space of at least one acre in size (Village Commons). One facility for indoor public assembly. Same as for Urban Center Villages.	At least one usable open space, of at least one acre in size (Village Commons), where overall residential density is ten households per gross acre or more. One facility for indoor public assembly in Villages with greater than 2,000 households. Same as for Urban Center and Hub Villages.

Attachment 10 Land Use Appendix

Land Use Appendix

((A—Summary of Existing Land Use, Population & Employment Characteristics

This section describes the existing arrangement and concentration of uses and activities such as housing, businesses, parks, and industries.

land uses

Seattle encompasses approximately 53,500 acres or about 84 square miles. Land Use Figure A-1 illustrates how the city's land area is distributed among different types of uses. About 40 percent of the city is occupied by residential uses, primarily in single family development. Street rights of way take up the next largest amount of land—over 26 percent. Commercial and industrial areas, where most of the jobs in the city are located, occupy about 9 percent, while parks and other open spaces account for over 10 percent.

Land Use Figure A-2 depicts how these various activities are distributed within the city.

Land Use Figure A-1

AMOUNT OF LAND AREA BY LAND USE BY DISTRICTS

(In Acres)

District	Single - Family	Multi- famil y	Mixed- Use/ Commere ial	Industri al	Major Institution s, Public Facilities & Utilities	Parks & Open Space *	Wate r**	ROW ***	Vacant & Unkno wn	Total
Ballard	1,558	224	200	116	121	144	2	1,023	113	3,501
Capitol Hill	683	204	144	10	75	528	7	674	125	2,450
Central	724	201	106	22	119	131	0	643	109	2,055
Downtown	4	51	365	59	46	38	0	498	68	1,126
Duwamish	1,396	170	389	1,217	1,176	441	10	2,212	803	7,814
Lake	493	193	135	40	48	234	256	684	59	2,142

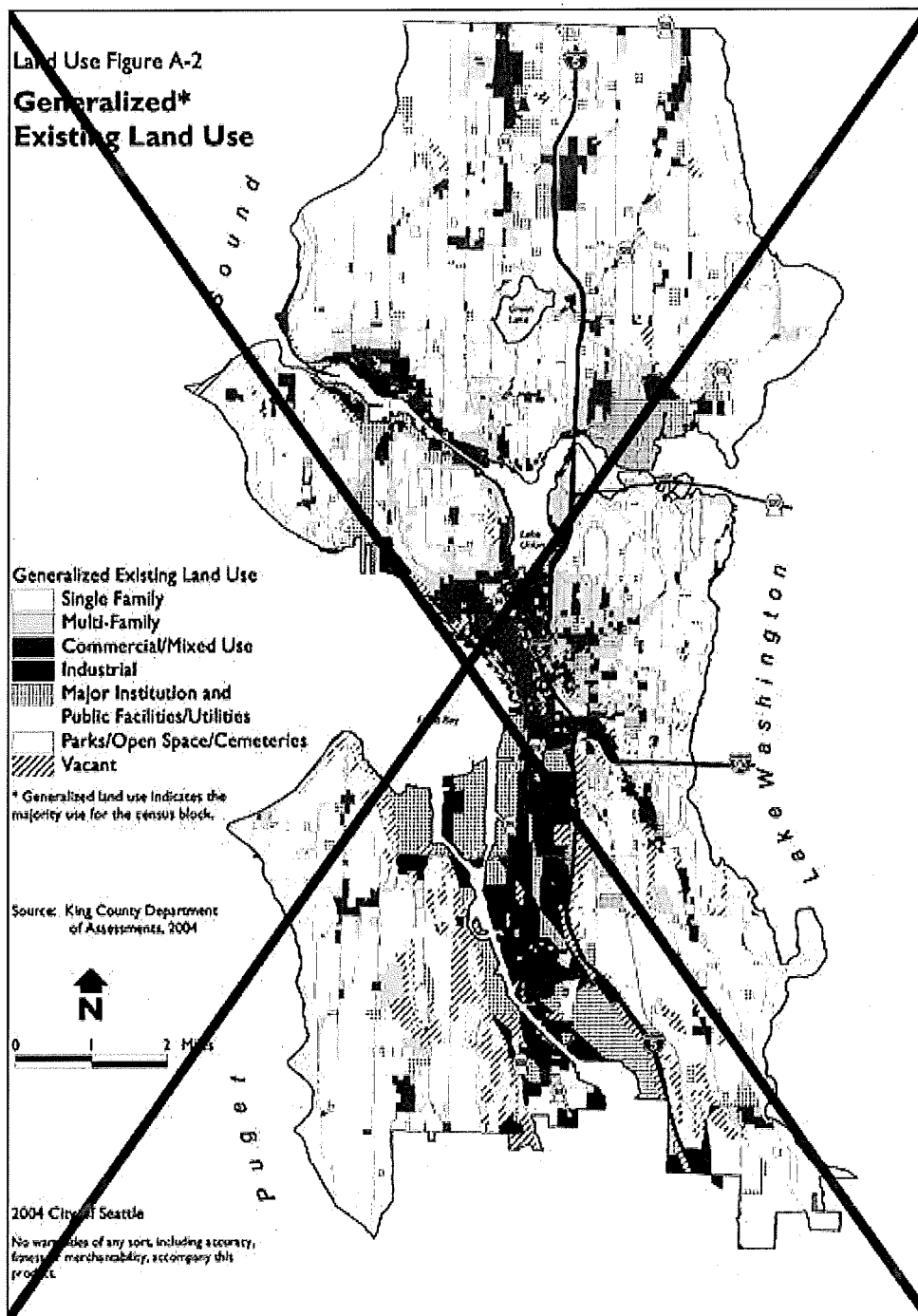
District	Single - Family	Multi- famil y	Mixed- Use/ Commere cial	Industri al	Major Institution s, Public Facilities & Utilities	Parks & Open Space *	Wate r**	ROW ***	Vacant & Unkno wn	Total
Union										
North	1,851	162	289	16	176	270	8	844	137	3,750
Northeast	2,426	265	223	26	774	631	14	1,389	159	5,907
Northwest	2,643	319	321	43	243	493	36	1,502	204	5,804
Queen Anne	1,443	290	313	129	453	866	4	1,312	267	5,074
Southeast	2,003	164	137	37	162	597	0	986	230	4,316
West Seattle	3,673	391	226	365	810	1,141	15	2,345	614	9,580
Citywide Totals	18,893 (35%)	2,631 (5%)	2,850 (5%)	2,077 (4%)	4,203 (8%)	5,514 (10%)	349 (1%)	14,10 8 (26%)	2,888 (5%)	53,51 9

Sources: King County Assessors Files, 2003; Seattle Department of Planning and Development GIS, 2003

* Includes City-owned and other public parks and open-space, private golf courses, and cemeteries.

** Includes lakes and reservoirs

*** Platted Streets and Sidewalks))



~~((With the exception of Downtown Seattle, the Ballard-Interbay and Duwamish industrial areas and their surrounding neighborhoods, Seattle is predominantly covered by single family houses and street right of way. Most multifamily residences are concentrated in core areas such as First Hill/Capitol Hill and the University District. Jobs are located primarily in commercial and industrial areas such as Downtown, Duwamish, First Hill, Northgate and the University District.~~

~~residential uses: housing types~~

~~Slightly more than half of the city's households are living in single family houses, according to the 2000 United States Census (Land Use Figure A-3). Most of these dwellings are located in areas devoted exclusively to low density development. The Census figure includes both detached single family housing units, and the 2 percent of Seattle's housing that is in attached buildings, such as townhouses, and consequently over counts the number of units Seattle would classify as single-family. Detached single family homes occupy 35 percent of the city's total land area.~~

~~Slightly less than half of the city's households live in some type of multifamily or mixed-use development concentrated on 10 percent of the city's land area. These multifamily dwellings are in buildings of varying sizes, including small buildings of two to four units (duplexes, triplexes and fourplexes), medium-sized buildings (apartment buildings and condominiums with 5 to 19 units), and large buildings (apartment buildings and condominiums with 20 units or more). Citywide, small multifamily buildings of two to four units account for 8 percent of Seattle's housing, medium-sized buildings account for 16 percent of the city's units, and 24 percent of Seattle's dwelling units are in large buildings.~~

~~Land Use Figure A-3~~

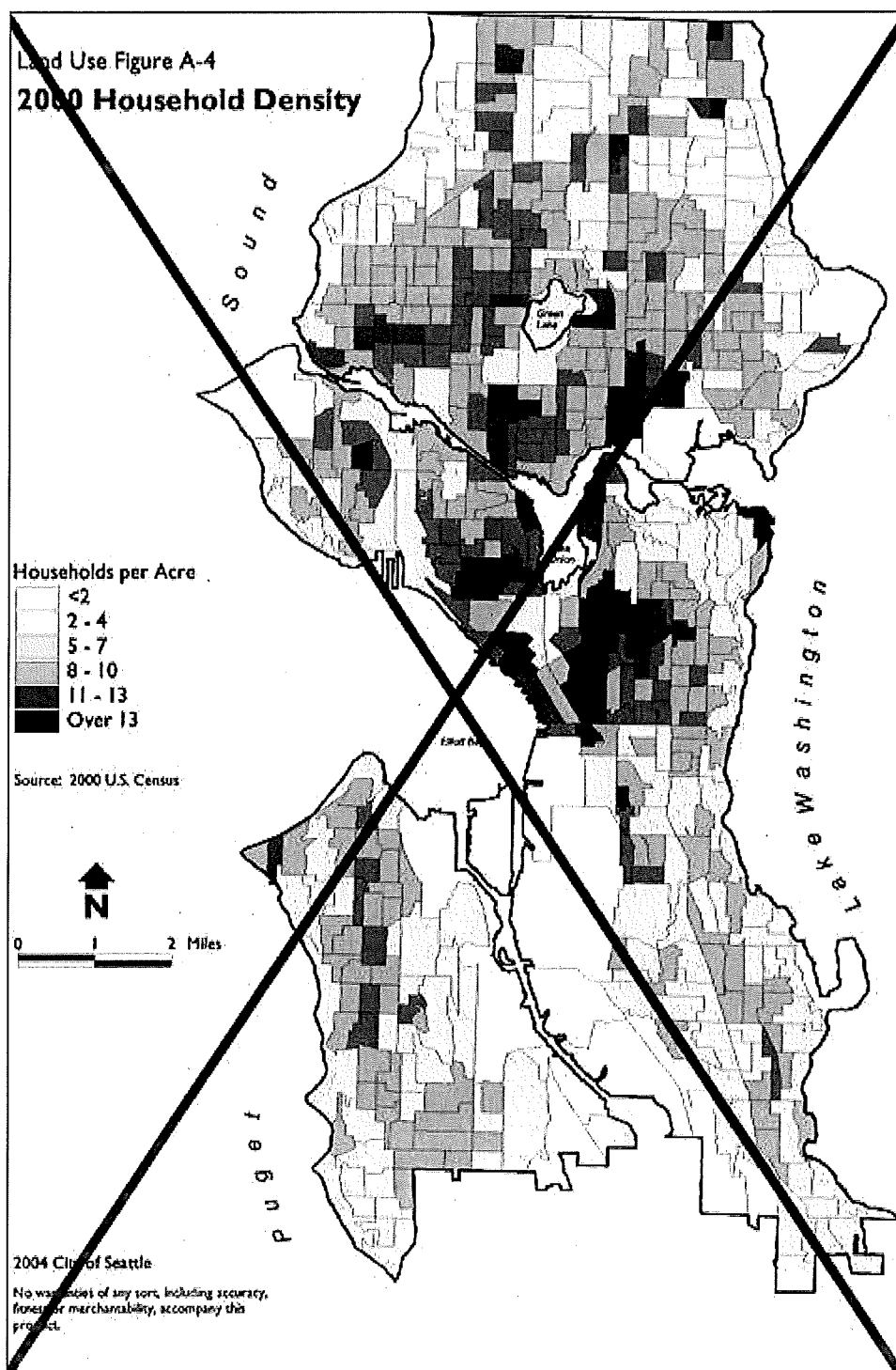
~~Number of Units by Housing Type by District~~

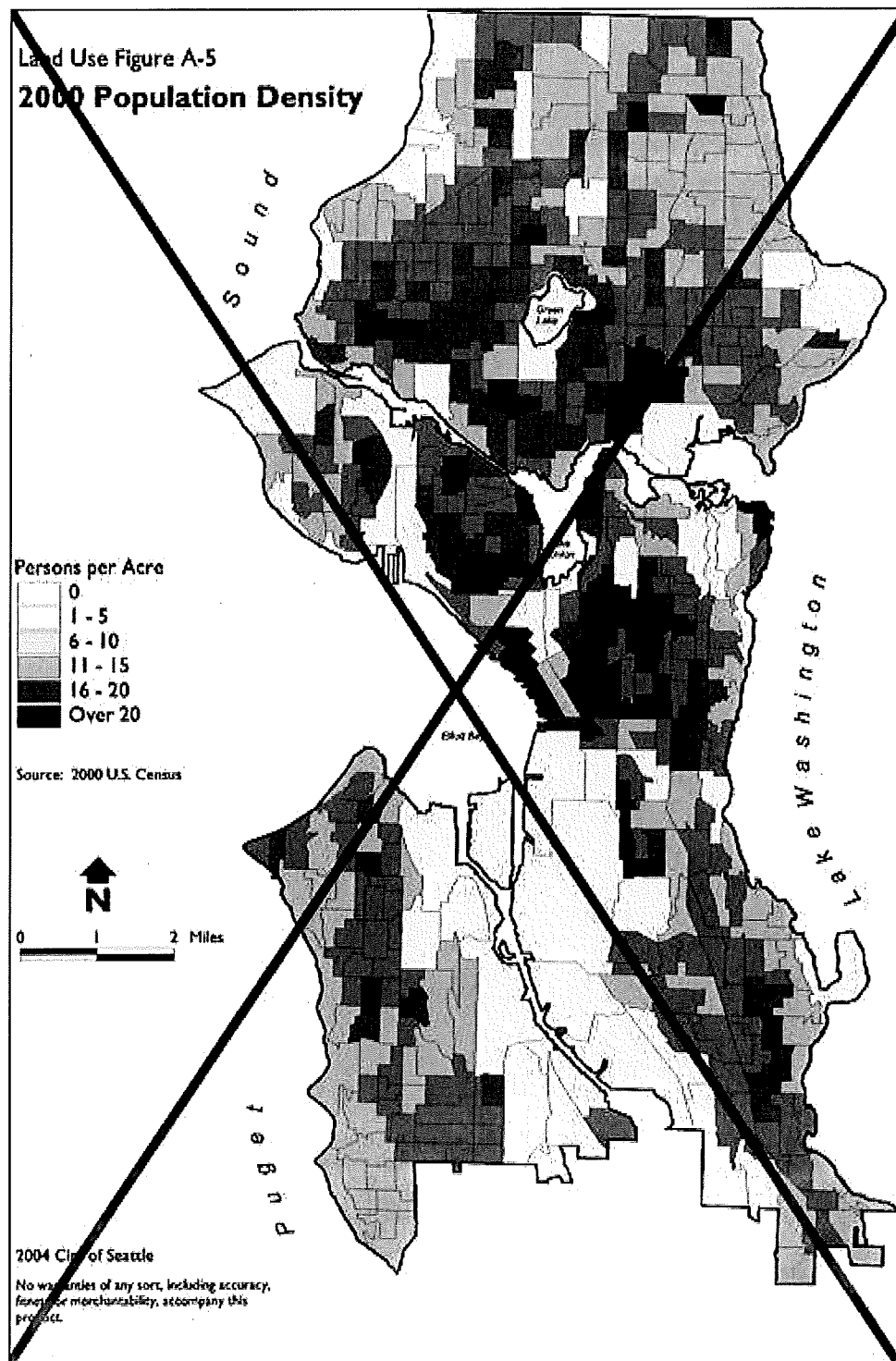
~~(In Dwelling Units)~~

District	Single - Family	Duplex	Triple x/ Fourpl ex	5 to 9 unit Building	10 to 19 unit Building	20 to 49-unit Buildin g	50 or more units	Mobile Home	Other	Total Units
Ballard	13,330	1,240	1,463	2,197	1,381	1,197	556	20	238	21,622
Capitol Hill	5,441	475	993	1,952	4,409	7,467	5,862	12	6	26,617
Central	6,936	1,006	997	1,174	1,279	1,611	1,150	28	0	14,181
Downtow n	177	45	142	240	717	2,849	11,039	7	24	15,240

District	Single - Family	Duplex	Triple x/ Fourpl ex	5 to 9 unit Building	10 to 19 unit Building	20 to 49 unit Buildin g	50 or more units	Mobile Home	Other	Total Units
Duwamish	10,262	813	591	591	978	864	600	68	8	14,775
Lake Union	5,972	982	1,071	2,667	2,156	1,760	393	29	215	15,281
North	10,508	220	454	858	1,352	2,170	2,961	43	10	18,576
Northeast	17,875	881	1,296	1,794	2,162	3,528	1,917	55	38	29,546
Northwest	18,190	1,125	1,485	2,111	2,744	3,160	2,376	225	8	31,424
Queen Anne	11,946	1,087	1,601	2,763	3,721	5,638	2,606	8	194	29,564
Southeast	13,208	553	399	575	730	841	812	49	39	17,206
West Seattle	26,247	1,423	1,732	2,137	2,339	3,151	1,666	37	0	38,732
Citywide Totals	140,092 51%	9,850 4%	12,260 4%	19,059 7%	23,968 9%	34,236 13%	31,938 12%	581 0%	780 0%	272,764

Source: 2000 US Census))





((residential uses:
 housing & population density

Land Use Figure A-4 shows the distribution of household density in the city expressed as the number of households per gross acre. (Gross acre includes nonresidential uses such as street rights-of-way and parks.) Areas with the highest density of households (HH) are located north of the I-90 freeway. Portions of First Hill/Capitol Hill contain the highest density of households — in some areas well over 40 HH/gross acre. Other areas with high-density residential neighborhoods include Uptown and Belltown. The next densest areas include the Chinatown/International District, the University Community, Fremont, Ballard, and Eastlake. Areas of more moderate housing unit density (8-10 HH per gross acre) include Aurora-Licton Springs, Green Lake, the Central District, Beacon Hill, and the West Seattle Junction. A population density map (Land Use Figure A-5) is another way of presenting information about where people live. This figure shows a concentration of residents similar to that of the household density map. In addition, it shows isolated areas where significant concentrations of people occur, such as the Highpoint and Sandpoint communities.

commercial & industrial uses:
 employment activity

Seattle is a regional employment center providing a wide variety of jobs. Based on data from the Puget Sound Regional Council (PSRC) and the King County Assessor's office, in 2002 Seattle contained about 502,500 jobs in businesses occupying about 4,900 commercial and industrial acres, or 9 percent of the total city land area. Land Use Figure A-6 shows the distribution of these jobs according to standard classifications by district.

Land Use Figure A-6

2002 Employment by Districts

District	C&R*	Manu f.	WTCU **	Retail	FIRES ***	Educ	Gov.	Total
Ballard	1,550	2,996	1,092	3,440	4,787	465	363	14,693
Capitol Hill	280	371	490	4,934	28,726	965	5,755	41,521
Central	625	671	620	1,389	10,344	501	528	14,678
Downtown	2,243	5,456	17,382	19,233	86,227	0	28,963	159,504
Duwamish	6,065	18,759	17,822	10,776	11,467	561	11,512	76,962
Lake Union	1,162	1,912	2,359	3,639	13,008	203	827	23,110

District	C&R*	Manu f.	WTCU **	Retail	FIRES ***	Educa	Gov.	Total
North	917	322	504	5,183	7,527	1,452	343	16,248
Northeast	496	708	616	6,397	11,545	24,160	1,383	45,305
Northwest	2,202	522	842	5,455	8,488	388	1,241	19,138
Queen Anne	2,710	4,581	6,464	5,167	16,196	2,514	2,264	39,893
Southeast	292	1,329	213	1,436	4,056	834	508	8,668
West Seattle	2,139	2,161	4,574	3,070	5,966	1,349	262	19,521
Total for City	20,681	39,788	52,978	70,119	208,337	33,389	53,949	479,241

Source: Puget Sound Regional Council, 2004;

*C&R = Construction and Resources

**W.T.C.U. = Wholesale, Transportation, Communications, and Utilities

***F.I.R.E.S. = Finance, Insurance, Real Estate and Services

The change over the last 20 years in the number of jobs in each employment sector is shown in Land Use Figure A-7. Between 1980 and 2000, the number of jobs in Seattle increased by almost 40 percent, (153,735 new jobs). Service jobs accounted for the biggest increases, while manufacturing jobs have decreased by more than 20 percent over 20 years.

commercial & industrial uses:
 employment densities

Land Use Figure A-8 illustrates the distribution of employment density as number of jobs per gross acre. Areas with the highest job densities (greater than 50 jobs/gross acre) include Downtown, First Hill, the University of Washington, South Lake Union, and Uptown communities. Areas with moderately high employment densities (26 to 50 jobs/gross acre) are the University District, Eastlake, Fremont and Queen Anne areas. Predominantly residential areas of the city have employment densities as low as 1 to 15 jobs per acre.

commercial & industrial uses:
 major employment concentrations

Employment activity is much more concentrated than housing. Most of the jobs in the city are located in the areas described below. These areas are unique because they attract people daily from all over the city and region.

Downtown. Downtown Seattle, with over 165,000 jobs at an average density of about 175 jobs per gross acre, supports the largest concentration of jobs in the Pacific Northwest. In the Commercial Core, job densities average 400 jobs per acre. Just over one third of all jobs in the city are located downtown.

First Hill/Capitol Hill. A specialized concentration of medical facilities has developed on First Hill east of downtown, lending the area the nickname "Pill Hill." With Swedish Hospital Medical Center, Virginia Mason Medical Center, Harborview Medical Center and related support facilities, this area has one of the greatest employment concentrations in the city, with over 21,000 jobs at an average employment density of about 96 jobs per acre. Capitol Hill, Pike/Pine, and 12th Avenue to the north and east of First Hill, are home to colleges and universities, as well as thriving retail districts. Combined, these other portions of the First Hill/Capitol Hill Urban Center contain another 16,000 jobs, at an average 24 jobs per acre.

Land Use Figure A-7

Distribution of Jobs by Employment Sector

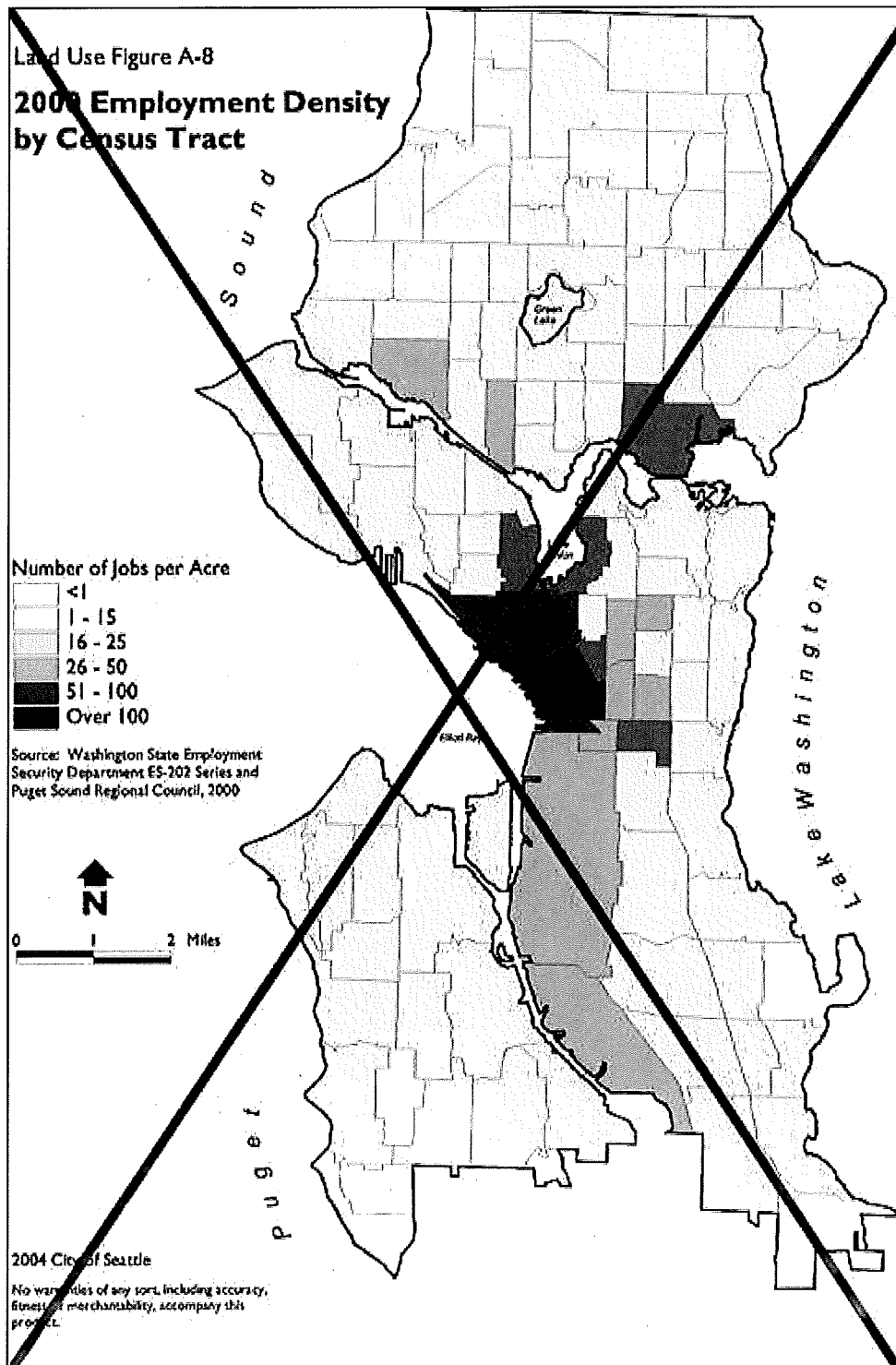
Employment Sector	1980	% Share	1990	% Share	2000	% Share	% Change
Manufacturing	50,536	13%	47,839	10%	39,926	7%	-21%
WTCU*	60,326	16%	69,258	15%	68,065	13%	13%
Retail	61,218	16%	64,813	14%	80,743	15%	32%
FIRES**	137,358	36%	204,277	43%	256,558	48%	87%
Gov./Ed.	77,246	20%	83,615	18%	91,179	17%	18%
Total	386,684		469,802		536,471		39%

Sources: Puget Sound Regional Council, 2003 Sub-County (Small Area) Forecasts of Population and Employment,

Central Puget Sound Region, February 2004

*WTCU=Wholesale, Transportation, Communications, and Utilities

**FIRES = Finance, Insurance, Real Estate and Services))



~~((University Community. The University Community, with over 34,000 jobs contains a large amount of employment associated with both the University of Washington, the largest single employer in the city, and service and retail businesses, such as Safeco Insurance and University Village. Employment density in the University District is about 45 jobs per acre.~~

~~**Northgate.** In addition to Northgate Mall, the city's principal regional shopping facility outside of downtown, several major employers are clustered in the Northgate area, including Northwest Hospital, North Seattle Community College, and a relatively large concentration of service jobs. This area has a total employment of about 11,500 jobs, at a density of about 28 jobs per acre.~~

~~**Uptown.** Another substantial concentration of employment located immediately north of downtown is the area around Seattle Center between Denny Way and the base of Queen Anne Hill. Providing backup office and service activity for downtown, as well as other retail and service uses, the area accommodates over 16,000 jobs at a job density of approximately 55 jobs per acre.~~

~~**South Lake Union.** The area that has seen the fastest employment growth over the last ten years is South Lake Union, between Denny Way and Lake Union, just north of Downtown. A growing home to a number of services industries, South Lake Union has historically provided a location for manufacturing and wholesale businesses. South Lake Union contains approximately 21,000 jobs at a density of 62 jobs per acre.~~

~~**Major Institutions.** A number of major institutions located throughout the city also provide significant concentrations of employment for the whole region, such as the University of Washington. Others are smaller concentrations of employment in otherwise low density areas, such as the Veterans Administration Medical Center and Seattle Pacific University.~~

~~**Neighborhood Commercial.** Seattle's neighborhood business areas provide locations for services needed by the surrounding low to moderate residential populations, such as food from restaurants or grocery stores; entertainment; professional, personal or business services. These neighborhood businesses are dispersed and the range of services they provide varies throughout the city. They generally are in locations with fair accessibility to both the transportation network and concentrations of people.~~

~~A number of the city's larger, more established neighborhood commercial areas also provide concentrations of employment. Ballard, Fremont and West Seattle Junction are all areas with between 3,000 and 6,000 jobs and employment densities averaging in the 10 to 20 jobs per acre range. Other commercial areas with notable job concentrations include Lake City, the Aurora strip between N 115th and N 145th streets, and the area around Rainier Avenue and Interstate 90. The employment~~

populations of these areas range between 3,000 and 4,000, with average job densities of between 8 and 12 jobs per acre.

Industrial Areas. Citywide, industrial uses are concentrated in the Duwamish Valley, and BINMIC (the Ballard-Interbay-Northend Manufacturing/Industrial Center), which includes Interbay, and the shoreline area between Ballard and Fremont. Some manufacturing and industrial activity also occurs around the shores of Lake Union and along Rainier Avenue S., near Interstate 90. Two of these areas, BINMIC and the Duwamish, are major areas of employment. BINMIC has roughly 15,000 jobs, while the Duwamish accounts for over 65,000. Combined, they contain roughly 17 percent of the city's total employment population. Given the land-intensive nature of employment activities in these areas, the job densities are comparatively low, seldom exceeding 15 jobs per acre.))

Land Use Figure A-1

Existing Land Area occupied by Specific Uses by Urban Centers and Urban Villages

<u>Location</u>	<u>Gross Acres</u>	<u>Rights -of- Way</u>	<u>Net Acres *</u>	<u>Single Family</u>	<u>Multi-Family</u>	<u>Commerci al/ Mixed -Use</u>	<u>Indus trial</u>	<u>Major Instituti on And Public Facilitie s/ Utilities</u>	<u>Open Space **</u>	<u>Vacan t</u>	<u>Other ***</u>
Belltown	219	96	123		19	85	4	3	6	5	11
Denny Triangle	143	66	77		4	64	0	6	0	1	18
Commercial Core	275	120	156		11	107	1	21	9	3	15
Pioneer Square	141	50	91		4	63	4	7	2	10	10
Chinatown-International District	172	76	96	1	7	66	10	3	3	7	15
<u>Downtown Urban Center</u>	950	408	542	1	46	385	20	40	20	26	70
Capitol Hill	397	152	245	22	145	43	1	15	14	6	8
Pike/Pine	131	53	78	0	18	42	6	6	4	1	8
First Hill	228	93	135	1	43	47		19	5	10	26
12th Avenue	160	47	113	6	21	25	7	46	0	6	12
<u>First Hill/Capitol</u>	916	345	571	29	227	157	14	85	23	23	53

<u>Location</u>	<u>Gross Acres</u>	<u>Rights of-Way</u>	<u>Net Acres *</u>	<u>Single Family</u>	<u>Multi-Family</u>	<u>Commercial/ Mixed-Use</u>	<u>Industrial</u>	<u>Major Institution And Public Facilities/ Utilities</u>	<u>Open Space **</u>	<u>Vacant</u>	<u>Other ***</u>
<u>Hill Urban Center</u>											
Ravenna	123	26	97	4	34	48	6	0	3	1	3
University Campus	342	54	288		9	11	2	261	1	0	8
University District Northwest	287	111	177	18	71	61		17	4	5	10
<u>University Community Urban Center</u>	752	190	562	22	115	120	8	278	8	6	20
Northgate	411	111	300	6	72	177	1	23	16	4	17
South Lake Union	339	145	194	0	8	127	25	7	14	13	19
Uptown	333	112	221	4	41	150	6	8	7	5	18
<u>Urban Centers Total</u>	3,701	1,312	2,389	62	509	1,116	73	442	88	76	197
Ballard	425	150	274	47	113	74	11	15	6	7	7
Bitter Lake Village	352	62	290	14	55	135	38	31	10	7	4
Fremont	213	81	133	14	41	47	18	5	4	4	2
Lake City	142	40	103	5	38	42	4	5	5	4	4
North Rainier	455	147	308	82	37	68	43	14	34	30	7
West Seattle Junction	226	88	138	38	34	47	2	10	1	7	4
<u>Hub Urban Villages Total</u>	1,814	568	1,246	199	318	413	115	80	59	59	27
23rd & Union-Jackson	516	167	350	129	81	39	8	40	32	21	7
Admiral	98	30	68	12	11	17		13	14		1
Aurora-Licton Springs	327	95	232	54	76	40	23	25	9	5	7

<u>Location</u>	<u>Gross Acres</u>	<u>Rights -of- Way</u>	<u>Net Acres</u> *	<u>Single Family</u>	<u>Multi-Family</u>	<u>Com merci al/ Mixed -Use</u>	<u>Indus trial</u>	<u>Major Instituti on And Public Facilitie s/ Utilities</u>	<u>Open Space</u> **	<u>Vacan t</u>	<u>Other</u> ***
<u>Columbia City</u>	<u>313</u>	<u>95</u>	<u>217</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>6</u>
<u>Crown Hill</u>	<u>173</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>123</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
<u>Eastlake</u>	<u>200</u>	<u>91</u>	<u>109</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>36</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1</u>
<u>Green Lake</u>	<u>109</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>
<u>Greenwood- Phinney Ridge</u>	<u>94</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>63</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
<u>Othello</u>	<u>375</u>	<u>94</u>	<u>281</u>	<u>87</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>4</u>
<u>Madison- Miller</u>	<u>145</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>95</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>36</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>3</u>
<u>Morgan Junction</u>	<u>114</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>North Beacon Hill</u>	<u>131</u>	<u>51</u>	<u>80</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>Upper Queen Anne</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4</u>		<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>Rainier Beach</u>	<u>290</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>219</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>2</u>
<u>Roosevelt</u>	<u>158</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>97</u>	<u>51</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>2</u>
<u>South Park</u>	<u>263</u>	<u>80</u>	<u>184</u>	<u>116</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>1</u>
<u>Wallingford</u>	<u>257</u>	<u>99</u>	<u>158</u>	<u>79</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>
<u>Westwood- Highland Park</u>	<u>275</u>	<u>81</u>	<u>194</u>	<u>99</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>11</u>		<u>6</u>	<u>1</u>
<u>Residentia l Urban Villages Total</u>	<u>3,891</u>	<u>1,254</u>	<u>2,638</u>	<u>949</u>	<u>611</u>	<u>440</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>240</u>	<u>139</u>	<u>193</u>	<u>40</u>
<u>Ballard- Interbay- Northend</u>	<u>932</u>	<u>218</u>	<u>713</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>154</u>	<u>166</u>	<u>283</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>97</u>	<u>9</u>
<u>Greater Duwamish</u>	<u>4,928</u>	<u>1,126</u>	<u>3,802</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>283</u>	<u>1,457</u>	<u>1,493</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>502</u>	<u>82</u>
<u>Manufac- turing</u>	<u>5,859</u>	<u>1,344</u>	<u>4,515</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>436</u>	<u>1,624</u>	<u>1,776</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>599</u>	<u>91</u>

<u>Location</u>	<u>Gross Acres</u>	<u>Rights-of-Way</u>	<u>Net Acres</u> *	<u>Single Family</u>	<u>Multi-Family</u>	<u>Commercial/Mixed-Use</u>	<u>Industrial</u>	<u>Major Institution And Public Facilities/Utilities</u>	<u>Open Space</u> **	<u>Vacant</u>	<u>Other</u> ***
<u>Industrial Centers Total</u>											
<u>Outside Villages</u>	<u>37,886</u>	<u>9,676</u>	<u>28,210</u>	<u>17,592</u>	<u>1,715</u>	<u>667</u>	<u>121</u>	<u>1,561</u>	<u>5,377</u>	<u>1,108</u>	<u>110</u>
<u>City Total</u>	<u>53,151</u>	<u>14,153</u>	<u>38,998</u>	<u>18,818</u>	<u>3,159</u>	<u>3,072</u>	<u>1,991</u>	<u>4,099</u>	<u>5,698</u>	<u>2,035</u>	<u>465</u>

*Net acres = Gross acres minus rights-of-way

** Some acreage may be also counted in Rights-of-Way as City-Owned Open Space includes boulevards

*** Other Includes Parking, Easements, Unspecified uses

Source: King County Department of Assessments, 2014

Land Use Figure A-2

Population and Housing per acre by Urban Center and Urban Village

<u>Location</u>	<u>Total Population (2010)</u>	<u>Population / Acre</u>	<u>Housing Units (2010)</u>	<u>Housing Units / Acre</u>
<u>Belltown</u>	<u>11,961</u>	<u>55.2</u>	<u>9,984</u>	<u>46.0</u>
<u>Denny Triangle</u>	<u>3,248</u>	<u>21.8</u>	<u>2,971</u>	<u>19.9</u>
<u>Commercial Core</u>	<u>5,917</u>	<u>21.6</u>	<u>3,651</u>	<u>13.3</u>
<u>Pioneer Square</u>	<u>2,252</u>	<u>16.2</u>	<u>1,023</u>	<u>7.3</u>
<u>Chinatown-International District</u>	<u>3,466</u>	<u>22.0</u>	<u>2,393</u>	<u>15.2</u>
<u>Downtown Urban Center Total</u>	<u>26,844</u>	<u>28.7</u>	<u>20,022</u>	<u>21.4</u>
<u>Capitol Hill</u>	<u>18,279</u>	<u>45.6</u>	<u>13,474</u>	<u>33.6</u>
<u>Pike/Pine</u>	<u>4,413</u>	<u>36.7</u>	<u>3,442</u>	<u>28.6</u>
<u>First Hill</u>	<u>8,681</u>	<u>37.4</u>	<u>6,592</u>	<u>28.4</u>
<u>12th Avenue</u>	<u>4,519</u>	<u>28.4</u>	<u>1,972</u>	<u>12.4</u>
<u>First Hill/Capitol Hill Urban Center Total</u>	<u>35,892</u>	<u>39.4</u>	<u>25,480</u>	<u>27.9</u>
<u>University District Northwest</u>	<u>13,654</u>	<u>47.1</u>	<u>6,426</u>	<u>22.1</u>
<u>Ravenna</u>	<u>3,323</u>	<u>26.7</u>	<u>1,617</u>	<u>13.0</u>
<u>University Campus</u>	<u>5,727</u>	<u>16.9</u>	<u>226</u>	<u>0.7</u>
<u>University Community</u>	<u>22,704</u>	<u>30.1</u>	<u>8,269</u>	<u>11.0</u>

<u>Location</u>	<u>Total Population (2010)</u>	<u>Population / Acre</u>	<u>Housing Units (2010)</u>	<u>Housing Units / Acre</u>
<u>Urban Center Total</u>				
<u>Northgate</u>	<u>6,369</u>	<u>14.3</u>	<u>4,238</u>	<u>9.5</u>
<u>South Lake Union</u>	<u>3,774</u>	<u>10.7</u>	<u>2,781</u>	<u>7.9</u>
<u>Uptown</u>	<u>7,300</u>	<u>21.5</u>	<u>5,799</u>	<u>17.1</u>
<u>Urban Centers Total</u>	<u>102,883</u>	<u>27.5</u>	<u>66,589</u>	<u>17.8</u>
<u>Ballard</u>	<u>10,078</u>	<u>24.5</u>	<u>6,963</u>	<u>16.9</u>
<u>Bitter Lake Village</u>	<u>4,273</u>	<u>10.8</u>	<u>3,074</u>	<u>7.8</u>
<u>Fremont</u>	<u>3,960</u>	<u>18.6</u>	<u>2,558</u>	<u>12.0</u>
<u>Lake City</u>	<u>3,899</u>	<u>25.2</u>	<u>2,419</u>	<u>15.6</u>
<u>North Rainier</u>	<u>4,908</u>	<u>10.6</u>	<u>2,201</u>	<u>4.7</u>
<u>West Seattle Junction</u>	<u>3,788</u>	<u>17.0</u>	<u>2,544</u>	<u>11.4</u>
<u>Hub Urban Villages Total</u>	<u>30,906</u>	<u>16.6</u>	<u>19,759</u>	<u>10.6</u>
<u>23rd & Union-Jackson</u>	<u>9,468</u>	<u>18.3</u>	<u>5,058</u>	<u>9.8</u>
<u>Admiral</u>	<u>1,528</u>	<u>13.8</u>	<u>1,054</u>	<u>9.5</u>
<u>Aurora-Licton Springs</u>	<u>6,179</u>	<u>19.3</u>	<u>3,267</u>	<u>10.2</u>
<u>Columbia City</u>	<u>3,937</u>	<u>14.1</u>	<u>1,885</u>	<u>6.8</u>
<u>Crown Hill</u>	<u>2,459</u>	<u>14.6</u>	<u>1,193</u>	<u>7.1</u>
<u>Eastlake</u>	<u>5,084</u>	<u>26.3</u>	<u>3,543</u>	<u>18.3</u>
<u>Green Lake</u>	<u>2,904</u>	<u>27.0</u>	<u>2,008</u>	<u>18.7</u>
<u>Greenwood-Phinney Ridge</u>	<u>2,927</u>	<u>20.6</u>	<u>1,729</u>	<u>12.1</u>
<u>Othello</u>	<u>7,267</u>	<u>19.1</u>	<u>2,435</u>	<u>6.4</u>
<u>Madison-Miller</u>	<u>4,066</u>	<u>27.9</u>	<u>2,414</u>	<u>16.6</u>
<u>Morgan Junction</u>	<u>2,046</u>	<u>18.2</u>	<u>1,267</u>	<u>11.3</u>
<u>North Beacon Hill</u>	<u>2,900</u>	<u>23.2</u>	<u>1,380</u>	<u>11.0</u>
<u>Upper Queen Anne</u>	<u>2,143</u>	<u>26.9</u>	<u>1,570</u>	<u>19.7</u>
<u>Rainier Beach</u>	<u>3,583</u>	<u>14.0</u>	<u>1,486</u>	<u>5.8</u>
<u>Roosevelt</u>	<u>2,384</u>	<u>14.0</u>	<u>1,198</u>	<u>7.0</u>
<u>South Park</u>	<u>3,448</u>	<u>10.7</u>	<u>1,282</u>	<u>4.0</u>
<u>Wallingford</u>	<u>5,350</u>	<u>20.3</u>	<u>2,940</u>	<u>11.2</u>
<u>Westwood-Highland Park</u>	<u>4,606</u>	<u>14.0</u>	<u>2,123</u>	<u>6.5</u>
<u>Residential Urban Villages Total</u>	<u>72,279</u>	<u>18.0</u>	<u>37,832</u>	<u>9.4</u>
<u>Ballard-Interbay-Northend</u>	<u>1,658</u>	<u>1.8</u>	<u>667</u>	<u>0.7</u>
<u>Greater Duwamish</u>	<u>1,064</u>	<u>0.2</u>	<u>415</u>	<u>0.1</u>
<u>Manufacturing Industrial Centers Total</u>	<u>2,722</u>	<u>0.5</u>	<u>1,082</u>	<u>0.2</u>
<u>Outside Villages</u>	<u>399,870</u>	<u>10.6</u>	<u>183,254</u>	<u>4.8</u>
<u>City Total</u>	<u>608,660</u>	<u>11.5</u>	<u>308,516</u>	<u>5.8</u>

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Decennial Census 2010

Land Use Figure A-3

Jobs per acre by Urban Center and Urban Village

<u>Location</u>	<u>Jobs* (2010)</u>	<u>Jobs / Acre</u>
<u>Belltown</u>	<u>17,988</u>	<u>83.0</u>
<u>Denny Triangle</u>	<u>16,120</u>	<u>108.1</u>
<u>Commercial Core</u>	<u>84,080</u>	<u>307.0</u>
<u>Pioneer Square</u>	<u>10,454</u>	<u>75.0</u>
<u>Chinatown-International District</u>	<u>7,739</u>	<u>49.1</u>
<u>Downtown Urban Center Total</u>	<u>136,381</u>	<u>145.6</u>
<u>Capitol Hill</u>	<u>5,444</u>	<u>13.6</u>
<u>Pike/Pine</u>	<u>5,033</u>	<u>41.8</u>
<u>First Hill</u>	<u>26,106</u>	<u>112.6</u>
<u>12th Avenue</u>	<u>5,054</u>	<u>31.8</u>
<u>First Hill/Capitol Hill Urban Center Total</u>	<u>41,637</u>	<u>45.7</u>
<u>University District Northwest</u>	<u>4,696</u>	<u>16.2</u>
<u>Ravenna</u>	<u>2,708</u>	<u>21.7</u>
<u>University Campus</u>	<u>25,568</u>	<u>75.3</u>
<u>University Community Urban Center Total</u>	<u>32,972</u>	<u>43.7</u>
<u>Northgate</u>	<u>11,430</u>	<u>25.7</u>
<u>South Lake Union</u>	<u>19,644</u>	<u>55.7</u>
<u>Uptown</u>	<u>13,911</u>	<u>41.0</u>
<u>Urban Centers Total</u>	<u>255,975</u>	<u>68.4</u>
<u>Ballard</u>	<u>5,447</u>	<u>13.2</u>
<u>Bitter Lake Village</u>	<u>3,100</u>	<u>7.8</u>
<u>Fremont</u>	<u>7,468</u>	<u>35.0</u>
<u>Lake City</u>	<u>1,600</u>	<u>10.3</u>
<u>North Rainier</u>	<u>3,614</u>	<u>7.8</u>
<u>West Seattle Junction</u>	<u>2,695</u>	<u>12.1</u>
<u>Hub Urban Villages Total</u>	<u>23,924</u>	<u>12.8</u>
<u>23rd & Union-Jackson</u>	<u>4,269</u>	<u>8.3</u>
<u>Admiral</u>	<u>1,400</u>	<u>12.7</u>
<u>Aurora-Licton Springs</u>	<u>2,334</u>	<u>7.3</u>
<u>Columbia City</u>	<u>1,902</u>	<u>6.8</u>
<u>Crown Hill</u>	<u>847</u>	<u>5.0</u>
<u>Eastlake</u>	<u>5,065</u>	<u>26.2</u>
<u>Green Lake</u>	<u>1,456</u>	<u>13.5</u>

<u>Location</u>	<u>Jobs* (2010)</u>	<u>Jobs / Acre</u>
<u>Greenwood-Phinney Ridge</u>	<u>1,705</u>	<u>12.0</u>
<u>Othello</u>	<u>1,378</u>	<u>3.6</u>
<u>Madison-Miller</u>	<u>1,065</u>	<u>7.3</u>
<u>Morgan Junction</u>	<u>430</u>	<u>3.8</u>
<u>North Beacon Hill</u>	<u>559</u>	<u>4.5</u>
<u>Upper Queen Anne</u>	<u>1,556</u>	<u>19.5</u>
<u>Rainier Beach</u>	<u>1,088</u>	<u>4.2</u>
<u>Roosevelt</u>	<u>1,496</u>	<u>8.8</u>
<u>South Park</u>	<u>1,035</u>	<u>3.2</u>
<u>Wallingford</u>	<u>2,784</u>	<u>10.6</u>
<u>Westwood-Highland Park</u>	<u>1,367</u>	<u>4.2</u>
<u>Residential Urban Villages Total</u>	<u>31,736</u>	<u>7.9</u>
<u>Ballard-Interbay-Northend</u>	<u>14,205</u>	<u>15.2</u>
<u>Greater Duwamish</u>	<u>58,744</u>	<u>12.6</u>
<u>Manufacturing Industrial Centers Total</u>	<u>72,949</u>	<u>13.0</u>
<u>Outside Villages</u>	<u>77,591</u>	<u>2.0</u>
<u>City Total</u>	<u>462,175</u>	<u>8.7</u>

* Jobs are reported "covered employment, " which refers to positions covered by the Washington Unemployment Insurance Act.
 Source: Washington State Employment Security Department Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages and Puget Sound Regional Council. March 2010

Land Use Figure A-4

Employment by Industry Sector 1995-2010

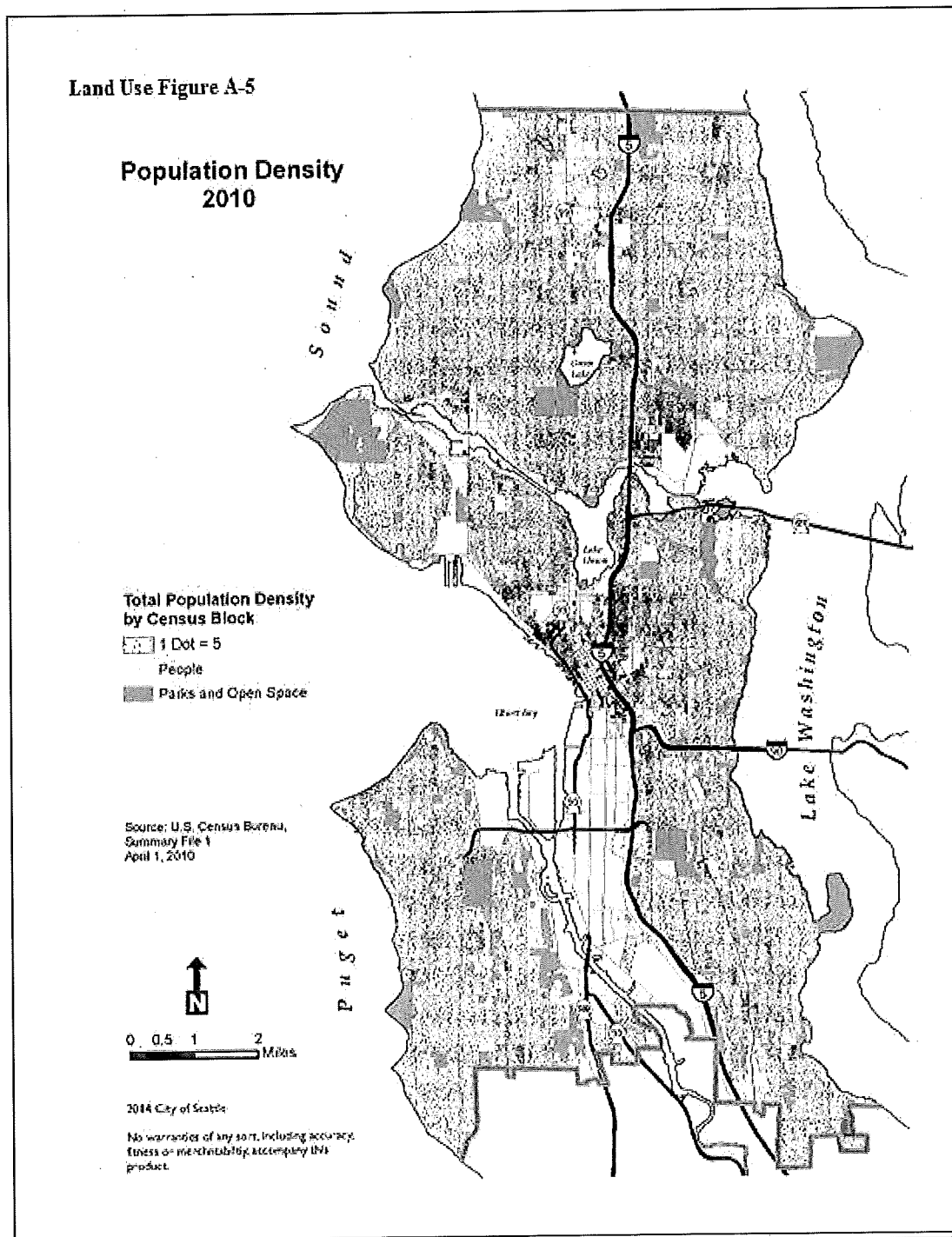
<u>Sector</u>	<u>1995</u>	<u>% Share</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>% Share</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>% Share</u>	<u>% Change 1995-2010 *</u>	<u>% Change 2000- 2010</u>
<u>Construction, Resources</u>	<u>15,282</u>	<u>3.6%</u>	<u>22,645</u>	<u>4.5%</u>	<u>16,748</u>	<u>3.6%</u>		<u>-35.2%</u>
<u>Finance, Insurance, Real Estate</u>	<u>35,253</u>	<u>8.3%</u>	<u>42,471</u>	<u>8.4%</u>	<u>31,970</u>	<u>6.9%</u>		<u>-32.8%</u>
<u>Manufacturing</u>	<u>38,050</u>	<u>8.9%</u>	<u>37,104</u>	<u>7.4%</u>	<u>26,417</u>	<u>5.7%</u>		<u>-40.5%</u>
<u>Retail</u>	<u>31,504</u>	<u>7.4%</u>	<u>41,984</u>	<u>8.3%</u>	<u>36,921</u>	<u>8.0%</u>		<u>-13.7%</u>
<u>Services</u>	<u>185,899</u>	<u>43.6%</u>	<u>235,336</u>	<u>46.8%</u>	<u>237,882</u>	<u>51.5%</u>		<u>1.1%</u>
<u>Warehousing, Transportation Utilities</u>	<u>40,545</u>	<u>9.5%</u>	<u>43,636</u>	<u>8.7%</u>	<u>29,206</u>	<u>6.3%</u>		<u>-49.4%</u>
<u>Government</u>	<u>51,571</u>	<u>12.1%</u>	<u>47,565</u>	<u>9.5%</u>	<u>48,468</u>	<u>10.5%</u>		<u>1.9%</u>
<u>Education</u>	<u>28,625</u>	<u>6.7%</u>	<u>32,094</u>	<u>6.4%</u>	<u>34,570</u>	<u>7.5%</u>		<u>7.2%</u>
<u>Total</u>	<u>426,729</u>	<u>100%</u>	<u>502,835</u>	<u>100%</u>	<u>462,180</u>	<u>100%</u>	<u>7.7%</u>	<u>-8.8%</u>

Jobs are a report of "covered employment," which refers to positions covered by the Washington Unemployment Insurance Act. The Act exempts the self-employed, proprietors and corporate officers, military personnel, and railroad workers, so those categories are not included in the dataset. Covered Employment accounts for approximately 90% of all employment.

*The method of identifying jobs by sector has changed since 1995, and it is not practical to compare employment by sector between 1995 and later years.

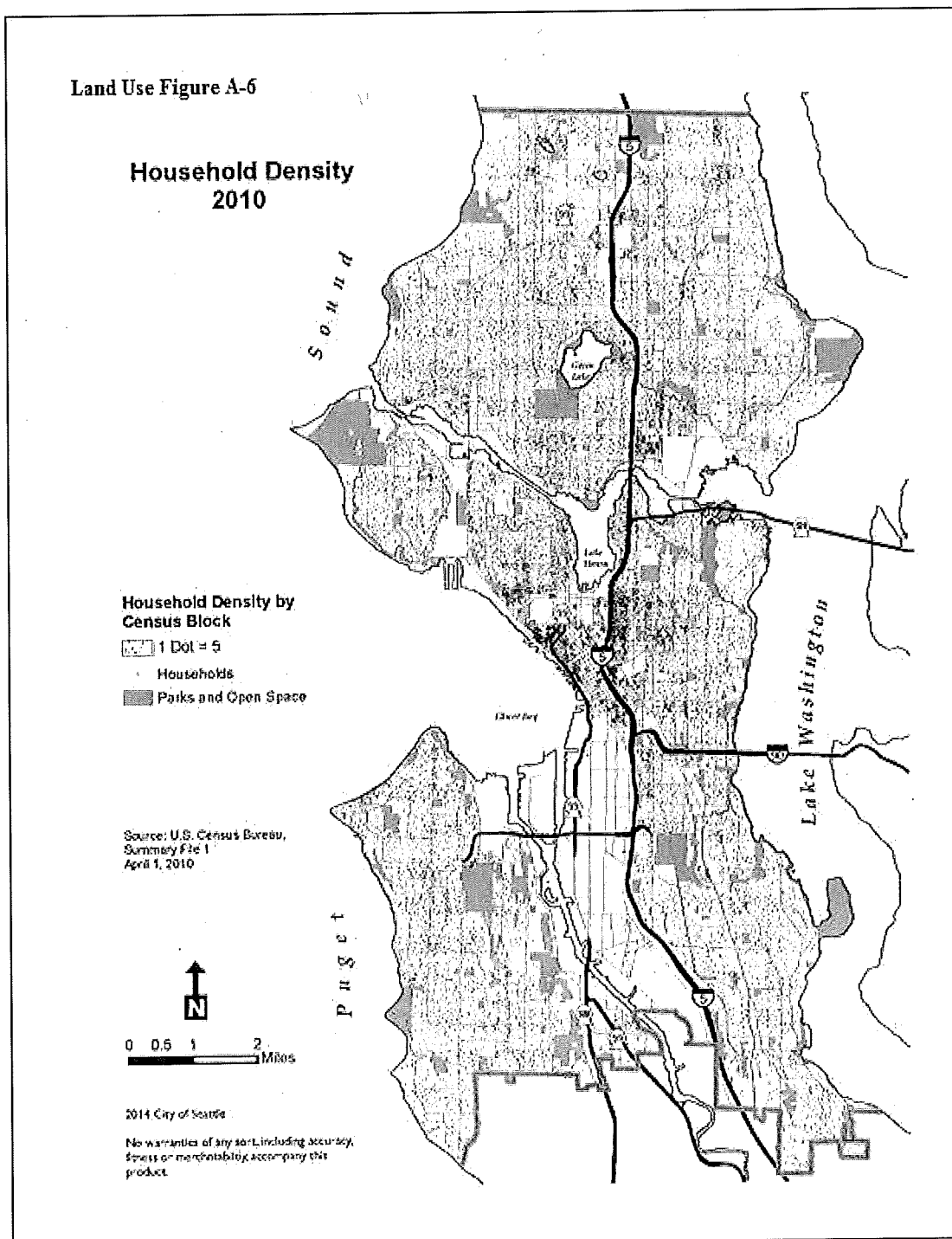
Source: Washington State Employment Security Department Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages and Puget Sound Regional Council. March, 1995 and 2010

Land Use Figure A-5
Population Density 2010

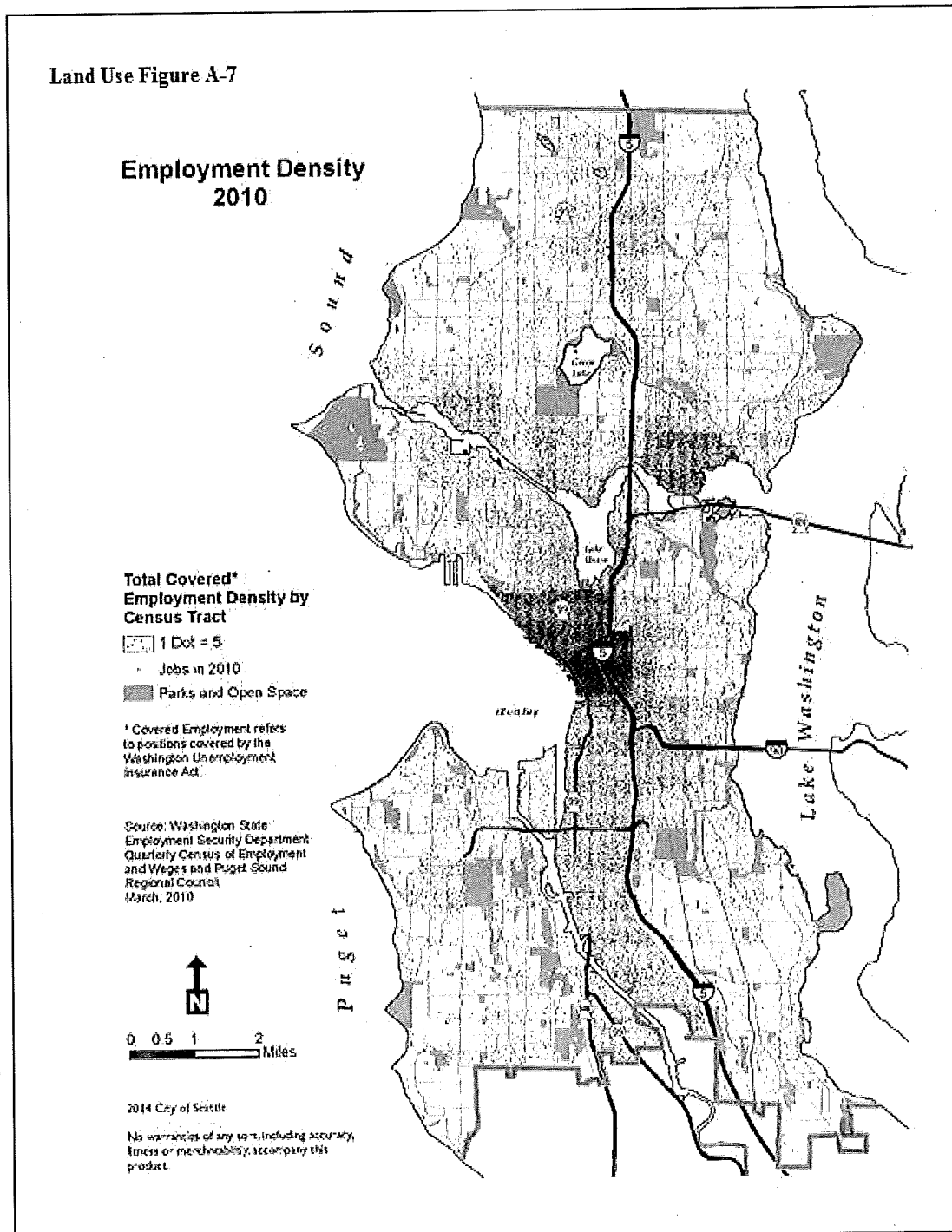


Land Use Figure A-6

Household Density 2010

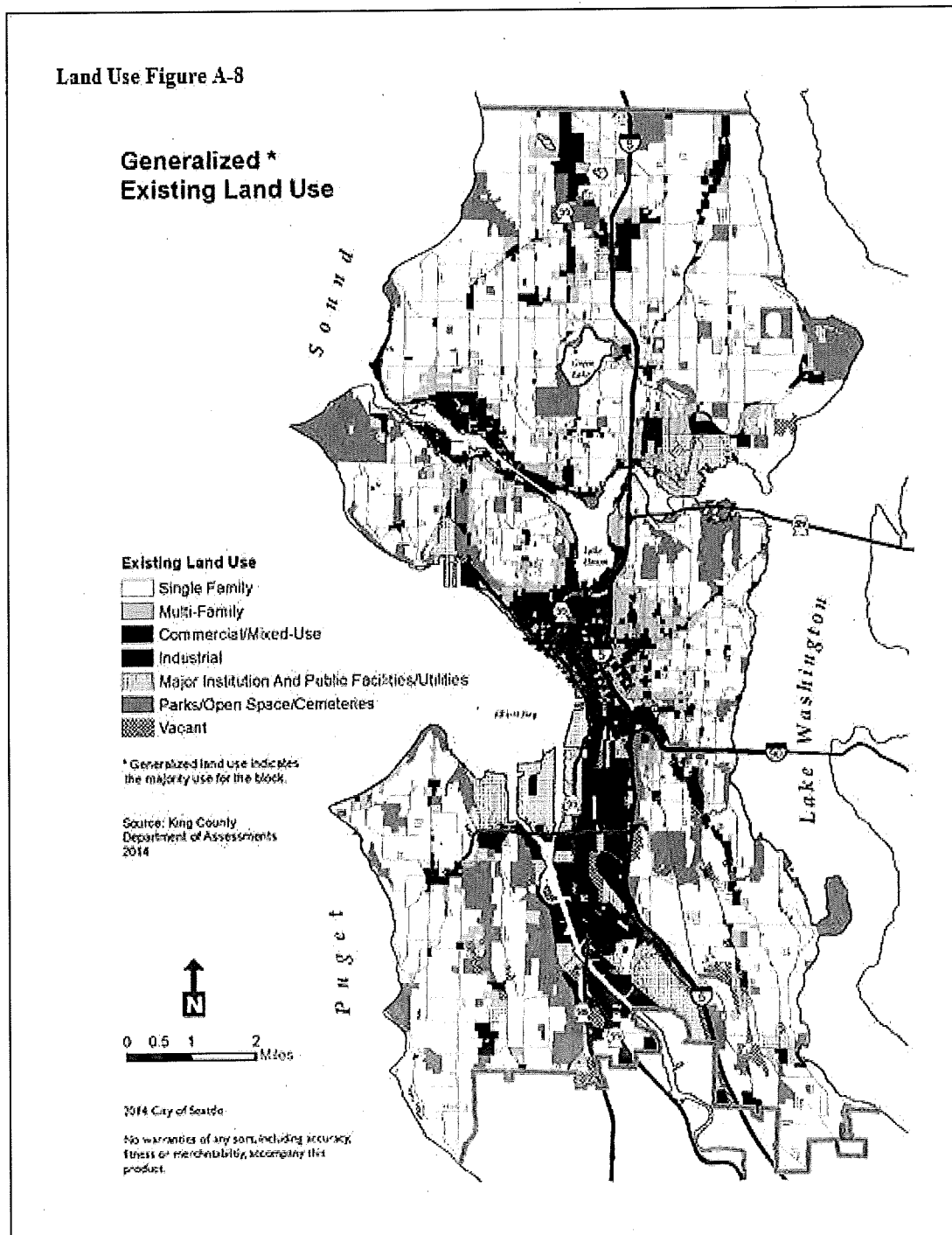


Land Use Figure A-7
Employment Density 2010



Land Use Figure A-8

Generalized Existing Land use



Attachment 11 Transportation Appendix

Transportation Appendix

Many of the terms used in the Transportation Element and Appendix may be unfamiliar to the casual reader. There are useful glossaries in the State of Washington Department of Commerce's Transportation Guidebook (<http://www.commerce.wa.gov/Documents/GMS-Transportation-2012.pdf>) and the state Department of Transportation's website titled Growth Management Act (GMA) Comprehensive Plan Resources (<http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/planning/community/GMA.htm>) and also on WSDOT's website, (<http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/Publications/Manuals/index.htm>). Additional glossaries can be found at <http://www.fhwa.dot.gov/planning/glossary/index.cfm> and <http://trblist.org/subjectglossaries>

The purpose of providing the information in this Appendix, and related information in the Transportation Element, is to comply with the requirements of RCW Chapter 36.70A (Growth Management Act) by showing land use assumptions used in estimating travel; estimated traffic impacts to state-owned transportation facilities based on those assumptions; facilities and service needs, including level of service standards for local arterials and state highways; forecasts of traffic; and the availability of financing and a financing plan to show how these identified needs will be met.

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A Land Use Assumptions Used in Estimating Travel¹

To estimate future travel levels, assumptions were made for a variety of factors related to future population, employment, and transportation facilities. These include the number and geographic distribution of both households and employment in Seattle and the region, characteristics of households and jobs (e.g., number of residents per household, household income), and the transportation network (e.g., streets, transit routes). Then, a computer model was used to predict the total number of person-trips between various zones, the number of trips that would use various modes (e.g., car, bus, bike, walk), and the resulting vehicle traffic volumes on various streets throughout the city.

existing conditions

In 2010, the census counted 608,660 people living in Seattle; 2014 City estimates place the current number at about 640,500 people. But many other people visit Seattle for a range of purposes, such as working, shopping, education, tourism, medical appointments, pass-through travel, and other reasons.

Seattle covers about 53,113 acres of land. Most areas of the city are of predominantly one type of land use (e.g., residential, commercial, or industrial). About 40 percent of the city's land area is occupied by residential uses. In 2010, there were approximately 308,500 housing units in the city. Estimates in 2012 placed the total number of housing units in the city at about 312,850 units. The area north of the ship canal has more of its land area occupied by housing than mid-Seattle (south of the ship canal to I-90) or south Seattle (south of I-90).

Street rights-of-way take up the next largest amount of land, almost 27 percent. Commercial and industrial areas, where most of the jobs in the city are located, occupy about 13 percent of the land area. Parks occupy slightly more than nine percent; cemeteries, reservoirs, and other uses occupy six percent; and the remainder of land is vacant.

regional land use assumptions

The Puget Sound Regional Council (PSRC) conducts regional planning for the four-county (Snohomish, King, Pierce, and Kitsap) central Puget Sound region. The PSRC's Vision 2040 Growth Strategy and Transportation Plan presents a vision and array of strategies designed to achieve goals of growth management, transportation demand management, and improved transportation investment decisions. The PSRC provides population and employment forecasts for the region, and encourages growth in ways that focus future population and employment growth into urban centers, which formally include the Urban Centers that are defined in this Comprehensive Plan.

Seattle land use assumptions

Seattle's growth assumptions for the period from 2015 through 2035 are 70,000 new housing units and net growth in employment of 115,000 jobs. This is the City's share of the region's

¹ (RCW 36.70A.070 (6) (a) (i))

projected housing and employment growth between 2015 and 2035, identified through the countywide process conducted by the Growth Management Planning Council.

The growth assumptions for the Urban Centers are as follows:

<u>Urban Center</u>	<u>Housing Units</u>	<u>Jobs</u>
<u>Downtown</u>	<u>10,000</u>	<u>30,000</u>
<u>First Hill/Capitol Hill</u>	<u>7,000</u>	<u>4,000</u>
<u>South Lake Union</u>	<u>4,700</u>	<u>20,000</u>
<u>Uptown</u>	<u>3,500</u>	<u>3,500</u>
<u>University District</u>	<u>2,700</u>	<u>8,000</u>
<u>Northgate</u>	<u>1,600</u>	<u>5,000</u>
<u>Greater Duwamish Manuf./Industrial Center</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>3,000</u>
<u>BINMIC</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>1,500</u>

B Facilities and Services Needs²

Seattle's street network consists of approximately 1,534 miles of arterials, including some that are designated state routes, and more than 2,400 miles of non-arterials (see Transportation Figure A-1). In the arterial system there are 620 miles of principal arterials, 566 miles of minor arterials, and 348 miles of collector arterials. High-occupancy vehicle (HOV) lanes exist on some arterials and limited access facilities as shown in Transportation Figure A-2.

² (RCW 36.70A.070 (6) (a) (iii))

transit

Public transit in Seattle is provided by three agencies. King County Metro provides bus, trolley and streetcar services that cover most of King County. Community Transit and Sound Transit operate express bus services to Seattle from King, Snohomish and Pierce Counties. As of 2014, King County Metro serves a population of more than 2 million people in a service area greater than 2,000 square miles. It operates more than 1,800 vehicles on about 214 bus, trolley and dial-a-ride routes. Included are 159 electric trolley buses serving 14 routes along almost 70 miles of two-direction overhead wires. Its 2012 ridership was more than 114 million passengers. Transportation Figure A-3 shows bus routes in Seattle.

King County Metro operates a 1.3-mile long tunnel under Third Avenue and Pine Street from the International District to 9th Avenue and Pine Street. The tunnel has four operational stations, and connects to I-90 at the south end and to the I-5 express lanes at the north end. The tunnel supports joint bus and light rail service until such time as light rail train service is too frequent to safely operate joint services in the tunnel.

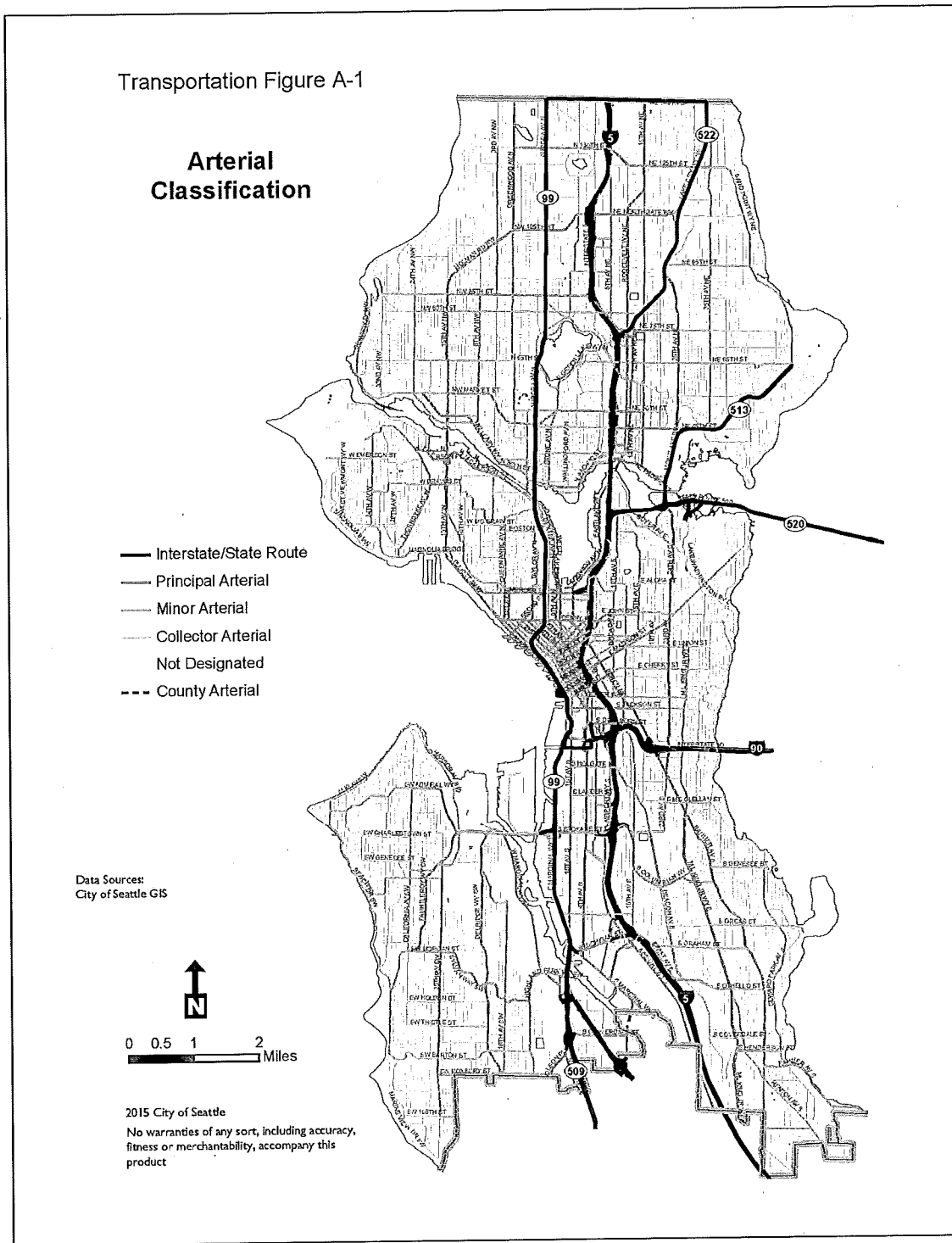
Sound Transit is the regional transit authority for the Puget Sound area (which includes portions of King, Snohomish and Pierce Counties.) Sound Transit operates light rail service connecting Downtown Seattle with SeaTac Airport and has construction underway to extend service northward to Lynnwood. That construction will deliver light rail service to Capitol Hill and Husky Stadium by 2016, and to the University District, Roosevelt and Northgate by 2021. Routing is shown on Transportation Figure A-4.

There are 11 Link light rail stations currently in Seattle: in the Rainier Beach, Othello, Columbia City, North Rainier/Mt. Baker, Beacon Hill, SODO/Lander Street, and SODO/Royal Brougham Way neighborhoods; and four in the Downtown transit tunnel. Weekday average ridership averages more than 37,000 passengers (2014).

Sound Transit also provides Sounder commuter rail services during peak hours along existing rail lines from Downtown Seattle northward to Everett and southward to Tacoma and Lakewood.

Metro, Sound Transit and WSDOT operate approximately 18 park and ride facilities with approximately 2,262 parking spaces in Seattle. (See Transportation Figure A-5.)

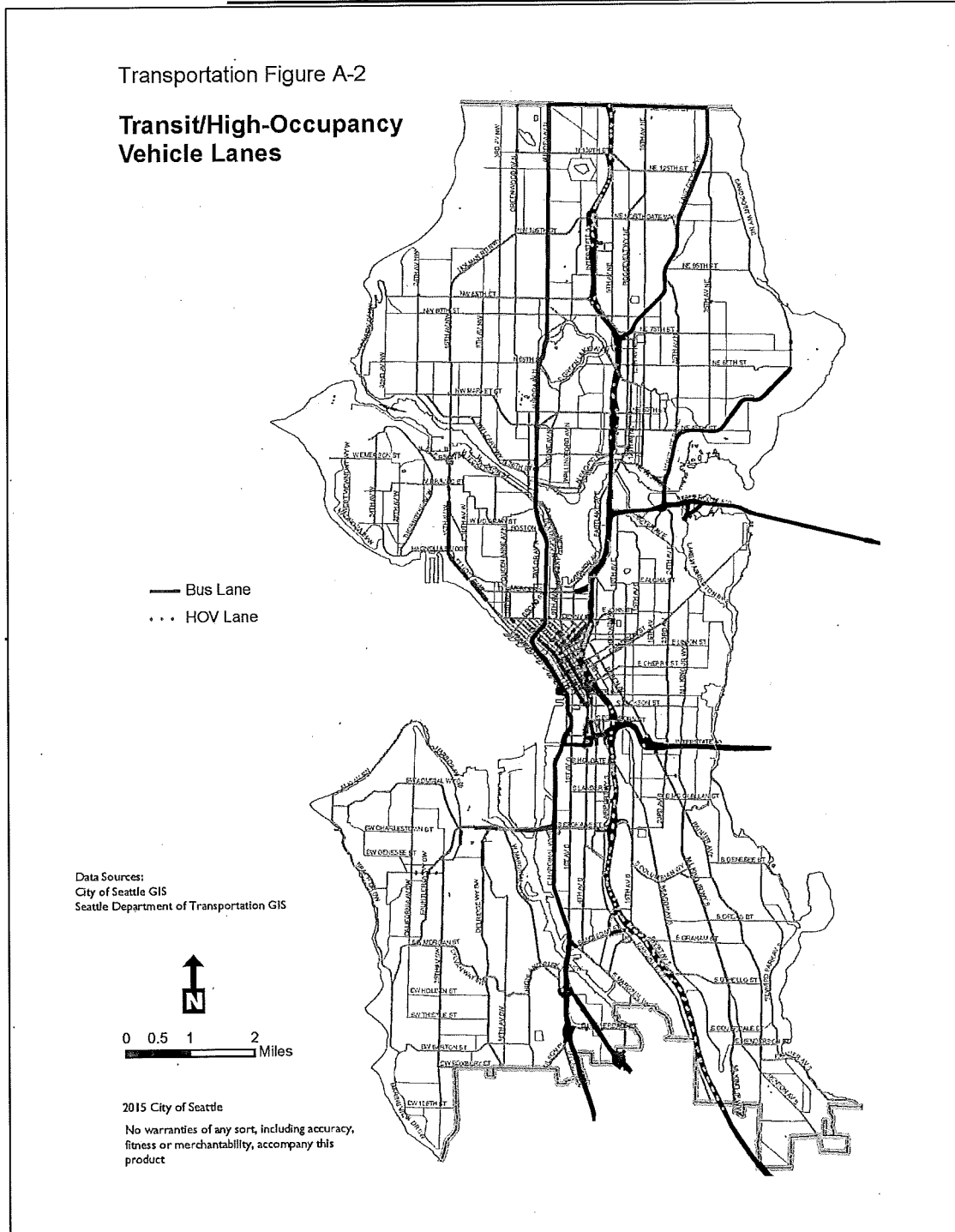
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Arterial Classification

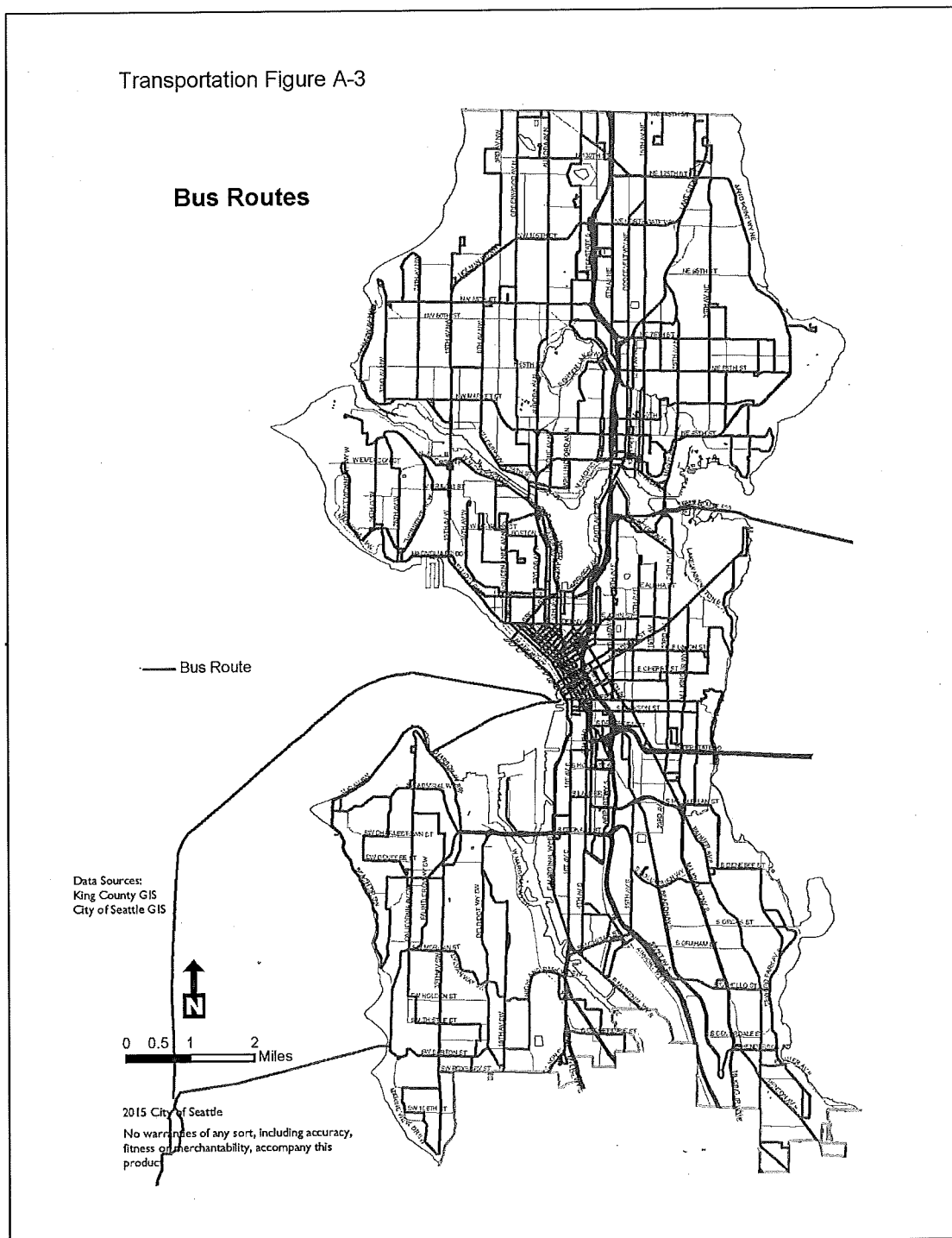
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Transit/High-Occupancy Vehicle Lanes



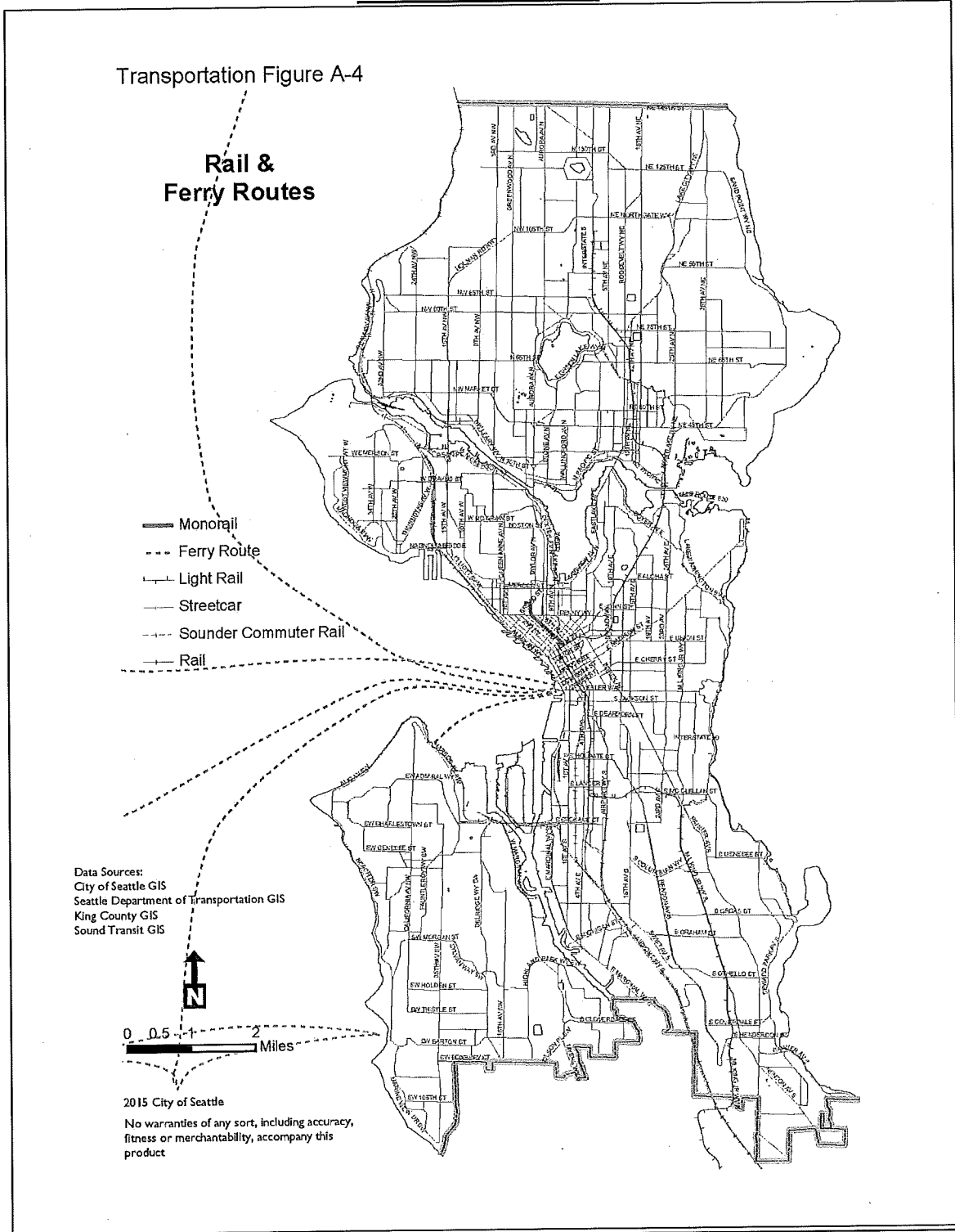
Transportation Figure A-3

Bus Routes



Transportation Figure A-4

Rail & Ferry Routes



**Transportation Figure A-5
 Park & Ride Facilities**

<u>Lot</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Spaces</u>	<u>Amenities/Routes/Notes</u>
<u>N/A</u>	<u>Montlake Station</u>	<u>Montlake Blvd E & SR 520</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>54 Bike Lockers</u> <u>Metro: 25, 43, 48</u>
<u>703</u>	<u>Green Lake Park & Ride</u>	<u>6601 8th Ave NE</u>	<u>411 *</u>	<u>22 Bike Lockers</u> <u>Metro: 48, 64, 66, 67, 76, 242, 316</u> <u>Sound Transit: 542</u> <u>*Lot is usually filled 90 percent or above by 9:00 a.m. on weekdays</u>
<u>505</u>	<u>Lamb of God Lutheran Church</u>	<u>12509 27th Ave NE</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>Metro: 41</u>
<u>706</u>	<u>North Seattle Interim Park & Ride</u>	<u>402 NE 103rd St.</u>	<u>156</u>	<u>Metro: 16, 40, 41, 66, 67, 68, 75, 242, 303, 345, 346, 347, 348, 99 5</u> <u>Sound Transit: 555, 556</u>
<u>758</u>	<u>Northgate Mall Park & Ride Garage</u>	<u>NE 103rd St & 1st Ave NE</u>	<u>280 *</u>	<u>Spaces located on floors 1 and 2</u> <u>Metro: 16, 40, 41, 66, 67, 68, 75, 242, 303, 345, 346, 347, 348, 99 5</u> <u>Sound Transit: 555, 556</u> <u>*Lot is usually filled 90 percent or above by 9:00 a.m. on weekdays</u>
<u>753</u>	<u>Northgate Transit Center</u>	<u>10200 1st Ave NE</u>	<u>296 *</u>	<u>12 Bike Lockers</u> <u>12 On-Demand Bike eLockers</u> <u>Ticket Vending Machines</u> <u>Metro: 16, 40, 41, 66, 67, 68, 75, 242, 303, 345, 346, 347, 348, 99 5</u> <u>Sound Transit: 555, 556</u> <u>Boarding Locations Map</u> <u>*Lot is usually filled 90 percent or above by 9:00 a.m. on weekdays</u>
<u>753. 1 and 753. 2</u>	<u>Northgate Transit Center East Park & Ride</u>	<u>3rd Ave NE & NE 103rd St</u>	<u>448 *</u>	<u>Spaces include 50 for carpool</u> <u>Metro: 16, 40, 41, 66, 67, 68, 75, 242, 303, 345, 346, 347, 348, 99 5</u>

Transportation Figure A-5 Park & Ride Facilities				
<u>Lot</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Spaces</u>	<u>Amenities/Routes/Notes</u>
-	-	-	-	Sound Transit: 555, 556
-	-	-	-	*Lot is usually filled 90 percent or above by 9:00 a.m. on weekdays
<u>710</u>	<u>South Jackson Park Park & Ride</u>	<u>5th Ave NE & NE 133rd St</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>Metro: 242</u>
<u>760</u>	<u>Thornton Place Garage</u>	<u>3rd Ave NE & NE 100th St</u>	<u>350 *</u>	<u>Garage Floors P1 & P2</u>
-	-	-	-	<u>Hours: Monday-Friday 6 a.m. - 8 p.m.</u>
-	-	-	-	<u>Metro: 16, 40, 41, 66, 67, 68, 75, 242, 303, 345, 346, 347, 348, 99</u>
-	-	-	-	<u>5</u>
-	-	-	-	<u>Sound Transit: 555, 556</u>
-	-	-	-	*Lot is usually filled 90 percent or above by 9:00 a.m. on weekdays
<u>749</u>	<u>Airport & Spokane Park & Ride</u>	<u>Airport Way S & S Spokane St</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>Metro: 101, 102, 106, 131, 150, 177, 178, 190</u>
-	-	-	-	<u>Sound Transit: 590, 592, 593, 594, 595</u>
<u>550</u>	<u>Beverly Park First Baptist Church</u>	<u>11659 1st Avenue S</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>Metro: 128, 131</u>
<u>N/A</u>	<u>Columbia City Station</u>	<u>4818 Martin Luther King Jr Way S</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>37 Bike Lockers</u>
-	-	-	-	<u>No Metro or Sound Transit Parking Available</u>
-	-	-	-	<u>Paid Parking Nearby</u>
-	-	-	-	<u>Ticket Vending Machines</u>
-	-	-	-	<u>Sound Transit: Central Link Light Rail</u>
-	-	-	-	<u>Closest Bus Route: Metro: 8</u>
<u>591</u>	<u>Community Bible Fellowship</u>	<u>11227 Renton Avenue S</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>Metro: 106</u>
<u>562</u>	<u>Holy Family Church</u>	<u>9641 20th Avenue SW</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>Metro: 22, 113, 125</u>
-	-	-	-	<u>Sound Transit: 560</u>
<u>738</u>	<u>Olson Place & Myers Way Park & Ride</u>	<u>9000 Olson PI SW</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>Metro: 60, 113</u>
<u>N/A</u>	<u>SODO Station</u>	<u>500 S Lander St</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>16 Bike Lockers</u>

Transportation Figure A-5 Park & Ride Facilities				
Lot	Name	Address	Spaces	Amenities/Routes/Notes
-	-	-	-	Sound Transit: Central Link Light Rail
553	Sonrise Evangelical Free Church	610 SW Roxbury St	10	Metro: 60, 113
744	Southwest Spokane St Park & Ride	3599 26th Avenue SW	55	Metro: 21, 37 Express

Source: King County Metro. "Park and Ride Information." Last modified 2014. <http://metro.kingcounty.gov/tops/parknride/>.

bicycles and pedestrians

Bicycles are classified as "vehicles" in the Seattle Traffic Code and have the right to use all streets in the city except where explicitly prohibited. Bicycling is steadily growing in popularity as an everyday commuting method and as recreational activity. Transportation Figure A-6 illustrates the location of seven categories of bike facilities. There are more than 300 miles of bicycle facilities as of 2013, including 78 miles of bicycle and climbing lanes, 92 miles of shared lane pavement markings, 6 miles of neighborhood greenways, 47 miles of multi-use trails, 128 miles of signed routes, and more than 2 miles of other on- and off-street bicycle facilities. A recently updated Bicycle Master Plan and an Implementation Plan spell out the approach to expanding the network further to increase its connectivity, completeness and safety.

Bicycle racks are provided in neighborhood commercial areas and downtown, and some work places provide secure, weather protected bike parking, showers, and lockers. As of 2010, the City had installed over 2,550 bike racks across the city. Seattle's Land Use Code also requires that many new developments include bike parking where parking is built for cars.

As of 2010, Seattle had more than 2,200 miles of sidewalks, nearly 5,000 crosswalks, almost 27,000 curb ramps, 500 stairways, and 39 lane miles of 12-foot wide trails (see pedestrian facilities mapped in Transportation Figure A-7). Over the past decade, the City has made progress in addressing gaps in sidewalk coverage by pursuing construction of sidewalks or asphalt walkways in numerous locations where they were lacking, within the constraints of budgeted funding. However, there remain several areas around the city, such as residential neighborhoods north of N 85th Street, that lack sidewalks because they were originally developed when sidewalks were not required. The pace of new sidewalk construction in 2009 was approximately 25 block-equivalents.

parking

On-street parking occurs in the public right-of-way and is therefore regulated by the City through the creation of no-parking and special-use parking zones, time-of-day restrictions, parking duration limits, pay stations/meters, and residential parking zones. Over the past decade, the City has modernized its pay stations/meters and continues to do so with innovations such as pay-

by-phone. It also has pursued more active management of on-street parking rates in order to accomplish goals for availability of on-street parking for motorists wishing to park. This improves residents', visitors' and shoppers' ability to reliably find parking when and where they need it.

Residential parking zones (RPZ's) are designed to protect Seattle's residential neighborhoods from parking impacts and congestion from major employment and/or retail centers. In an RPZ, on-street parking is generally restricted to one or two hours, except for residents and guests who display special RPZ decals. Existing RPZ's include the following communities: Montlake, Squire Park, West Seattle-Fauntleroy, Capitol Hill, Wallingford, University District, First Hill, Eastlake, Magnolia, North Queen Anne, North Capitol Hill, Uptown (Seattle Center), Central District (Garfield High School), Belmont/Harvard, Mount Baker (Franklin High School), North Beacon Hill, Licton Springs (North Seattle Community College), Cowen Park/Roosevelt, Ravenna Bryant. The RPZ program is slated for review in 2015, with the objective to review program goals and seek refinements that will respond to current needs and priorities with respect to neighborhoods' on-street parking.

Off-street parking facilities are usually privately-owned and operated. The City regulates the location and size of garages and lots through the Land Use Code. Facilities with paid parking pay a licensing fee.

Carpools receive preferential parking treatment through City programs, allocation of on-street parking spaces, and Land Use Code requirements for carpool parking in new developments.

rail

Passenger Rail: Amtrak operates trains over 900 miles of Burlington Northern tracks in the state and provides service to 16 cities. The Empire Builder provides daily service from Seattle to Spokane and on to Chicago; the Amtrak Cascades runs four times a day to/from Portland, and twice daily to/from Vancouver, B.C. The Coast Starlight runs daily connecting Seattle to Portland, Oakland and on to Los Angeles. Sound Transit operates two Sound train routes on the same tracks to between Seattle/Tacoma-Lakewood and Seattle/Everett.

Freight: Burlington Northern Santa Fe (BNSF) owns and operates a mainline dual-track from Portland to Seattle. Union Pacific owns and operates a single mainline track with two-way train operations between Tacoma and Seattle. BNSF owns and operates tracks that extend north from downtown Seattle to Snohomish County and then east to Spokane.

There are four **intermodal terminals** servicing the Duwamish Industrial area: BNSF Railway operates the Seattle International Gateway yard north of S. Hanford Street. Union Pacific Railroad operates the Seattle Argo Yard just south of Spokane St off of Diagonal/Denver Avenues. Port of Seattle terminals include intermodal facilities at Terminals 5 and 18. BNSF's Interbay rail yard is north of downtown Seattle.

Rail-line capacity depends on train length, operating speeds, the number of switch crossover points, and whether the line has one- or two-way traffic. Current train speed limits in the City are 10, 20, or 40 mph depending on the segment.

other intermodal facilities

The Port of Seattle owns, operates or supports marine, rail, and air intermodal facilities. Port of Seattle facilities include nine commercial marine terminals, four ocean container terminals with 31 container cranes, and a deep-draft grain terminal. Steamship operators have direct service to Asia, Europe, Latin American and domestic markets (Alaska and Hawaii.) Services are offered by 17 ocean carriers; about 30 tug and barge operators; and BNSF Railway and Union Pacific railroads, operating intermodal yards. Transportation Figure A-8 shows Port of Seattle facilities located in Seattle.

air transportation

There are five commercial aircraft landing facilities in the greater Seattle metropolitan area: Seattle-Tacoma International Airport (Sea-Tac), operated by the Port of Seattle and located in the City of SeaTac; King County International Airport; the Kenmore Air Harbor and Seattle Seaplanes facilities based in Seattle's Lake Union; and the Lake Washington seaplane base near Kenmore. Transportation Figure A-9 shows air facilities in the City of Seattle.

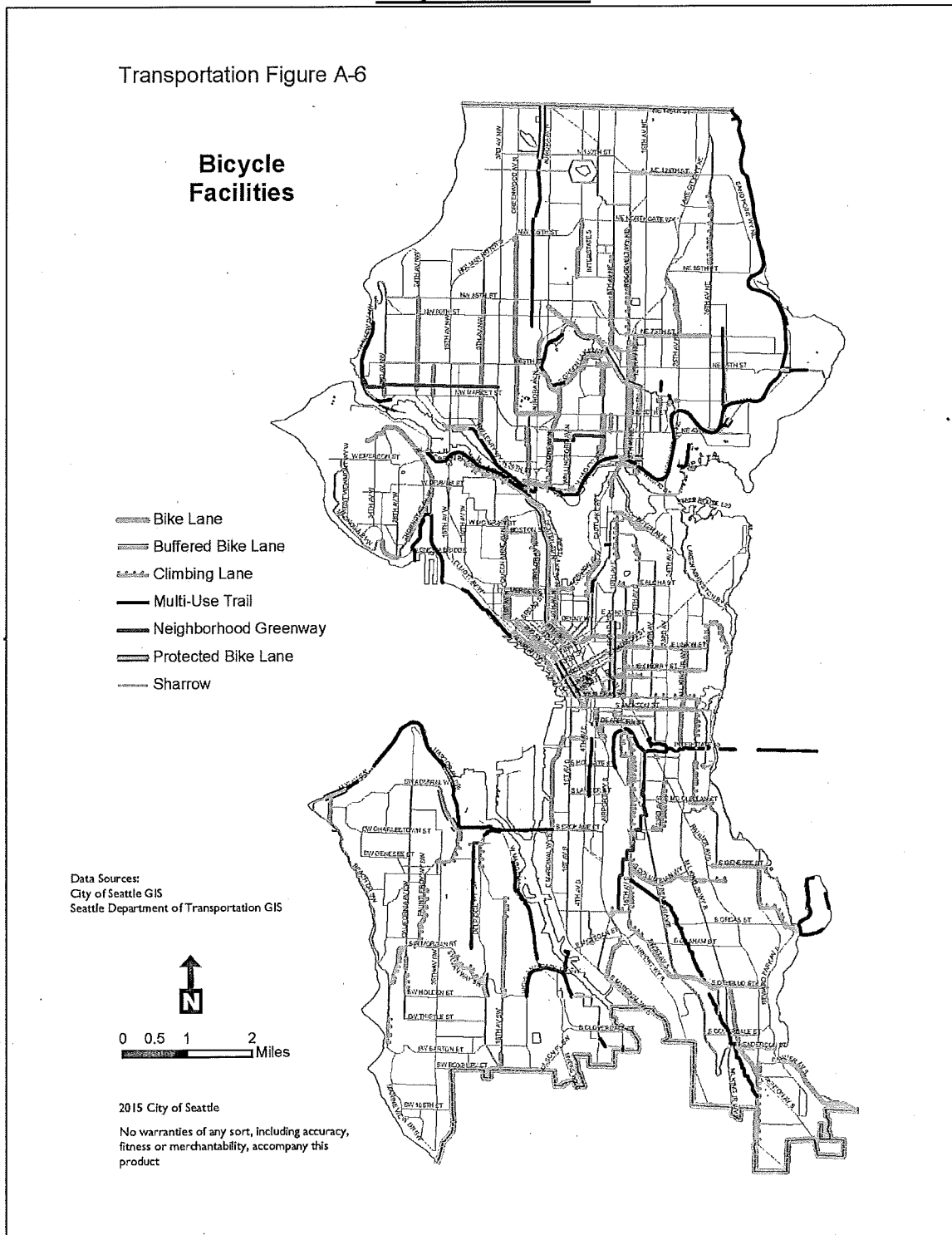
water transportation

The Washington State Ferry (WSF) system operates two terminals in Seattle - Colman Dock in downtown Seattle, and the Fauntleroy terminal in West Seattle. Passenger-and-vehicle service is provided on two ferry routes from Colman Dock - to Bainbridge Island and to Bremerton. Passenger-and-vehicle ferries link Fauntleroy with Vashon Island and Southworth. King County operates a Water Taxi service in Elliott Bay connecting to West Seattle.

In 2015, the cruise ship terminals at Bell Street Cruise Terminal at Pier 66 and Smith Cove Cruise Terminal at Terminal 91 will serve seven major cruise lines including Carnival, Celebrity Cruises, Holland America Line, Norwegian Cruise Line, Princess Cruises, Oceania Cruises and Royal Caribbean. Each ship call brings in \$2.4 million to the local economy. Overall, the Seattle cruise industry generates 3,404 jobs and \$407.8 million in annual business revenue.

Transportation Figure A-6

Bicycle Facilities



Transportation Figure A-7

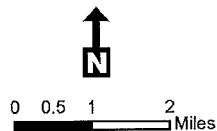
Pedestrian Facilities

Transportation Figure A-7

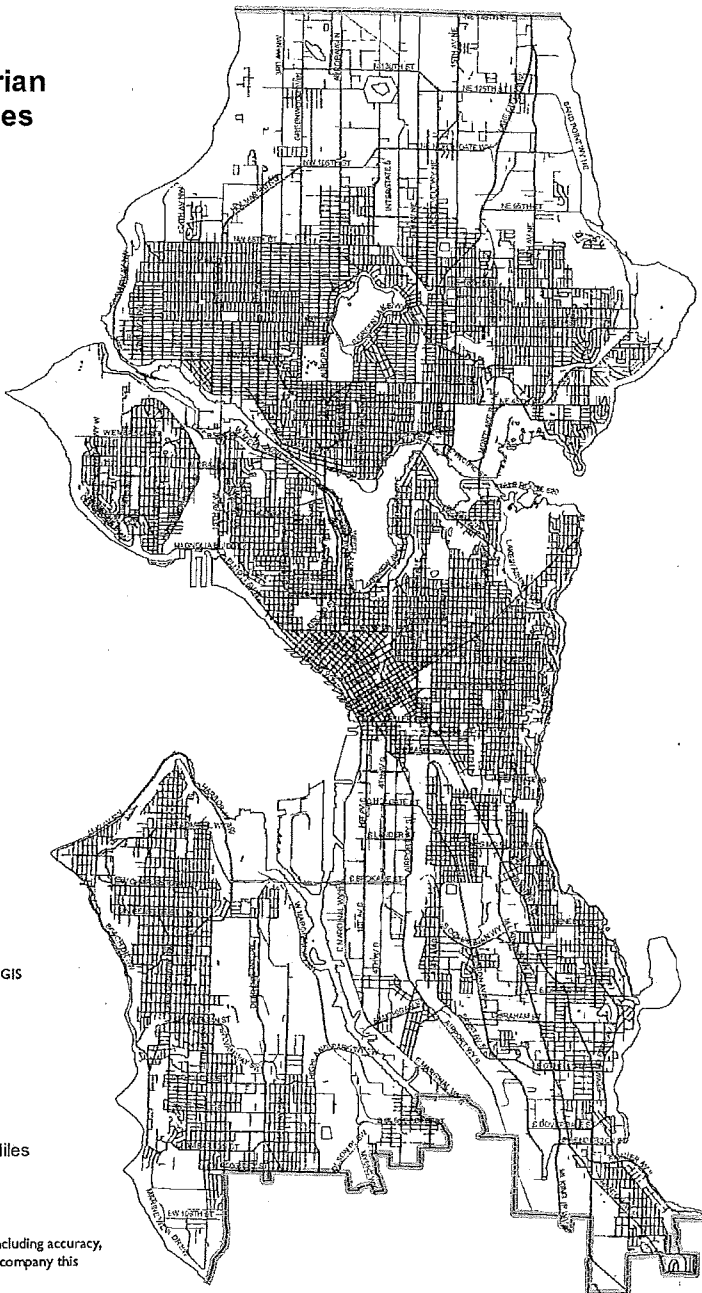
Pedestrian Facilities

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Data Sources:
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Seattle Department of Transportation GIS

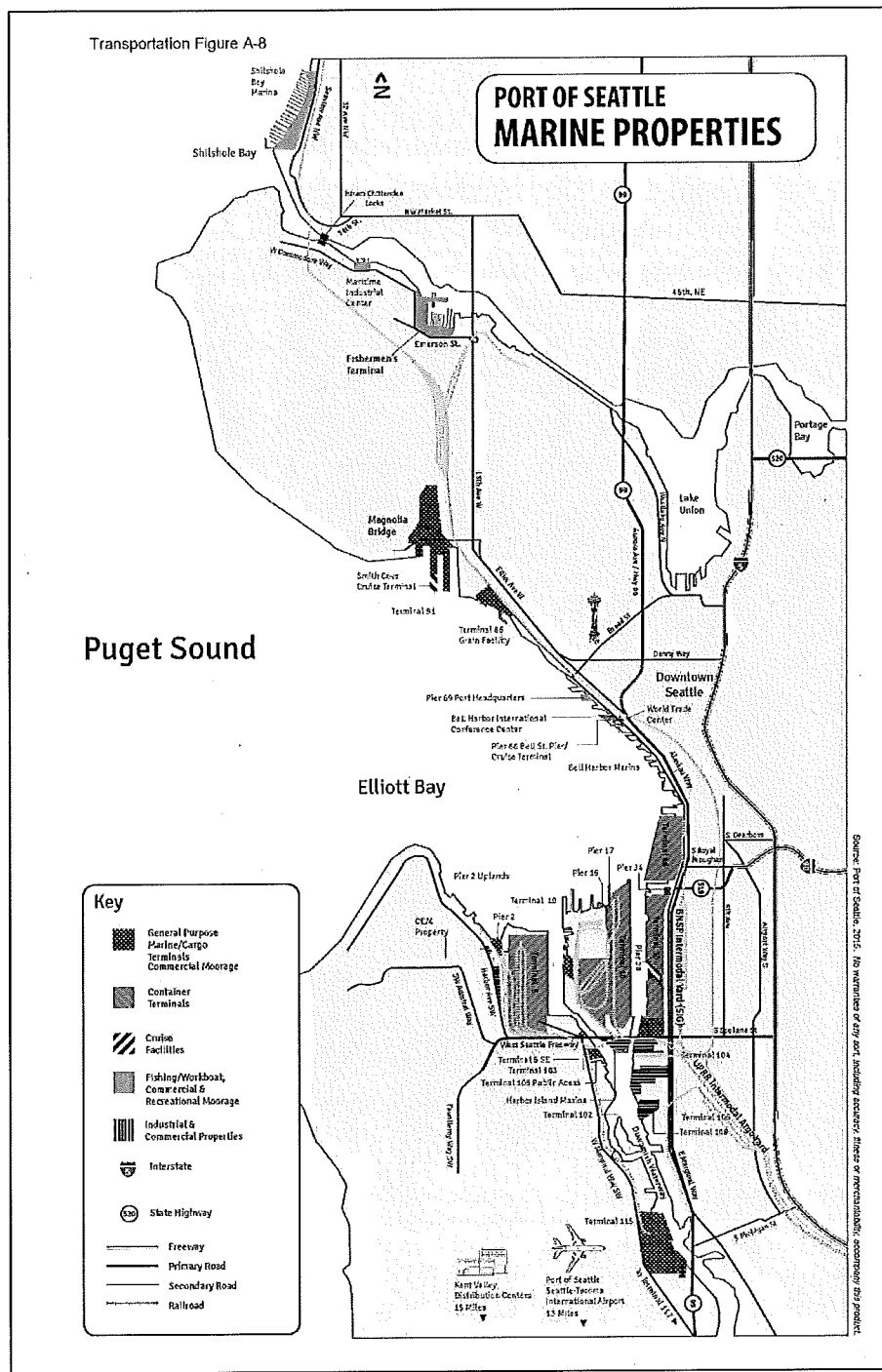


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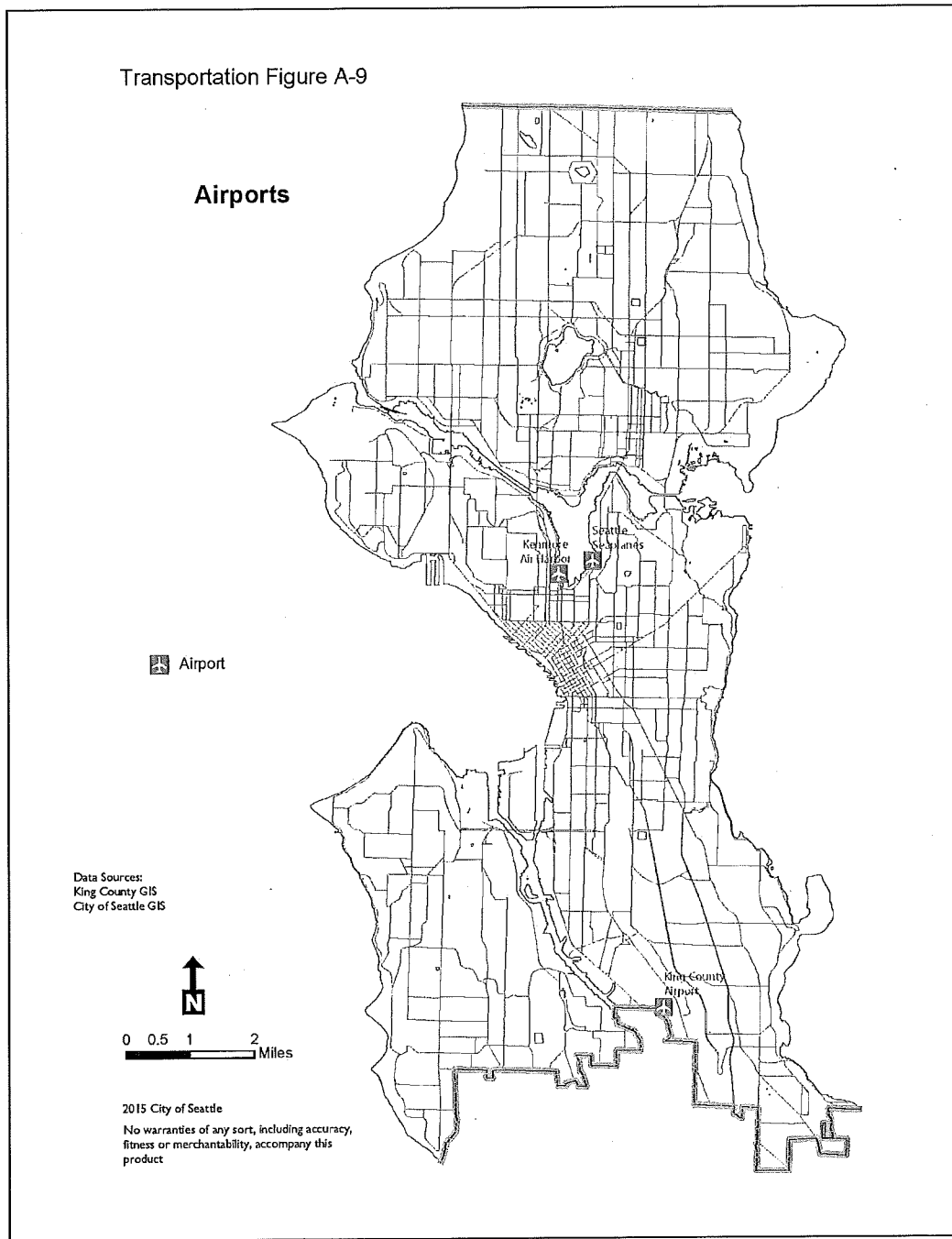
Transportation Figure A-8

Port of Seattle Facilities



Transportation Figure A-9

Airports



C Local Level of Service Standards for Arterials and Transit Routes³

³ (RCW 36.70A.070.(6)(A)(iii)(B)), (RCW 36.70A.070.(6)(A)(iii)(C))

traffic forecasts

The v/c ratios in Transportation Figure A-11 are based on a model that reflects the PSRC Regional Transportation model. However, the model also modifies PSRC's model to better represent street conditions such as arterial speeds, future transit routing and service levels, the distribution of trips and choice of transportation modes.

The model's current and 2035 region-wide and city-limit traffic volume estimates are shown in the following table. These inform the Comprehensive Plan's assumed future v/c ratios. The methodology used is that traffic volumes are modeled for arterial streets for the year 2035 and compared to current conditions as of 2014/2015. The modeled volumes are then totaled for all arterials crossing a particular screenline. These totals are then compared to the sum of the arterials' rated capacities. The arterial capacity ratings were systematically reviewed and updated in 2015 to provide a consistent and accurate basis for comparison. This yields a ratio of volume-to-capacity (v/c) for each direction of traffic for each screenline.

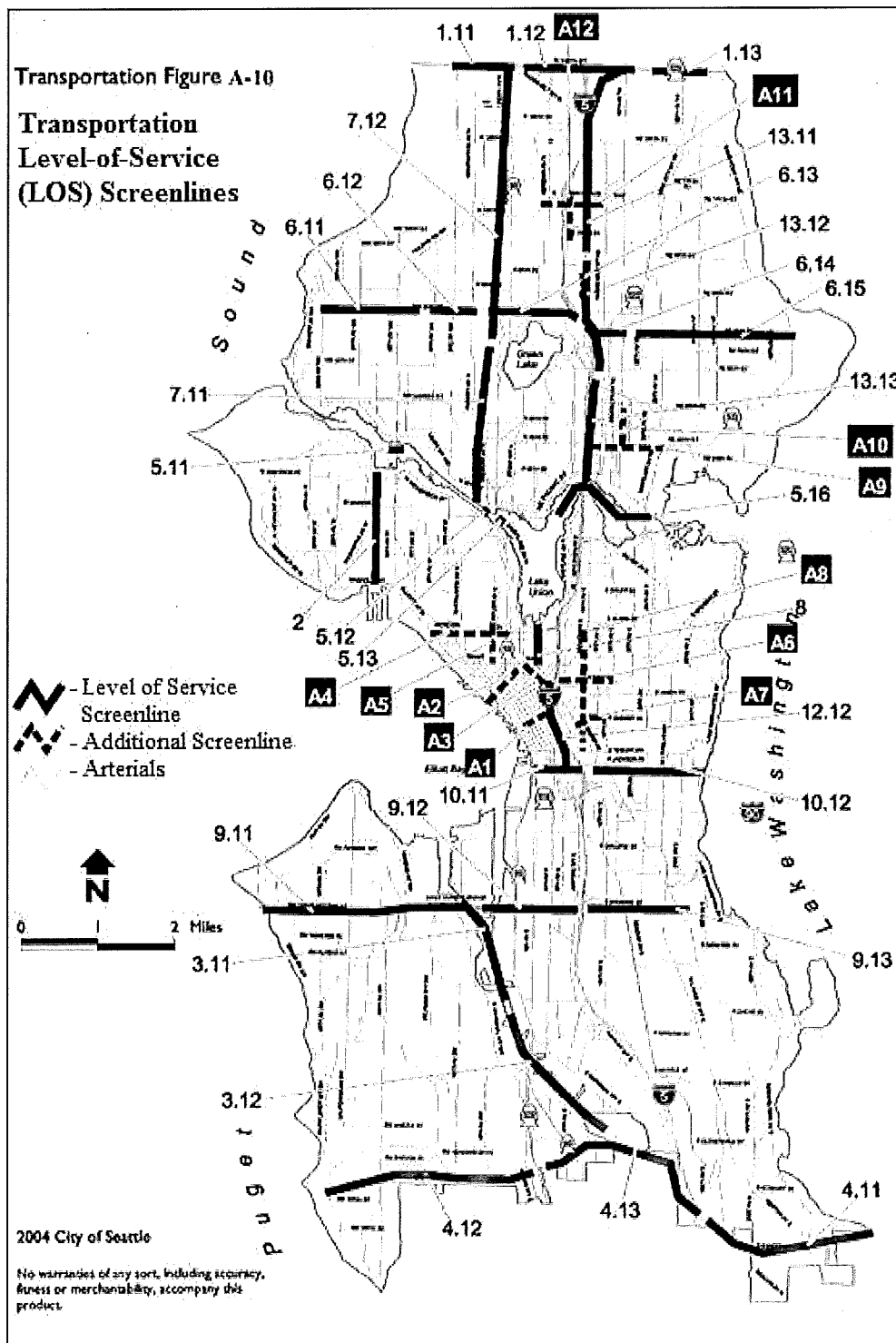
<u>Total vehicle-miles-of-travel (VMT) for the region (per day):</u>	
<u>Existing:</u>	<u>81.1 million</u>
<u>2035 forecasts:</u>	<u>105.3 million (+30%)</u>
<u>Traffic volume at north city limit (vehicles per day):</u>	
<u>Existing</u>	<u>360,800</u>
<u>2035 forecasts:</u>	<u>464,900 (+29%)</u>
<u>Traffic volume at south city limit (vehicles per day):</u>	
<u>Existing</u>	<u>503,600</u>
<u>2035 forecasts:</u>	<u>637,500 (+27%)</u>
<u>Traffic volume at east city limit (SR 520 and I-90) (vehicles per day):</u>	
<u>Existing</u>	<u>213,000</u>
<u>2035 forecasts:</u>	<u>269,500 (+27%)</u>

Transportation Figure A-10 is a map illustrating the location of 42 screenlines. Thirty of these screenlines are part of the City's evaluative system for level of service (LOS) performance and correspond to the screenlines in Transportation Figure A-11. Twelve other screenlines (labeled as A1 - A12 on Transportation Figure A-10) focus geographically on Seattle's urban centers.

A screenline methodology is favored because it addresses the broader geographic impacts of development and travel patterns. The methodology recognizes that no single intersection or arterial operates in isolation. Motorists have choices, and they select particular routes based on a wide variety of factors such as avoiding blocking conditions, and minimizing travel times. Accordingly, this analytic methodology focuses on a "traffic-shed" where the screenlines measure groups of arterials among which drivers logically can choose to travel.

Transportation Figure A-10

Transportation Level-of-Service (LOS) Screenlines



Transportation Figure A-11 lists for each screenline the current conditions and modeled traffic results for the evening peak hour in year 2035, in comparison to the LOS standard for each

screenline. The standards are expressed as vehicle-to-capacity (v/c) ratios of 1.0 or 1.20, which indicates a level of use equivalent to 100 percent or 120 percent of rated roadway capacity, measured during peak commute times.

With the anticipated implementation of the Comprehensive Plan, the future transportation and circulation conditions in the 2035 evening peak hour at all of the screenlines will not exceed the City's adopted LOS standards for peak hour congestion.

This Plan includes policies to improve transit service and related transit capital facilities, as well as to improve non-motorized transportation facilities, to provide ways for people to avoid the traffic congestion inherent in dense urban centers and urban village areas.

These results are evaluated in more detail below.

- The forecasted screenline v/c ratios for the year 2035 evening peak hour range from 0.38 to 1.19.
- Future peak hour traffic conditions will continue to reflect patterns similar to today, with the heaviest congestion at bridge locations including the Ballard Bridge (v/c = 1.19 northbound), the West Seattle Freeway and Spokane St. bridges (collectively a v/c = 1.15 westbound), the University and Montlake Bridges (collectively a v/c = 0.96 northbound and 1.06 southbound), and the Aurora Bridge (v/c = 0.94 northbound and 0.82 southbound).
- Congestion is also projected to increase in other locations as well. This is due to growth or, in some cases, related to future planned road improvements addressing automobiles and bicycles. With respect to the latter factor, this analysis makes conservative assumptions about potential loss of automobile travel lanes. As part of future projects such as bicycle-serving "cycle tracks," a determination would be made contemporaneous with that project whether and how automobile travel lanes would be diminished. This caveat applies to all references below to future bicycle projects.
- Volumes on Aurora Ave N, Lake City Way N, Greenwood Ave N, and 3rd Ave NW near the north city limits will continue to be heavy during evening commutes, and will contribute to conditions that approach or slightly exceed the rated capacity level by 2035. (Screenlines 1.11, 1.13).
- Volumes on MLK Jr. Way S., Rainier Ave S., and Renton Ave S. near the south city limits will continue to grow, and will contribute to greater use of capacity in the southbound peak direction, approaching the rated capacity level by 2035. (Screenline 4.11).
- Southbound volumes toward southeast Seattle measured at S. Jackson St. and at S. Spokane St will contribute to conditions that reach a v/c ratio of approximately 0.90, or using about 90 percent of rated capacity by 2035. This partly reflects the potential for changes in capacity related to future possible bicycle improvements (Screenlines 9.13 and 10.12). See above caveat about future bicycle improvements.

Transportation Figure A-11

Level of Service:

Screenline Volume-to-Capacity (V/C) Ratios

<u>LOS Screen line #</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Span of Streets</u>	<u>LOS Standard</u>	<u>2013 PM Peak</u>		<u>2035 PM Peak</u>	
				<u>Dir.</u>	<u>V/C Ratios</u>	<u>Dir.</u>	<u>V/C Ratios</u>
<u>1.11</u>	<u>North City Limit</u>	<u>3rd Ave NW to Aurora Ave N</u>	<u>1.20</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.70</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>1.03</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.57</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.80</u>
<u>1.12</u>	<u>North City Limit</u>	<u>Meridian Ave N to 15th Ave NE</u>	<u>1.20</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.41</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.76</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.32</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.61</u>
<u>1.13</u>	<u>North City Limit</u>	<u>30th Ave NE to Lake City Way NE</u>	<u>1.20</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.73</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.96</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.63</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.83</u>
<u>2</u>	<u>Magnolia</u>	<u>Magnolia Bridge to W. Emerson Place</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.53</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.56</u>
				<u>WB</u>	<u>0.55</u>	<u>WB</u>	<u>0.56</u>
<u>3.11</u>	<u>Duamish River</u>	<u>West Seattle Freeway and S. Spokane St</u>	<u>1.20</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.61</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.69</u>
				<u>WB</u>	<u>0.87</u>	<u>WB</u>	<u>1.15</u>
<u>3.12</u>	<u>Duamish River</u>	<u>1st Ave S and 16th Ave S</u>	<u>1.20</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.35</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.38</u>
				<u>WB</u>	<u>0.52</u>	<u>WB</u>	<u>0.55</u>
<u>4.11</u>	<u>South City Limit</u>	<u>M L King Jr Way to Rainier Ave S</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.47</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.57</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.63</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.98</u>
<u>4.12</u>	<u>South City Limit</u>	<u>Marine View Drive SW to Myers Way S</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.37</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.56</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.42</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.72</u>
<u>4.13</u>	<u>South City Limit</u>	<u>SR 99 to Airport Way S</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.41</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.58</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.45</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.73</u>
<u>5.11</u>	<u>Ship Canal</u>	<u>Ballard Bridge</u>	<u>1.20</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.99</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>1.19</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.52</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.72</u>
<u>5.12</u>	<u>Ship Canal</u>	<u>Fremont Bridge</u>	<u>1.20</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.71</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.79</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.54</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.71</u>
<u>5.13</u>	<u>Ship Canal</u>	<u>Aurora Ave N Bridge</u>	<u>1.20</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.81</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.94</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.62</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.82</u>
<u>5.16</u>	<u>Ship Canal</u>	<u>University and Montlake Bridges</u>	<u>1.20</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.80</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.96</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.87</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>1.06</u>
<u>6.11</u>	<u>South of NW 80th St</u>	<u>Seaview Ave NW to 15th Ave NW</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.45</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.52</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.43</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.49</u>

<u>LOS Screen line #</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Span of Streets</u>	<u>LOS Standard</u>	<u>2013 PM Peak</u>		<u>2035 PM Peak</u>	
				<u>Dir.</u>	<u>V/C Ratios</u>	<u>Dir.</u>	<u>V/C Ratios</u>
<u>6.12</u>	<u>South of NW 80th St</u>	<u>8th Ave NW to Greenwood Ave N</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.66</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.87</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.49</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.77</u>
<u>6.13</u>	<u>South of NE 80th St</u>	<u>Linden Ave N to 1st Ave NE</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.44</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.55</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.27</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.41</u>
<u>6.14</u>	<u>South of NE 80th St</u>	<u>5th Ave NE to 15th Ave NE</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.65</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.76</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.53</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.67</u>
<u>6.15</u>	<u>South of NE 80th St</u>	<u>20th Ave NE to Sand Point Way NE</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.49</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.64</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.47</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.58</u>
<u>7.11</u>	<u>West of Aurora Ave N</u>	<u>Fremont Pl N to N 65th St</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.48</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.55</u>
				<u>WB</u>	<u>0.58</u>	<u>WB</u>	<u>0.66</u>
<u>7.12</u>	<u>West of Aurora Ave N</u>	<u>N 80th St to N 145th St</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.50</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.56</u>
				<u>WB</u>	<u>0.57</u>	<u>WB</u>	<u>0.66</u>
<u>8</u>	<u>South of Lake Union</u>	<u>Valley Street to Denny Way</u>	<u>1.20</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.78</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.92</u>
				<u>WB</u>	<u>0.78</u>	<u>WB</u>	<u>0.83</u>
<u>9.11</u>	<u>South of Spokane St</u>	<u>Beach Dr SW to W Marginal Way SW</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.51</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.59</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.58</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.71</u>
<u>9.12</u>	<u>South of Spokane St</u>	<u>E Marginal Way S to Airport Way S</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.47</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.60</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.52</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.71</u>
<u>9.13</u>	<u>South of Spokane St</u>	<u>15th Ave S to Rainier Ave S</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.45</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.67</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.58</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.89</u>
<u>10.11</u>	<u>South of S Jackson St</u>	<u>Alaskan Way S to 4th Ave S</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.56</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.64</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.65</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.84</u>
<u>10.12</u>	<u>South of S Jackson St</u>	<u>12th Ave S to Lakeside Ave S</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.48</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.74</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.58</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.91</u>
<u>12.12</u>	<u>East of CBD</u>	<u>S Jackson St to Howell St</u>	<u>1.20</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.35</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.39</u>
				<u>WB</u>	<u>0.45</u>	<u>WB</u>	<u>0.52</u>
<u>13.11</u>	<u>East of I-5</u>	<u>NE Northgate Way to NE 145th St</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.71</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.84</u>
				<u>WB</u>	<u>0.59</u>	<u>WB</u>	<u>0.78</u>
<u>13.12</u>	<u>East of I-5</u>	<u>NE 65th St to NE 80th St</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.44</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.50</u>
				<u>WB</u>	<u>0.41</u>	<u>WB</u>	<u>0.53</u>

<u>LOS Screen line #</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Span of Streets</u>	<u>LOS Standard</u>	<u>2013 PM Peak</u>		<u>2035 PM Peak</u>	
				<u>Dir.</u>	<u>V/C Ratios</u>	<u>Dir.</u>	<u>V/C Ratios</u>
<u>13.13</u>	<u>East of I-5</u>	<u>NE Pacific St to NE Ravenna Blvd</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.55</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.62</u>
				<u>WB</u>	<u>0.54</u>	<u>WB</u>	<u>0.67</u>
<u>A1</u>	<u>North of Seneca St</u>	<u>1st Ave to 6th Ave</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.55</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.67</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.40</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.59</u>
<u>A2</u>	<u>North of Blanchard</u>	<u>Elliott Ave to Westlake Ave</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.43</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.55</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.36</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.52</u>
<u>A3</u>	<u>East of 9th Ave</u>	<u>Lenora St to Pike St</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.36</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.44</u>
				<u>WB</u>	<u>0.32</u>	<u>WB</u>	<u>0.43</u>
<u>A4</u>	<u>South of Mercer St</u>	<u>Elliott Ave W to Aurora Ave N</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.78</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.93</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.51</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.78</u>
<u>A5</u>	<u>East of 5th Ave N</u>	<u>Denny Way to Valley St</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.39</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.55</u>
				<u>WB</u>	<u>0.40</u>	<u>WB</u>	<u>0.48</u>
<u>A6</u>	<u>North of Pine St</u>	<u>Melrose Ave E to 15th Ave E</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.45</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.53</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.50</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.63</u>
<u>A7</u>	<u>North of James St – E Cherry St</u>	<u>Boren Ave to 14th Ave</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.62</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.72</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.57</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.78</u>
<u>A8</u>	<u>West of Broadway</u>	<u>Yesler Way to E Roy St</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.50</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.57</u>
				<u>WB</u>	<u>0.60</u>	<u>WB</u>	<u>0.71</u>
<u>A9</u>	<u>South of NE 45th St</u>	<u>7th Ave NE to Montlake Blvd NE</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.70</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.79</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.70</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.75</u>
<u>A10</u>	<u>East of 15th Ave NE</u>	<u>NE 45th St to NE 52nd St</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.52</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.54</u>
				<u>WB</u>	<u>0.46</u>	<u>WB</u>	<u>0.53</u>
<u>A11</u>	<u>South of Northgate Way (N/NE 110th St)</u>	<u>N Northgate Way to Roosevelt Way NE</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.50</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>0.66</u>
				<u>SB</u>	<u>0.49</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>0.61</u>
<u>A12</u>	<u>East of 1st Ave NE</u>	<u>NE 100th St to NE Northgate Way</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.48</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>0.61</u>
				<u>WB</u>	<u>0.62</u>	<u>WB</u>	<u>0.88</u>

Results for areas around Seattle's six urban centers are summarized as follows.

Downtown: Screenlines 10.11, 12.12, A1, A2, and A3 pass through or along the edge of the Downtown Urban Center, some encompassing north-south avenues, and some encompassing east-west streets. Higher v/c ratios reflect higher future volumes on most avenues and streets, and increased congestion. However, for all five of these screenlines, the future v/c ratios will remain below 1.0 in 2035 with Comprehensive Plan implementation and thus meet LOS standards.

Uptown: For the Uptown Urban Center, screenline A4 is an east-west screenline south of Mercer St extending as far west as Elliott Ave W and east to include Aurora Ave N, while screenline A5 is drawn north-south between 5th Ave N. and Taylor Ave N. The predicted increase in congestion, reaching above a v/c ratio of 0.90 for northbound traffic, relates to major traffic volumes on Elliott Ave W, Aurora Ave N. It also relates to a possible reduction in capacity on 5th Ave N if bicycle improvements reduce lanes for motorized vehicle travel. Measures of east-west travel congestion will worsen but remain well below a 1.0 v/c ratio; improvements enabling a two-way Mercer Street add capacity in the westbound direction.

South Lake Union: For the South Lake Union Urban Center, Screenline 8 is drawn north-south at Fairview Ave N. Volumes will continue to increase, and road improvements will continue to occur for a number of years into this planning period. The v/c ratios for both directions along this screenline will decline by 2035, with higher evening congestion levels in the eastbound direction reflected by a v/c ratio of 0.93. However, the ratio will remain below the 1.20 LOS standard for this screenline.

First Hill/Capitol Hill: Screenlines A6, A7, and A8 are drawn through the First Hill/Capitol Hill Urban Center. Screenline 12.12 is on the west edge of the First Hill/Capitol Hill Urban Center adjacent to Downtown. For all four of these screenlines, the year 2035 v/c ratios under the Comprehensive Plan will remain well below the 1.20 LOS standard that applies to Screenline 12.12. Although the findings for Screenline A7 and A8 illustrate a somewhat elevated congestion level in all directions in the area between Boren Ave and 14th Ave by 2035, near James Street, and for travel east-west across Broadway, these areas are currently often congested at peak hours.

University District: For the University District Urban Center, screenlines 5.16 and 13.13 cover the south and west boundaries of the Urban Center, while screenline A9 passes east-west through the Center and screenline A10 is drawn north-south through the Center. Higher v/c ratios suggest higher volumes and a degree of increased congestion by 2035. However, the year 2035 v/c ratios will be below 1.0 for all four of these screenlines in the peak commuting directions. At the University and Montlake Bridges, evening peak hour volumes will continue to be high, and the southbound volumes on the University Bridge are projected to exceed the northbound volumes. This may reflect the diverse range of destinations of University employees and students. Given the pass-through nature of many evening commuters, the projected volumes for Roosevelt Way NE and Montlake Blvd. NE would continue to be high and grow slightly by 2035.

Northgate: For the Northgate Urban Center, screenline A11 is drawn east-west just south of Northgate Way, while screenline A12 passes north-south just east of 1st Ave NE. Screenline 13.11 also measures east-west traffic crossing 5th Ave NE. The year 2035 v/c ratios for these three screenlines will worsen but remain below 1.0. The measures of east-west traffic both indicate increasing congestion that will reach v/c ratio levels of approximately 0.8 to 0.9, meaning much of the available capacity will be used by 2035. The analysis also shows relatively high volumes west of I-5, for westbound Northgate Way and for both directions of Meridian Ave N.

State highway level
of service standards

There are two different types of State highways with segments in Seattle with two different Level of Service standards. The larger facilities are "Highways of Statewide Significance" (HSS). These are I-5, I-90, SR 99, SR 509, SR 519, SR 520, and SR 522. Highways of Statewide Significance include, at a minimum, interstate highways and other principal arterials needed to connect major communities in the state.

For all the HSS, the State defines a level of service standard of "D." RCW 36.70A.070(6)(a)(iii)(C) provides that local jurisdictions' Comprehensive Plans should indicate LOS for state-owned facilities, but specifies that local concurrency requirements do not apply to the HSS routes. Including LOS standards for HSS is a communication and coordination tool in local plans, so that the State of Washington has a current understanding of performance on their facilities. Accordingly, the State legislation that designates HSS also directs the State Transportation Commission to give higher priority for correcting identified deficiencies on highways of statewide significance.

Non-HSS facilities (also called "Highways of Regional Significance") in Seattle are SR 513, SR 523, and SR 99 (only those portions south of S Holden St). These highways are monitored by the Puget Sound Regional Council for regional planning purposes. For these highways the Level of Service standard is "E/mitigated."

state-funded highway improvements
and local improvements to State highways

The City of Seattle will continue to coordinate with the Washington State Department of Transportation (WSDOT) for consistency in plans and projects. Transportation Figure A-12 shows the known anticipated major projects for the metropolitan area that will address State highways and facilities including ferries, and an indication of project status as applicable today and/or into the future until 2035.

These are the primary projects in the city and broader metropolitan area that will affect the functioning of portions of the State highway system within the City's boundaries. Planned local system improvements are diverse; these are addressed as presented in the City's functional plans, including but not limited to the Transit Master Plan, Pedestrian Master Plan, Bicycle Master Plan, and the successor document to the Transportation Strategic Plan.

Transportation Figure A-12 State Highway Project List		
Project	2015	2035
SR 99 tunnel (with tolls)	-	X
SR 520 HOV lanes to Montlake	X	X
Second Montlake Bascule Bridge	-	-
SR 520 Tolling	X	X
I-90 HOV lanes	X	X
I-405 Widening (SR 167 to SR 527)	-	X
Passenger-only Ferries (Kingston, Southworth, Juanita)	-	-
Montlake Blvd NE HOV Lane and ITS Improvements	-	X

D Estimated Traffic Impacts to State-Owned Transportation Facilities

Transportation Figure A-13 includes, for State highways, the latest existing conditions information and future modeled conditions for 2035. This data is organized by “average annual daily traffic” (AADT), “average weekday daily traffic” (AWDT), and a calculation of the modeled increase in AWDT for each highway segment expressed as a percentage.

AWDT is emphasized here as an analytical tool because it is the most representative of the peak commuting periods when volumes and congestion are highest. Existing conditions are based on available information from WSDOT, with factoring to estimate AADT in certain locations. By contrast, the modeled future conditions forecasts AWDT. These raw model volume results for 2035 were further analyzed by using the “difference method.”⁴

Forecasts are for particular components of State facilities including HOV lanes, express lanes and collector-distributor lane volumes. Note the explanation on page 29 of the different LOS for state highways designated as “HSS” and those designated as Highways of Regional Significance.

⁴ The findings are consistent with findings of the “Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Seattle Comprehensive Plan Update” (May 2015) and were made using a consistent methodological approach.

Transportation Figure A-13

State Highway Traffic Volumes – 2013 – 2035

<u>State Highway</u>	<u>Location (Roads here are cross-streets that show approx. endpoints of State Hwy. segments)</u>	<u>Direction</u>	<u>2013 Avg. Annual Daily (AADT) Volume</u>	<u>2013 Avg. Weekday Daily (AWDT) Volume</u>	<u>2035 Avg. Annual Daily (AADT) Volume</u>	<u>2035 Avg. Weekday Daily (AWDT) Volume</u>	<u>% Change In AWDT From 2013 To 2035</u>
<u>I-5</u>	<u>Boeing Access Rd. - Swift Ave. S</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>95,900</u>	<u>100,300</u>	<u>115,000</u>	<u>120,200</u>	<u>20%</u>
		<u>SB</u>	<u>104,500</u>	<u>109,200</u>	<u>120,700</u>	<u>126,300</u>	<u>16%</u>
<u>I-5</u>	<u>Corson - Columbia Way S/West Seattle Bridge</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>103,800</u>	<u>108,600</u>	<u>119,400</u>	<u>124,800</u>	<u>15%</u>
		<u>SB</u>	<u>121,500</u>	<u>127,100</u>	<u>135,300</u>	<u>141,500</u>	<u>11%</u>
<u>I-5</u>	<u>I-90 – James St.</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>133,200</u>	<u>139,300</u>	<u>162,600</u>	<u>170,100</u>	<u>22%</u>
		<u>SB</u>	<u>146,900</u>	<u>153,600</u>	<u>164,900</u>	<u>172,400</u>	<u>12%</u>
<u>I-5</u>	<u>Lakeview Blvd. E - SR 520</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>123,700</u>	<u>139,800</u>	<u>142,200</u>	<u>160,700</u>	<u>15%</u>
		<u>SB</u>	<u>114,200</u>	<u>129,000</u>	<u>132,100</u>	<u>149,300</u>	<u>16%</u>
<u>I-5</u>	<u>SR 520 - NE 50th St.</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>133,400</u>	<u>135,900</u>	<u>156,100</u>	<u>158,900</u>	<u>17%</u>
		<u>SB</u>	<u>121,900</u>	<u>124,100</u>	<u>138,000</u>	<u>140,500</u>	<u>13%</u>
<u>I-5</u>	<u>NE 65th St. - SR 522</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>117,700</u>	<u>119,900</u>	<u>137,900</u>	<u>140,400</u>	<u>17%</u>
		<u>SB</u>	<u>119,000</u>	<u>121,200</u>	<u>135,500</u>	<u>138,000</u>	<u>14%</u>
<u>I-5</u>	<u>NE 130th St. - NE 145th St.</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>98,000</u>	<u>99,800</u>	<u>114,300</u>	<u>116,300</u>	<u>17%</u>
		<u>SB</u>	<u>98,700</u>	<u>100,400</u>	<u>116,200</u>	<u>118,300</u>	<u>18%</u>
<u>I-90</u>	<u>Rainier Ave. S - Lake Washington (mainline)</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>65,000</u>	<u>70,300</u>	<u>82,600</u>	<u>89,200</u>	<u>27%</u>
		<u>WB</u>	<u>68,100</u>	<u>72,500</u>	<u>89,700</u>	<u>95,600</u>	<u>32%</u>
<u>SR</u>	<u>14th Ave. S -</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>16,300</u>	<u>19,200</u>	<u>21,100</u>	<u>24,800</u>	<u>29%</u>

<u>99</u>	<u>S Cloverdale St.*</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>13,700</u>	<u>16,200</u>	<u>15,700</u>	<u>18,500</u>	<u>14%</u>
<u>SR</u> <u>99</u>	<u>W Marginal Way S- S</u> <u>Michigan St.</u> <u>(1st Ave. S Br.)</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>44,000</u>	<u>48,500</u>	<u>56,700</u>	<u>62,500</u>	<u>29%</u>
		<u>SB</u>	<u>42,000</u>	<u>46,300</u>	<u>54,100</u>	<u>59,700</u>	<u>29%</u>
<u>SR</u> <u>99</u>	<u>E Marginal Way - West</u> <u>Seattle Bridge</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>21,300</u>	<u>23,500</u>	<u>30,100</u>	<u>33,200</u>	<u>41%</u>
		<u>SB</u>	<u>17,700</u>	<u>19,500</u>	<u>25,500</u>	<u>28,100</u>	<u>44%</u>
<u>SR</u> <u>99</u>	<u>1st Ave. S Ramps</u> <u>- Seneca/Spring</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>33,900</u>	<u>37,400</u>	<u>31,100</u>	<u>34,300</u>	<u>-8%</u>
		<u>SB</u>	<u>36,100</u>	<u>39,800</u>	<u>29,300</u>	<u>32,300</u>	<u>-19%</u>
<u>SR</u> <u>99</u>	<u>Raye St - Bridge Way N</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>32,900</u>	<u>36,000</u>	<u>42,600</u>	<u>46,500</u>	<u>29%</u>
		<u>SB</u>	<u>36,100</u>	<u>39,500</u>	<u>46,800</u>	<u>51,200</u>	<u>30%</u>
<u>SR</u> <u>99</u>	<u>Winona Ave. N – N</u> <u>80th St.</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>14,700</u>	<u>16,100</u>	<u>18,900</u>	<u>20,600</u>	<u>28%</u>
		<u>SB</u>	<u>17,300</u>	<u>18,900</u>	<u>23,100</u>	<u>25,300</u>	<u>34%</u>
<u>SR</u> <u>99</u>	<u>Roosevelt Way N - N</u> <u>145th St.</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>14,400</u>	<u>15,700</u>	<u>20,700</u>	<u>22,600</u>	<u>44%</u>
		<u>SB</u>	<u>14,600</u>	<u>16,000</u>	<u>21,700</u>	<u>23,800</u>	<u>49%</u>
<u>SR</u> <u>509</u>	<u>S 112th St. -</u> <u>S Cloverdale St.</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>26,500</u>	<u>28,800</u>	<u>36,700</u>	<u>39,900</u>	<u>39%</u>
		<u>SB</u>	<u>26,600</u>	<u>28,900</u>	<u>35,200</u>	<u>38,300</u>	<u>33%</u>
<u>SR 513</u>	<u>SR 520 Ramps - NE Pacific</u> <u>St. (Montlake Bridge)</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>16,600</u>	<u>18,100</u>	<u>20,700</u>	<u>22,600</u>	<u>25%</u>
		<u>SB</u>	<u>19,400</u>	<u>21,300</u>	<u>23,000</u>	<u>25,100</u>	<u>18%</u>
<u>SR 513</u>	<u>Montlake Blvd. NE</u> <u>- Union Bay Pl. NE</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>18,600</u>	<u>20,300</u>	<u>18,600</u>	<u>20,300</u>	<u>0%</u>
		<u>WB</u>	<u>19,400</u>	<u>21,300</u>	<u>19,400</u>	<u>21,300</u>	<u>0%</u>
<u>SR 522</u>	<u>Roosevelt Way NE</u> <u>- 12th Ave. NE</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>12,300</u>	<u>13,500</u>	<u>14,300</u>	<u>15,700</u>	<u>16%</u>
		<u>WB</u>	<u>15,700</u>	<u>17,200</u>	<u>18,100</u>	<u>19,700</u>	<u>15%</u>
<u>SR 522</u>	<u>NE 137th St. - NE 145th St.</u>	<u>NB</u>	<u>15,100</u>	<u>16,500</u>	<u>18,100</u>	<u>19,800</u>	<u>20%</u>

		<u>SB</u>	<u>16,900</u>	<u>18,500</u>	<u>22,800</u>	<u>24,900</u>	<u>35%</u>
<u>SR 523</u>	<u>5th Ave. NE - 15th Ave. NE</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>13,900</u>	<u>15,200</u>	<u>14,300</u>	<u>15,600</u>	<u>3%</u>
		<u>WB</u>	<u>13,100</u>	<u>14,300</u>	<u>14,800</u>	<u>16,200</u>	<u>13%</u>
<u>SR 520</u>	<u>Between I-5 and Montlake Blvd.</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>30,000</u>	<u>33,900</u>	<u>34,700</u>	<u>39,200</u>	<u>16%</u>
		<u>WB</u>	<u>42,600</u>	<u>48,100</u>	<u>48,900</u>	<u>55,200</u>	<u>15%</u>
<u>SR 520</u>	<u>Between Montlake Blvd.- Lake Wash.</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>30,100</u>	<u>33,900</u>	<u>35,600</u>	<u>40,200</u>	<u>19%</u>
		<u>WB</u>	<u>32,100</u>	<u>36,300</u>	<u>39,300</u>	<u>44,500</u>	<u>23%</u>
<u>SR 519</u>	<u>1st Ave. S - 4th Ave. S</u>	<u>EB</u>	<u>14,800</u>	<u>16,100</u>	<u>18,100</u>	<u>19,800</u>	<u>23%</u>
		<u>WB</u>	<u>12,200</u>	<u>13,400</u>	<u>12,200</u>	<u>13,400</u>	<u>0%</u>

Footnote for Transportation Figure A-13:

*SR 99 14th Ave/Cloverdale Street: SR 99 south of Holden Street is a Highway of Regional Significance, with a level of service of "E/Mitigated"

Findings in Transportation Figure A-13 also show impacts on various segments of state highways and are described more specifically as follows:

- **I-5 Downtown and north of Downtown** – Future weekday daily volumes (AWDT) will increase by between 13-18 percent by 2035 in both directions in the four studied segments of I-5 north of Downtown. Daily volumes in the central segment of I-5 through Downtown will increase by 12-22 percent and be the most-used portions of I-5 in Seattle. Future volumes in segments farther from Downtown will also grow but volumes will be comparatively lesser than in the segments nearest Downtown. This is an expected pattern, given the number of motorists that use I-5 and enter or exit from places including the University District, Wallingford, Green Lake, Roosevelt, and other neighborhoods in northwest and northeast Seattle. The added volumes through the day could exacerbate congestion, most notably during peak commuting periods, which could diminish overall freeway efficiency and performance.
- **I-5 south of Downtown** – Future volumes (AWDT) will increase by 15-20 percent northbound and 11-16 percent southbound by 2035 in two studied segments south of Downtown. Approaching Downtown from the south, the segment between I-90 and James Street would experience an approximately 22 percent increase in AWDT, likely due to volume contributions from I-90 and other local sources. The AWDT volumes on I-5 south of Downtown, ranging from approximately 120,000 to 140,000 vehicle trips, would be about 25 percent lower than for the segment of I-5 just north of Downtown.
- **I-90** – I-90 will experience AWDT increases of approximately 27 to 32 percent by 2035, with westbound volumes increasing to about 96,000 per day, slightly exceeding eastbound volumes.

- **SR 520** – For this highway that has experienced volume decreases due to the initiation of tolling, and construction east of Lake Washington, the projected future conditions are for increases in AWDT volumes of about 15 to 23 percent by 2035. This will be equivalent to an increase of about 5,000 to 6,000 vehicles in the eastbound direction, reaching about 40,000 vehicles per day east of Montlake, and about 44,500 vehicles per day in the westbound direction east of Montlake. Closer to I-5, the projected AWDT will reach approximately 55,000 vehicles in the westbound direction by 2035. Tolling is likely to continue to limit the rate of growth in usage over time on SR 520.
- **SR 99 Downtown and north of Downtown** – This highway is anticipated to operate in a tunnel through Downtown by 2035, which may mean a change in volume trends compared to current operations. For three studied segments of SR 99 north of Downtown, future AWDT would increase by about 28 to 34 percent between the lower Queen Anne and Green Lake vicinities, and would increase by up to 45 to 50 percent in the segment near the north city limits at N 145th St. The projected volumes in this vicinity would be highest in the portion nearest Lake Union and the Ship Canal, reaching about 46,000 – 50,000 vehicles per day AWDT in each direction, while in the other segments farther north, the volumes would range from about 20,000 – 25,000 vehicles per day in each direction.
- **SR 99 south of Downtown** – South of Downtown, SR 99 provides access to the SODO and Greater Duwamish industrial areas, as well as southwest Seattle and points south including Burien and Tukwila. South of South Park, SR 99 reconnects to I-5 in Tukwila. The 1st Avenue S Bridge crosses the Duwamish Waterway and accommodates traffic to/from Georgetown and the King County International Airport vicinity as well. The variety of its connections and configurations leads to different trends for projected AWDT. This includes: anticipated AWDT increases of approximately 29 percent in each direction at the 1st Avenue S Bridge (approximately 60,000 to 63,000 vehicles in each direction); increased volumes in the SODO area north of Georgetown of 40 to 44 percent (28,000 to 33,000 vehicles in each direction); and similar gains in the southern segment near South Park of 25 to 40 percent (22,000 to 30,000 vehicles in each direction).
- **SR 522 (Lake City Way)** – Future volumes (AWDT) would increase by about 15 percent in each direction in Roosevelt near I-5 (15,000 to 20,000 vehicles in each direction), and by 20 to 35 percent in each direction in Lake City near the north city limits at NE 145th Street (20,000 to 25,000 vehicles in each direction). These trends likely reflect anticipated increases in commuting traffic as well as projected traffic growth over time contributed to by nearby neighborhoods such as Lake City and Northgate.
- **SR 513 (Montlake Blvd. to Sand Point Way)** – Future volumes (AWDT) would increase by about 17 to 25 percent in this segment that includes the Montlake Bridge just north of SR 520. This would represent AWDT volumes of approximately 25,000 vehicles per day southbound and 22,600 vehicles per day northbound. This would exacerbate congestion during peak hours in this route that is used heavily for daily commuting. However, other analysis indicates that the future 2035 conditions would still meet the LOS standards for the applicable screenline that covers both the University Bridge and the Montlake Bridge.

- **SR 519 (Edgar Martinez Way)** – Future volumes (AWDT) would increase by about 23 percent in the eastbound direction for this segment that provides access to/from the Port of Seattle and SODO industrial area near the major sports stadiums. No increase in the westbound direction was projected in the modeling.
- **SR 523 (NE 145th St. east of I-5)** – This route provides east-west access from Lake City and Lake Forest Park to I-5 and is on the north city limits boundary. Future volumes (AWDT) would increase modestly by 3 to 13 percent, reaching volumes of approximately 16,000 vehicles in each direction by 2035.

impacts on adjacent
jurisdictions

Four jurisdictions are adjacent to the City of Seattle: the City of Shoreline, and the City of Lake Forest Park along Seattle's north boundary, and the City of Tukwila and King County along Seattle's south boundary. Several major arterials that connect to streets in these jurisdictions near the Seattle borders were selected for analysis. For each arterial, the existing PM peak hour traffic volume and forecasted year 2035 traffic volume were compared to the rated capacity of the arterial, yielding a volume-to-capacity (v/c) ratio. The results of this analysis are shown in Transportation Figure A-14.

Transportation Figure A-14

Arterials Reaching Adjacent Jurisdictions:
PM Peak Hour Capacities, Volumes and V/C Ratios

A. Major arterials within Seattle just south of the Seattle/Shoreline-Lake Forest Park Border (145th St.)

<u>Arterial</u>	<u>Existing (2014) – PM Peak Hour</u>						<u>2035 – PM Peak Hour</u>					
	<u>Outbound</u>			<u>Inbound</u>			<u>Outbound</u>			<u>Inbound</u>		
	<u>Capaci</u> <u>ty</u>	<u>Volu</u> <u>me</u>	<u>V/C</u> <u>ratio</u> <u>o</u>	<u>Capacit</u> <u>y</u>	<u>Volum</u> <u>e</u>	<u>V/C</u> <u>ratio</u> <u>o</u>	<u>Capacit</u> <u>y</u>	<u>Volum</u> <u>e</u>	<u>V/C</u> <u>ratio</u> <u>o</u>	<u>Capaci</u> <u>ty</u>	<u>Volu</u> <u>me</u>	<u>V/C</u> <u>ratio</u> <u>o</u>
<u>Greenwood Ave. N</u>	<u>1,940</u>	<u>1,223</u>	<u>0.63</u>	<u>1,940</u>	<u>838</u>	<u>0.45</u>	<u>1,940</u>	<u>1,740</u>	<u>0.90</u>	<u>1,940</u>	<u>1,221</u>	<u>0.63</u>
<u>Aurora Ave. N</u>	<u>2,100</u>	<u>1,681</u>	<u>0.80</u>	<u>2,000</u>	<u>1,223</u>	<u>0.61</u>	<u>2,100</u>	<u>2,427</u>	<u>1.16</u>	<u>2,000</u>	<u>1,879</u>	<u>0.94</u>
<u>Meridian Ave N</u>	<u>770</u>	<u>312</u>	<u>0.41</u>	<u>770</u>	<u>162</u>	<u>0.21</u>	<u>770</u>	<u>581</u>	<u>0.75</u>	<u>770</u>	<u>369</u>	<u>0.48</u>
<u>5th Ave. NE</u>	<u>770</u>	<u>366</u>	<u>0.48</u>	<u>770</u>	<u>205</u>	<u>0.27</u>	<u>770</u>	<u>550</u>	<u>0.71</u>	<u>770</u>	<u>340</u>	<u>0.44</u>
<u>15th Ave NE</u>	<u>2,040</u>	<u>891</u>	<u>0.44</u>	<u>2,040</u>	<u>640</u>	<u>0.31</u>	<u>1,010</u>	<u>891</u>	<u>0.88</u>	<u>1,010</u>	<u>727</u>	<u>0.72</u>
<u>30th Ave NE</u>	<u>770</u>	<u>433</u>	<u>0.56</u>	<u>770</u>	<u>365</u>	<u>0.47</u>	<u>770</u>	<u>592</u>	<u>0.77</u>	<u>770</u>	<u>550</u>	<u>0.71</u>
<u>Lake City Way</u>	<u>2,150</u>	<u>1,697</u>	<u>0.79</u>	<u>2,040</u>	<u>1,388</u>	<u>0.68</u>	<u>2,150</u>	<u>2,215</u>	<u>1.03</u>	<u>2,040</u>	<u>1,790</u>	<u>0.88</u>

B. Major arterials within Seattle just north of the Seattle/King County Border

<u>Arterial</u>	<u>Existing (2014) – PM Peak Hour</u>						<u>2035 – PM Peak Hour</u>					
	<u>Outbound</u>			<u>Inbound</u>			<u>Outbound</u>			<u>Inbound</u>		
	<u>Capaci</u> <u>ty</u>	<u>Volu</u> <u>me</u>	<u>V/C</u> <u>ratio</u>	<u>Capacit</u> <u>y</u>	<u>Volum</u> <u>e</u>	<u>V/C</u> <u>ratio</u>	<u>Capacit</u> <u>y</u>	<u>Volum</u> <u>e</u>	<u>V/C</u> <u>ratio</u>	<u>Capaci</u> <u>ty</u>	<u>Volu</u> <u>me</u>	<u>V/C</u> <u>ratio</u>
26 th Ave SW	770	401	0.52	770	336	0.44	770	522	0.68	770	374	0.49
16 th Ave SW	770	292	0.38	770	216	0.28	770	524	0.68	770	250	0.32
Olson Pl. SW	2,040	1,442	0.71	2,040	1,070	0.52	1,010	1,442	1.43	1,010	1,070	1.06
Myers Way S	1,540	264	0.17	1,540	190	0.12	1,540	670	0.43	1,540	230	0.15
8 th Ave S	770	93	0.12	770	99	0.13	770	222	0.29	770	99	0.13
14 th Ave S	1,540	498	0.32	1,540	394	0.26	1,540	848	0.55	1,540	584	0.38
Renton Ave S	770	570	0.74	770	393	0.51	770	951	1.23	770	501	0.65
Rainier Ave S	1,460	967	0.66	1,460	663	0.45	1,460	1,421	0.97	1,460	991	0.68
E Marginal Way S	2,040	699	0.34	2,040	703	0.34	2,040	994	0.49	2,040	779	0.38
Airport Way S	2,000	756	0.38	2,000	356	0.18	1,000	1,123	1.12	1,000	822	0.82
M L King Jr. Way S	2,040	1,297	0.64	2,040	1,076	0.53	2,040	1,885	0.92	2,040	1,078	0.53
51 st Ave S	770	351	0.46	770	219	0.28	770	698	0.91	770	310	0.40

For all but five instances for the arterials shown in Transportation Figure A-14, the PM peak hour v/c ratio is below 1.0, indicating that there currently is remaining traffic capacity and that the capacity will continue into the forecasted future. The exceptions are:

- Aurora Avenue N (SR 99), as the primary north-south highway arterial to/from Shoreline, is projected to experience considerable growth in evening peak hour volumes by 2035 (nearly 750 added vehicles), which will raise the projected northbound v/c ratio from 0.80 to 1.16.
- Lake City Way (SR 522), as the primary north-south highway arterial in north Seattle to/from Lake Forest Park, is projected to experience considerable growth in evening peak hour volumes by 2035 (nearly 520 added vehicles), which will raise the projected northbound v/c ratio from 0.79 to 1.03.
- Olson Place SW, a route to/from White Center and Burien, may experience a projected v/c ratio of 1.43 in the peak westbound direction by 2035, but this is tempered by a recognition that the conservative analysis of road capacity predicts a reduced capacity with a possible future bicycle improvement, and the future volumes for 2035 are not otherwise projected to increase over existing 2014 volumes. A similar effect on the eastbound direction of travel on

Olson Place SW leads to a projected congestion level measured as a 1.06 v/c ratio. Future bicycle facility design would determine whether vehicle lanes would actually be reduced; given the street's width such reductions ultimately might not be needed.

- Renton Ave S, a route to/from Skyway and the City of Renton, is projected to experience growth of approximately 380 vehicles in the southbound direction by 2035, which will raise the corresponding v/c ratio to 1.23.
- Airport Way (a route to/from Tukwila), like Olson Place SW, may be affected in its capacity by a future possible bicycle improvement, and given projected increases in peak hour traffic southbound (360 added vehicles) could experience congestion measured as a v/c ratio of 1.12.

In other locations, including Rainier Ave. S and MLK Jr. Way S., both leading toward the City of Renton, projected v/c ratios of 0.97 and 0.92 respectively indicate future increases in traffic and probable congestion.

These modeled traffic volume and v/c findings for 2035 reflect growth not only under Seattle's Comprehensive Plan, but also the probable growth in the adjacent jurisdictions and throughout the central Puget Sound region that contributes to total traffic growth. Much of the traffic on these arterials is and will continue to be through-traffic, although the destinations of some motorists will be to and from Seattle as well as the neighboring jurisdictions.

In addition to the City of Seattle's analysis of transportation impacts on adjacent jurisdictions, as described in this section, Seattle continues to work with the adjacent jurisdictions to coordinate traffic operations and to minimize cross-boundary impacts.

E Intergovernmental Coordination Efforts⁵

This section describes the City's intergovernmental coordination efforts during the development of the Comprehensive Plan, and potential impacts of the plan on the transportation systems of adjacent jurisdictions.

Seattle is an active member of the Puget Sound Regional Council (PSRC), which is charged with certifying that local transportation plans are consistent with regional plans and goals. The City supports PSRC's Vision 2040, a transportation/land use plan that describes linking high density residential and employment centers throughout the region by high capacity transit and promoting a multi modal transportation system. Vision 2040's goals are carried forward by this Comprehensive Plan.

The PSRC provides population, employment, and transportation data to Seattle and other jurisdictions. Coordination is established via this centralized information resource. The PSRC is charged with allocating certain federal funds. Seattle has participated in establishing the criteria and selection process to determine how funds will be distributed among transportation projects.

5 (RCW 36.70A.070(6)(a)(v))

The City of Seattle cooperates with the Washington State Department of Transportation (WSDOT) and the Puget Sound Regional Council regarding improvements to state transportation facilities and services and to ensure that the City's plans are consistent with the State Transportation Plan and the Transportation 2040 plan. The PSRC also monitors State highways of regional significance, such as non-HSS, for regional planning purposes.

~~((A—Inventory of Existing —Facilities & Services~~

~~((limited access facilities
—arterials & streets~~

~~There are approximately 54,000 acres of land in the city, nearly 14,000 of which (about 26 percent) are used for street rights of way. Seattle's street network in 2004 consists of 1,534 miles of arterials, including some that are designated state routes, and 2,412 miles of non arterials (see Transportation Figure A-1). In the arterial system there are 620 miles of principal arterials, 566 miles of minor arterials, and 348 miles of collector arterials. High occupancy vehicle (HOV) lanes exist on some arterials and limited access facilities as shown in Transportation Figure A-3. There are 975 signalized intersections, 4,596 non signalized arterial intersections and 7,029 non arterial intersections. Transportation Figures A-2a-c show the locations of traffic and pedestrian crossing signals in Seattle. The "state signals" are managed by the Washington State Department of Transportation and are located mostly at freeway on- and off-ramps.~~

~~traffic volumes~~

~~Transportation Figure A-4 shows the 2002 average weekday traffic volumes on Seattle's arterials and freeways. To analyze trends, traffic counts are taken annually on arterials and freeways along screenlines at or near the city limits, and are added together to estimate the traffic volume entering and exiting the city daily. Transportation Figure A-5 shows the trend in average weekday traffic at the city limit screenlines; the volume has increased from 758,000 in 1980 to 1,190,800 in 2003—a 64 percent increase over 23 years. During the same period, Seattle's population increased by 9.3 percent. However, between 1995 and 2002 approximately 51,000 new jobs were added within the city, a 12 percent increase.~~

~~Transportation Figure A-6 similarly shows the trend in average weekday traffic crossing an imaginary cordon around downtown Seattle, bounded by Lenora Street, I-5, Royal Brougham Way, and Alaskan Way. The volumes include traffic getting on and off the ferries. From 1980 to 2003, downtown cordon traffic grew 22 percent, from 371,000 to 475,980.~~

~~transit~~

~~Public transit in Seattle is provided by three agencies. Metro provides bus, trolley and streetcar services that cover most of King County. Community Transit and Sound Transit operate express bus services to Seattle from King, Snohomish and Pierce Counties. As of 2002, Metro serves a population of nearly 2 million over a 2,128 square mile service area. It operates approximately~~

~~1300 vehicles on about 188 routes representing 7,050 route miles with annual ridership of over 75 million. Transportation Figure A 7 shows Metro's 2004 transit routes in Seattle.~~

~~Metro currently operates a 1.3 mile long tunnel under Third Avenue and Pine Street from the International District to 9th Avenue and Pine Street. The tunnel has five stations, and connects to Interstate 90 at the south end and to the Interstate 5 express lanes at the north end. Dual powered buses operate through the tunnel; diesel power is used on streets and highways, while electric power is used in the tunnel. In addition to dual powered buses, the tunnel will be used as part of Sound Transits Link light rail line through downtown. Renovation of the tunnel for use by both buses and trains is scheduled for completion by 2009.~~

~~Metro has about 56 miles of two way overhead electric trolley wire in Seattle used by approximately 146 trolley buses. Trolleys produce no tailpipe emissions and are considerably quieter than diesel buses.~~

~~All buses operating in downtown Seattle are free to riders from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. The ride-free zone boundaries are Battery Street, Sixth Avenue, I-5, Jackson Street, and the waterfront. The ride-free zone significantly reduces the need to use cars for short trips around downtown. The Waterfront Streetcar system includes three streetcars, nine stations, and more than two miles of rail. The tracks and overhead wire run along Alaskan Way and South Main Street from Myrtle Edwards Park to the International District.~~

~~Sound Transit is the regional transit authority for the Puget Sound area (which includes portions of King, Snohomish and Pierce Counties.) Sound Transit was created in 1996 by voters within its boundary, and is implementing the first phase of its "Sound Move" regional transit plan. The Sound Move plan includes: operation of a 14-mile light rail system (called "Link") between SeaTac and downtown Seattle, with possible extension to Northgate; peak period commuter rail services (called "Sonder") along existing rail lines between downtown Seattle, Tacoma and Everett; and regional bus services.~~

~~As of 2004, Sound Transit provides regional express bus services between suburban areas within its three-county service area, downtown Seattle, West Seattle, and the University District. Sounder commuter rail provides rail service between Tacoma and Seattle and between Everett and Seattle. Besides the King Street Station, where the Tacoma and Everett services reach downtown Seattle, there are two provisional Sounder stations identified in Seattle in the Georgetown and Ballard communities.~~

~~By 2009 there will be at least 11 Link light rail stations in Seattle: in the Rainier Valley at Henderson Street (Rainier Beach area), Othello Street (Holly Park area), Edmunds Street (Columbia City area), and McClellan Street (Mount Baker area); Beacon Avenue and Lander Street (Beacon Hill area), and through downtown using the existing downtown tunnel stations. Stations planned but deferred for future operation include Graham Street, and Royal Brougham. Currently, planning for extension of Link north of downtown to Northgate is under study. In 2004, Sound Transit identified a preferred route for North Link. The preferred North Link route will stretch north of the Downtown Seattle Transit Tunnel with stations at Madison Street (First Hill area), Nagle Place (Capitol Hill area), Husky Stadium and Brooklyn at NE 43rd Street (University~~

District), NE 65th Street (Roosevelt Neighborhood) and Northgate. It is anticipated that by 2030 this line will have a daily ridership in excess of 150,000 passengers.

In 2002, Seattle Voters approved a measure to fund construction of a monorail linking Ballard, Downtown, and West Seattle. Construction of the 14-mile line is scheduled to begin in 2005 with partial opening planned for 2007 and full operation in 2009. Planning for the 2nd of potentially 5 lines by the Seattle Monorail Project began in 2003. Currently, the City of Seattle operates a monorail on a mile of elevated guideway between Westlake Mall in downtown Seattle and the Seattle Center. The monorail carried about 2.1 million riders in 2003. The Seattle Monorail will close in the fall of 2005 to make way for construction of the Seattle Monorail Projects' Green Line.

Metro and WSDOT operate 15 park and ride lots in Seattle with approximately 2,280 parking spaces, as shown in Transportation Figures A-9 and A-10. There is also a Metro transit center just south of the Northgate Mall. The park and ride lots may be used by commuters, free of charge, to meet a carpool, vanpool or bus. Metro provides wheelchair accessible buses and other special transportation services for persons unable to use regular bus service. For example, low income King County residents 65 years or older and people with disabilities are eligible for reduced cost taxi trips. Other Metro programs and services include custom buses, special event service, the U-Pass program with the University of Washington, bikes on buses, vanpools, and a ride-match service.

bicycles & pedestrians

Bicycles are classified as "vehicles" in the Seattle Traffic Code and have the right to use all streets in the city except where explicitly prohibited. Transportation Figure A-11 shows the three categories of bike facilities, and the miles of each. Bicycle racks are provided in neighborhood commercial areas and downtown, and some work places provide secure, weather protected bike parking, showers, and lockers. As of 2000, the City has installed over 1900 bike racks across the city. Seattle's Land Use Code requires that many new developments include bike parking where parking is built for cars.

Metro first installed bike racks on buses in 1979 to carry bicyclists across the SR-520 Bridge. Metro has since installed bike racks on their entire fleet of buses. Metro also has bike racks and lockers at some of its Seattle park and ride lots and at the Northgate Transit Center. The Washington State Ferry Colman Dock in downtown Seattle has bicycle racks for 10 to 15 bikes, while the Fauntleroy dock has none. All ferries provide simple tie-downs for bicycle transport, although the passenger-only ferries can carry only five bikes.

Of the City's 479 miles of arterials (in 1995), about 306 miles had sidewalks or asphalt walkways on both sides of the street, and 140 miles had a sidewalk or walkway on one side of the street; about 33 miles of arterials do not have sidewalks or asphalt walkways on either side of the street. "School walk boundaries" define areas where school bus service is not provided and students generally walk to school. In 1995, there were 20 miles of arterials in elementary school walk boundaries without sidewalks on either side of the street; and there were 362 miles of Seattle residential streets (non-arterials) lacking sidewalks within the school walk boundaries.

parking

~~On-street parking occurs in the public right-of-way and is therefore regulated by the City through the creation of no parking and special use parking zones, time-of-day restrictions, parking duration limits, pay stations/meters, and residential parking zones. In 2004, the City started converting most single space parking meters to parking pay station kiosks. All pay stations will be installed at the rate of \$1.50 per hour. As electric meters are reprogrammed, the parking meter rate will increase to \$1.50 per hour. Because existing mechanical meters cannot be reprogrammed, they will remain at \$1.00 or \$0.60 per hour and will be phased out as pay stations are installed.~~

~~Residential parking zones (RPZ's) are designed to protect Seattle's residential neighborhoods from parking impacts and congestion from major employment and/or retail centers. In an RPZ, on-street parking is generally restricted to one or two hours, except for residents and guests who display special RPZ decals. Existing RPZ's are in the following communities: Montlake, Squire Park, West Seattle-Fauntleroy, Capitol Hill, Wallingford, University District, First Hill, Eastlake, Magnolia, North Queen Anne, North Capitol Hill, Uptown (Seattle Center), Central District (Garfield High School), Belmont/Harvard, Mount Baker (Franklin high school), North Beacon Hill, Lickon Springs (North Seattle Community College), Cowen Park/Roosevelt, Ravenna Bryant~~

~~Off-street parking facilities are usually privately owned and operated. The City regulates the location and size of garages and lots through the Land Use Code and facilities with paid parking pay a licensing fee. Transportation Figure A-12 shows inventory data for off-street parking in three Seattle areas: the Central Business District, Uptown/South Lake Union, First Hill and the University District.~~

~~Carpools receive preferential parking treatment through City programs, allocation of on-street parking spaces, and Land Use Code requirements for carpool parking in new developments.~~

~~rail~~

~~**Passenger Rail:** Amtrak operates trains over 900 miles of Burlington Northern tracks in the state and provides service to 16 cities. The Empire Builder provides daily service from Seattle to Spokane and on to Chicago; the Cascades operates twice a day to/from Portland, and daily to/from Vancouver, B.C. The Coast Starlight runs daily connecting Seattle to Portland, Oakland and on to Los Angeles~~

~~**Freight:** Burlington Northern Santa Fe (BNSF) owns and operates a mainline dual-track from Portland to Seattle. Union Pacific owns and operates a single mainline track with two-way train operations between Tacoma and Seattle. BNSF owns and operates tracks that extend north from downtown Seattle to Snohomish County and then east to Spokane. A connecting spur, operated by the Ballard Terminal Rail Company, serves the Ballard and the western ship canal area. BNSF trains range up to 5,500 feet in length; Union Pacific trains are up to 7,700 feet long.~~

~~Rail-line capacity depends on train length, operating speeds, the number of switch crossover points, and whether the line has one or two-way traffic. Current train speed limits in the City are 10, 20, or 40 mph depending on the segment.~~

~~There are three truck-to-train intermodal terminals serving the Duwamish Industrial area: Burlington Northern Santa Fe operates the Seattle International Gateway yard north of S. Hanford~~

~~Street, Union Pacific operates the Seattle Yard north of the Georgetown neighborhood, and the Port of Seattle operates an intermodal facility at Terminal 18. North of downtown Seattle is BNSF's Interbay rail yard.~~

~~air transportation~~

~~There are three commercial aircraft landing facilities in the greater Seattle metropolitan area: Seattle-Tacoma International Airport (Sea-Tac), operated by the Port of Seattle and located in the City of SeaTac; the Lake Union seaplane base in Seattle; and the Lake Washington seaplane base near Kenmore. Sea-Tac's facilities include two instrument runways, 76 loading gates, one main and two satellite terminals, and 4.5 miles of intra-airport roads. Sea-Tac accommodates over 38 airlines, including 13 international passenger carriers and 18 all-cargo carriers. In 2003 there were 354,770 aircraft operations at Sea-Tac.~~

~~The majority of general aviation flights take off and land either at King County International Airport (Boeing Field) or at one of the 11 active privately-operated helistops and heliports around the city. Boeing Field has one 10,000-foot runway with an instrument landing system and one 3,700-foot runway. The number of flight operations at Boeing Field was 363,838 in 2000.~~

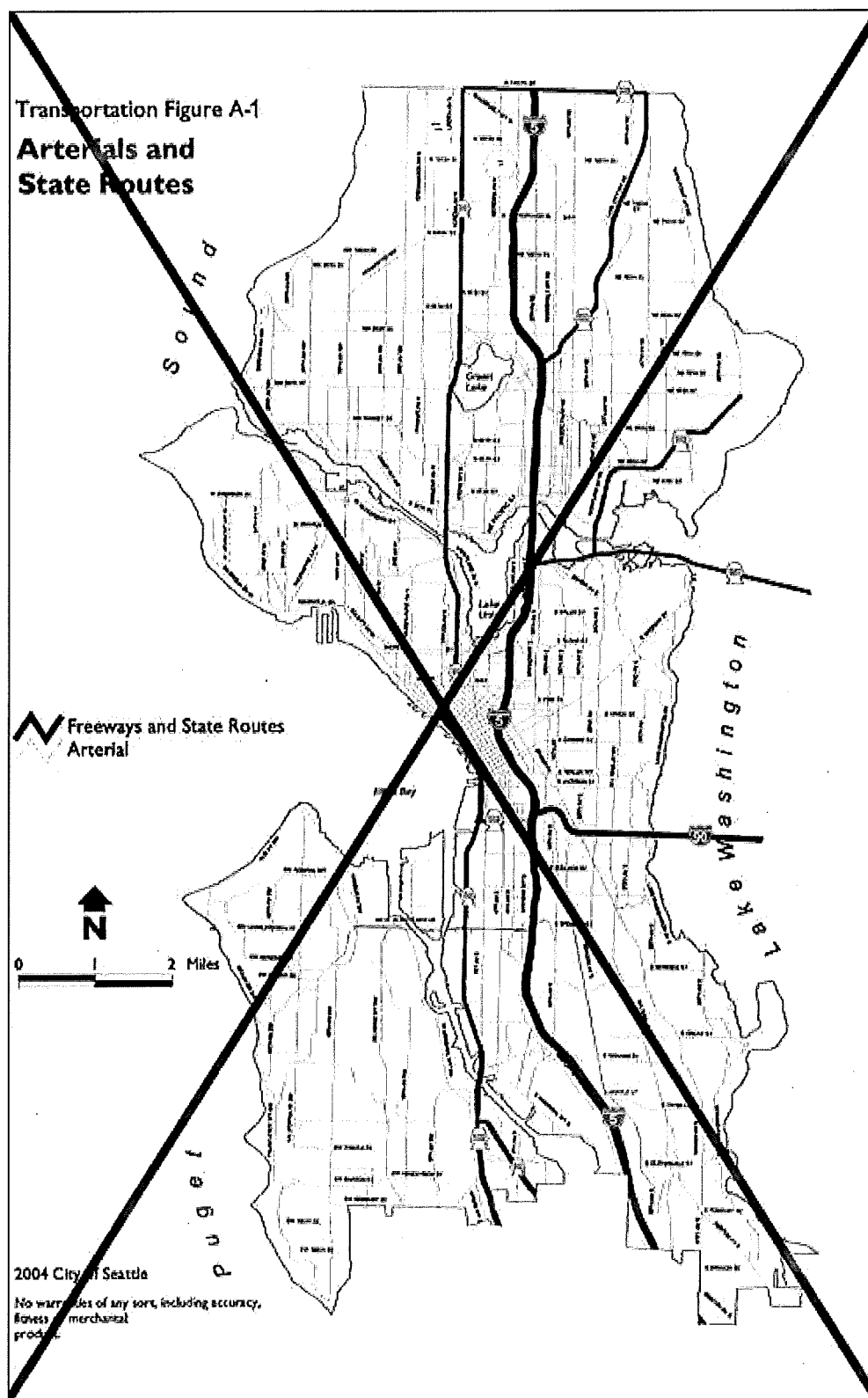
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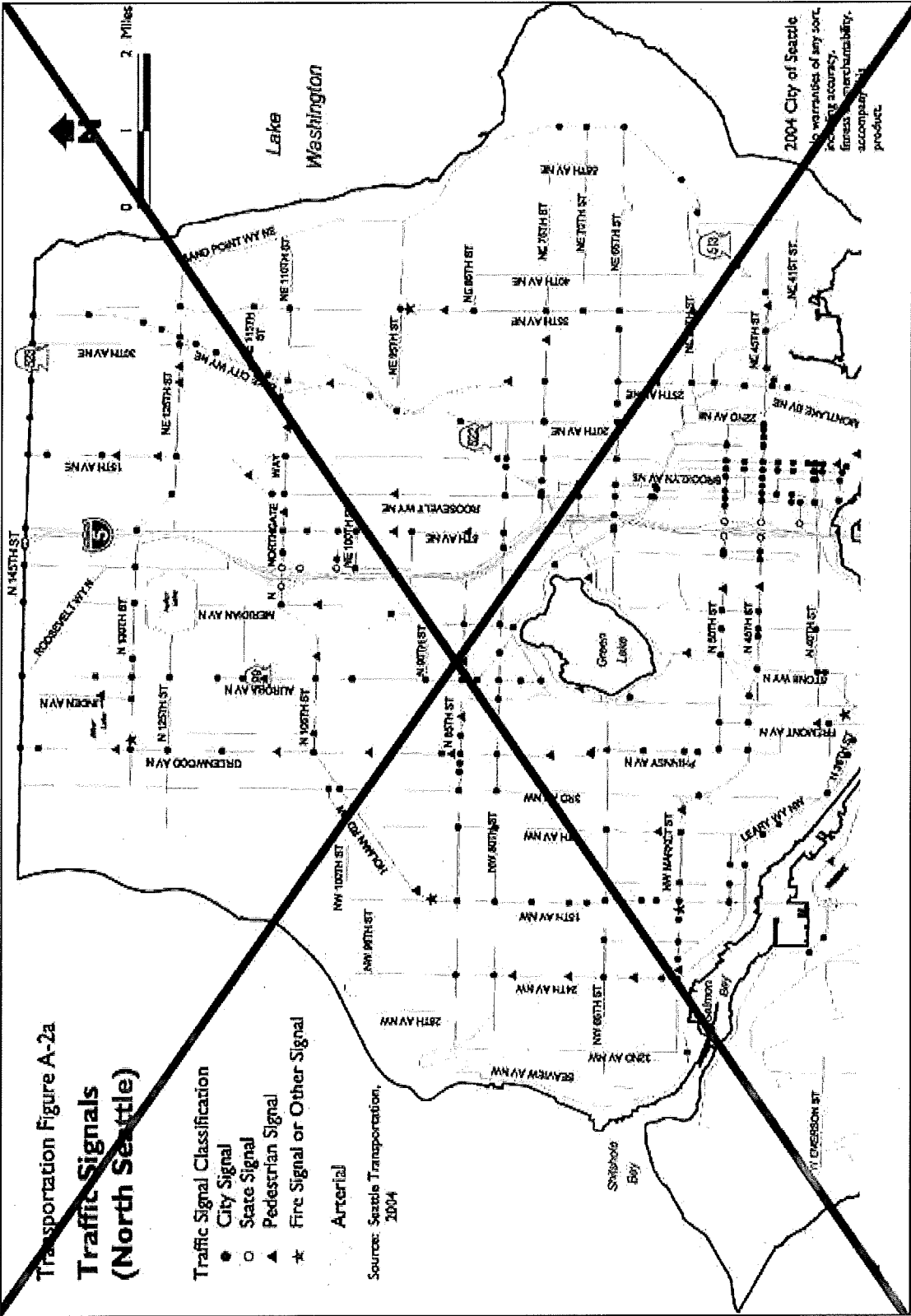
~~The Washington State Ferry (WSF) system operates two terminals in Seattle—Colman Dock in downtown Seattle, and the Fauntleroy terminal in West Seattle. Passenger and vehicle service is provided on two ferry routes from Colman Dock—to Bainbridge Island and to Bremerton. Passenger and vehicle ferries link Fauntleroy with Vashon Island and Southworth.~~

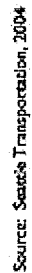
~~The Victoria Clipper operates between one to four round trips daily, depending on the season, between Seattle and Victoria on passenger-only catamarans.~~

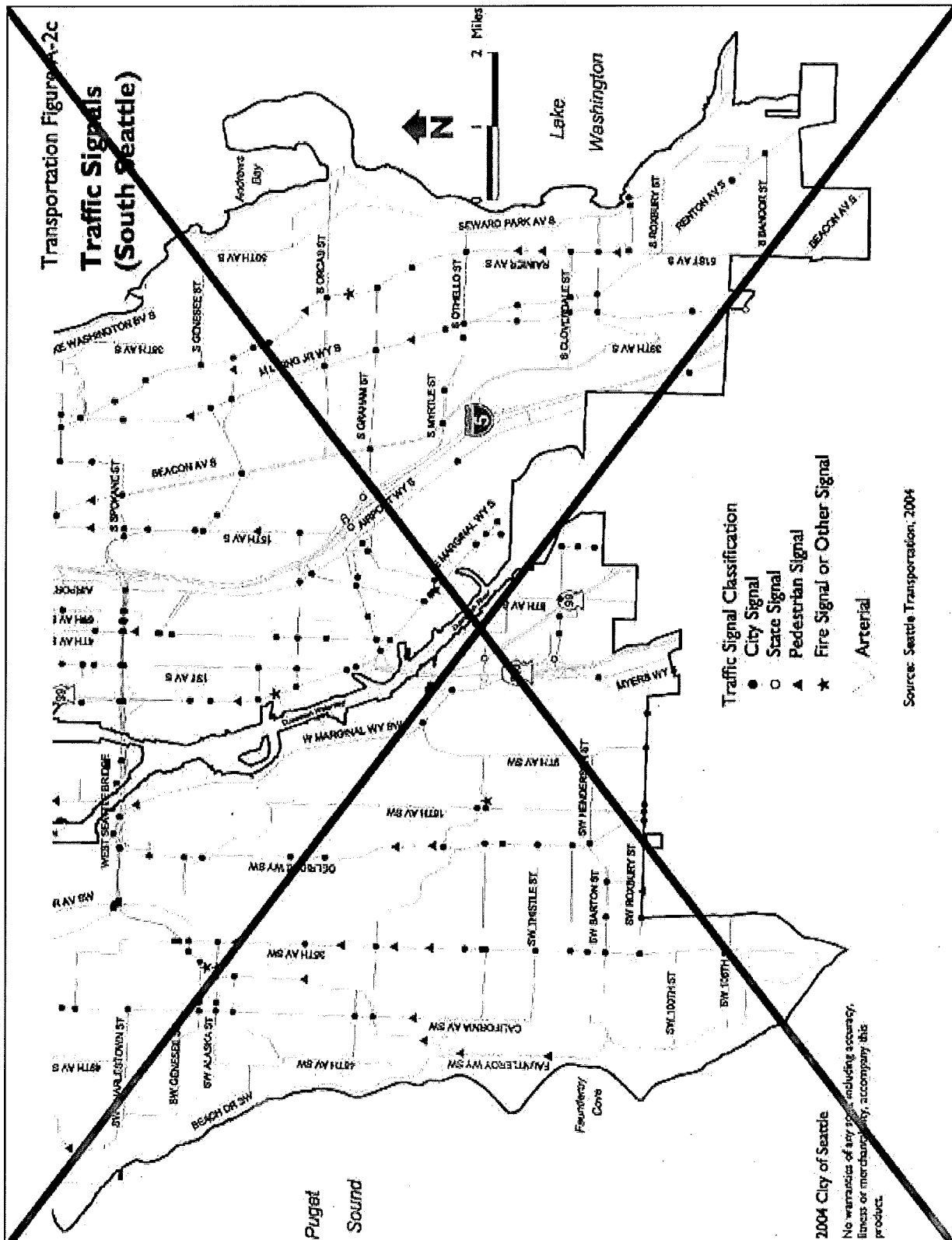
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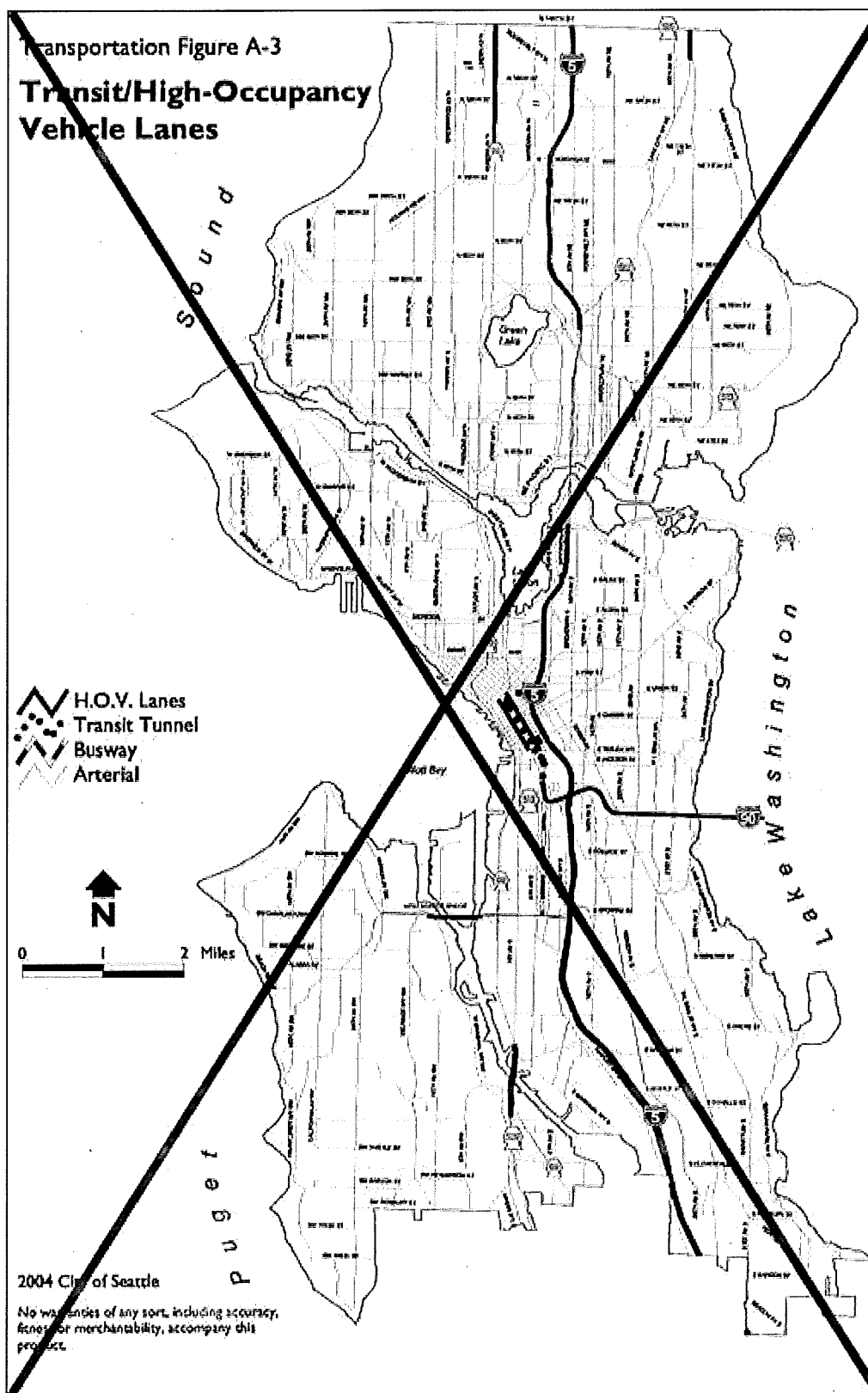
~~The Port of Seattle operates and supports marine, rail, and air intermodal facilities. Port of Seattle facilities include 25 commercial marine terminals, three container terminals with 23 container cranes, a warehouse complex and distribution center, and a deep-draft grain terminal. Services are offered by about 100 steamship operators and agents; about 30 tug and barge operators; about 100 truck and warehouse operators; and Burlington Northern Santa Fe and Union Pacific railroads, operating intermodal yards. Transportation Figure A-13 shows the Port of Seattle facilities located in Seattle.))~~





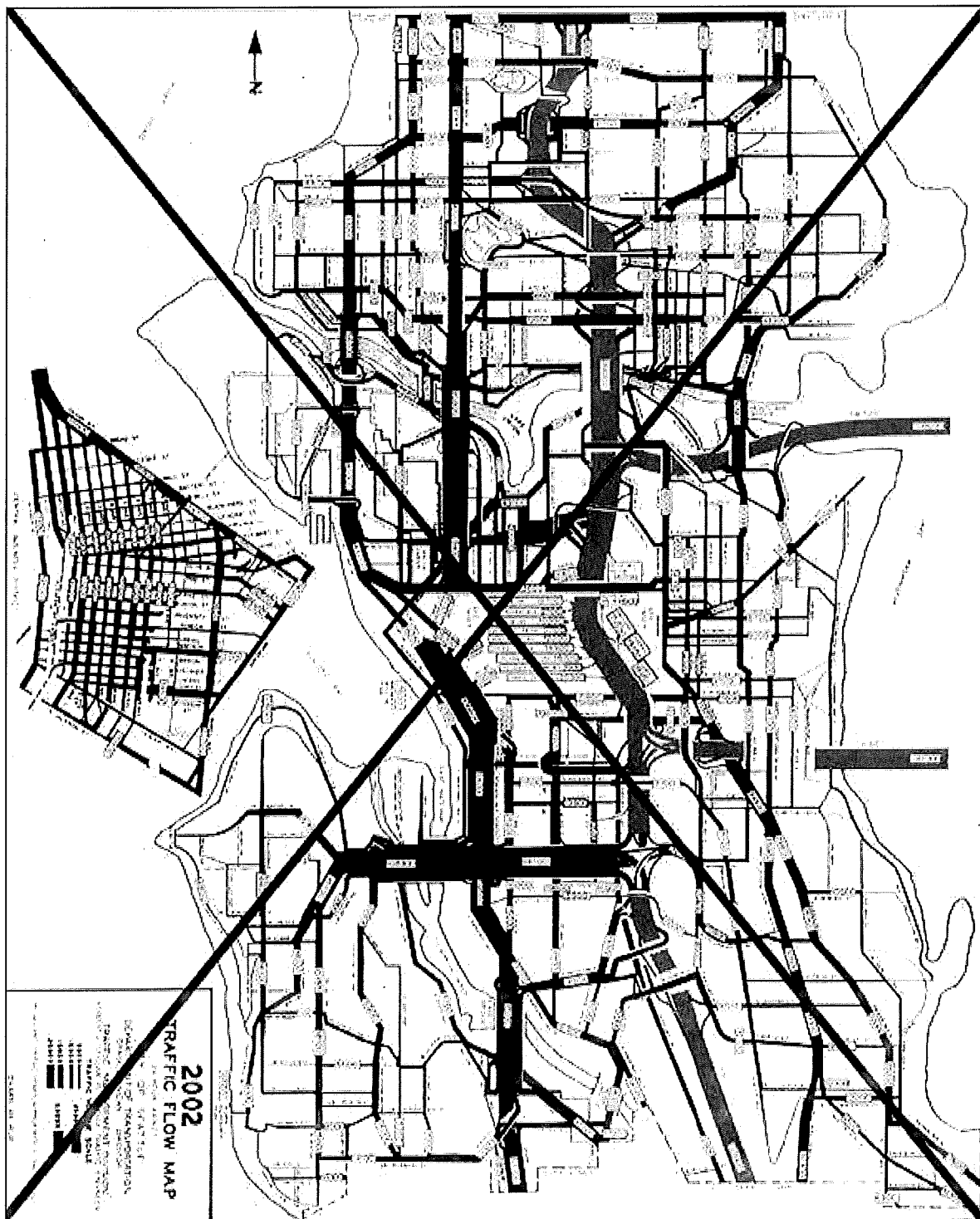


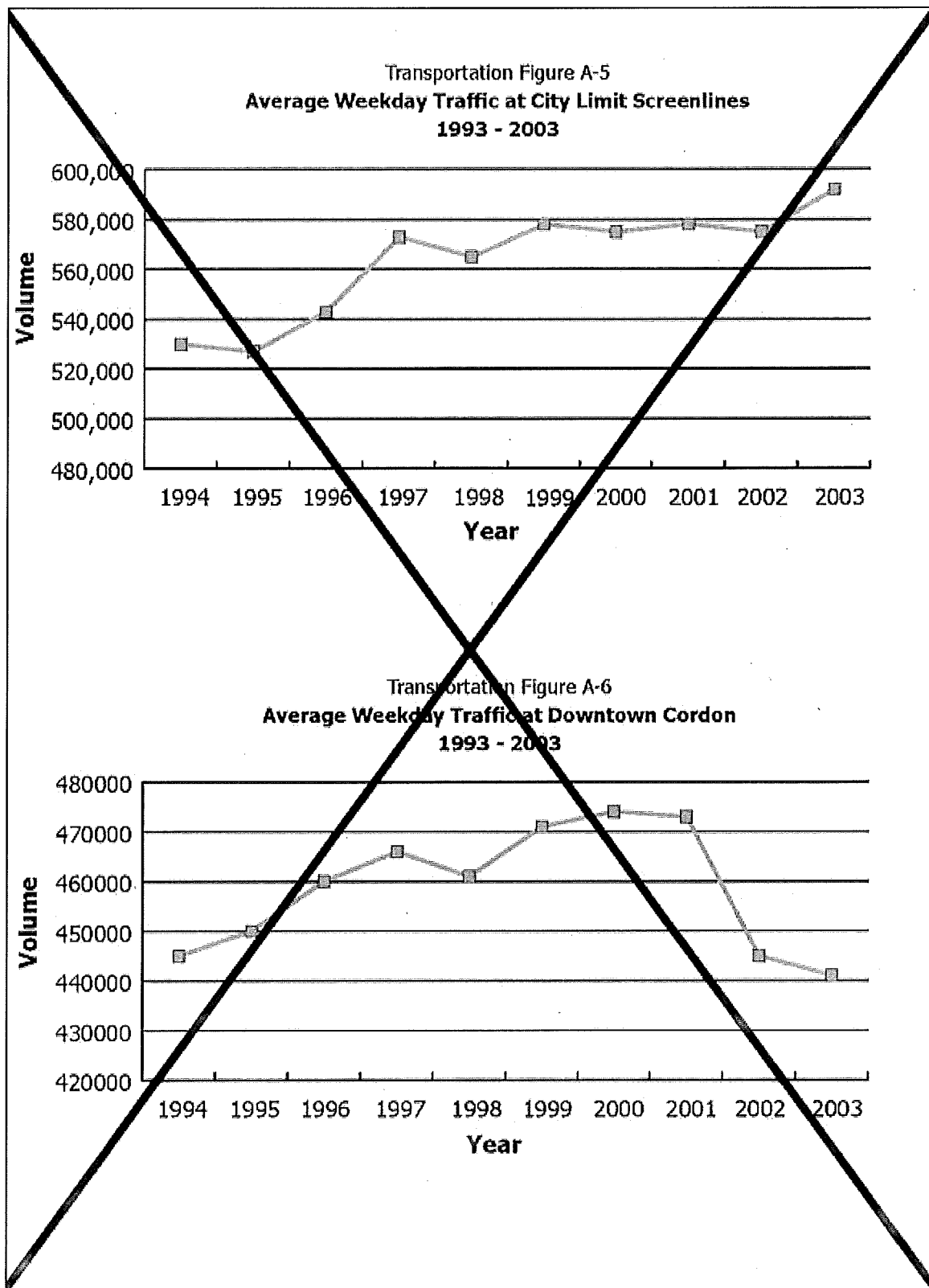


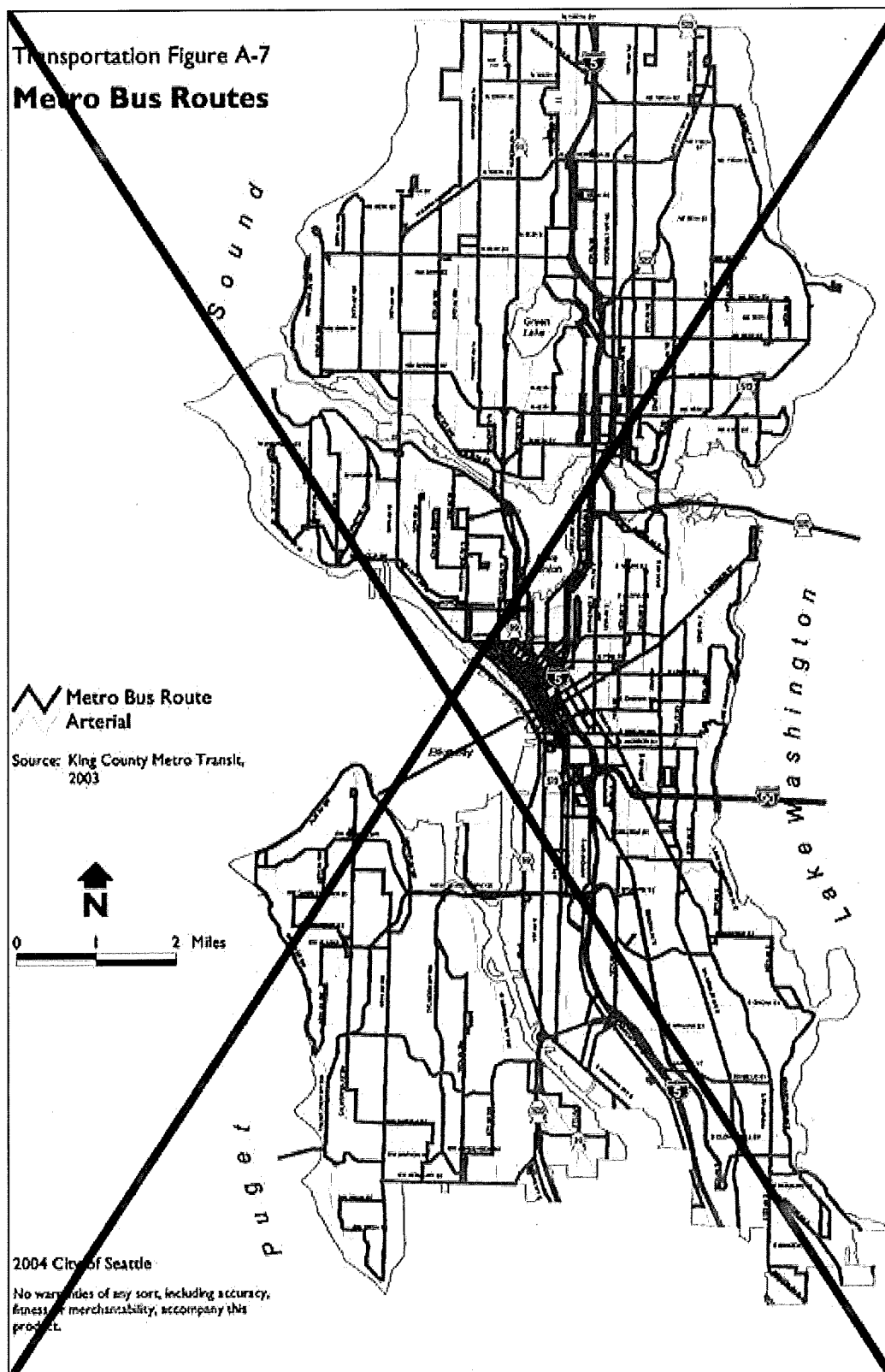


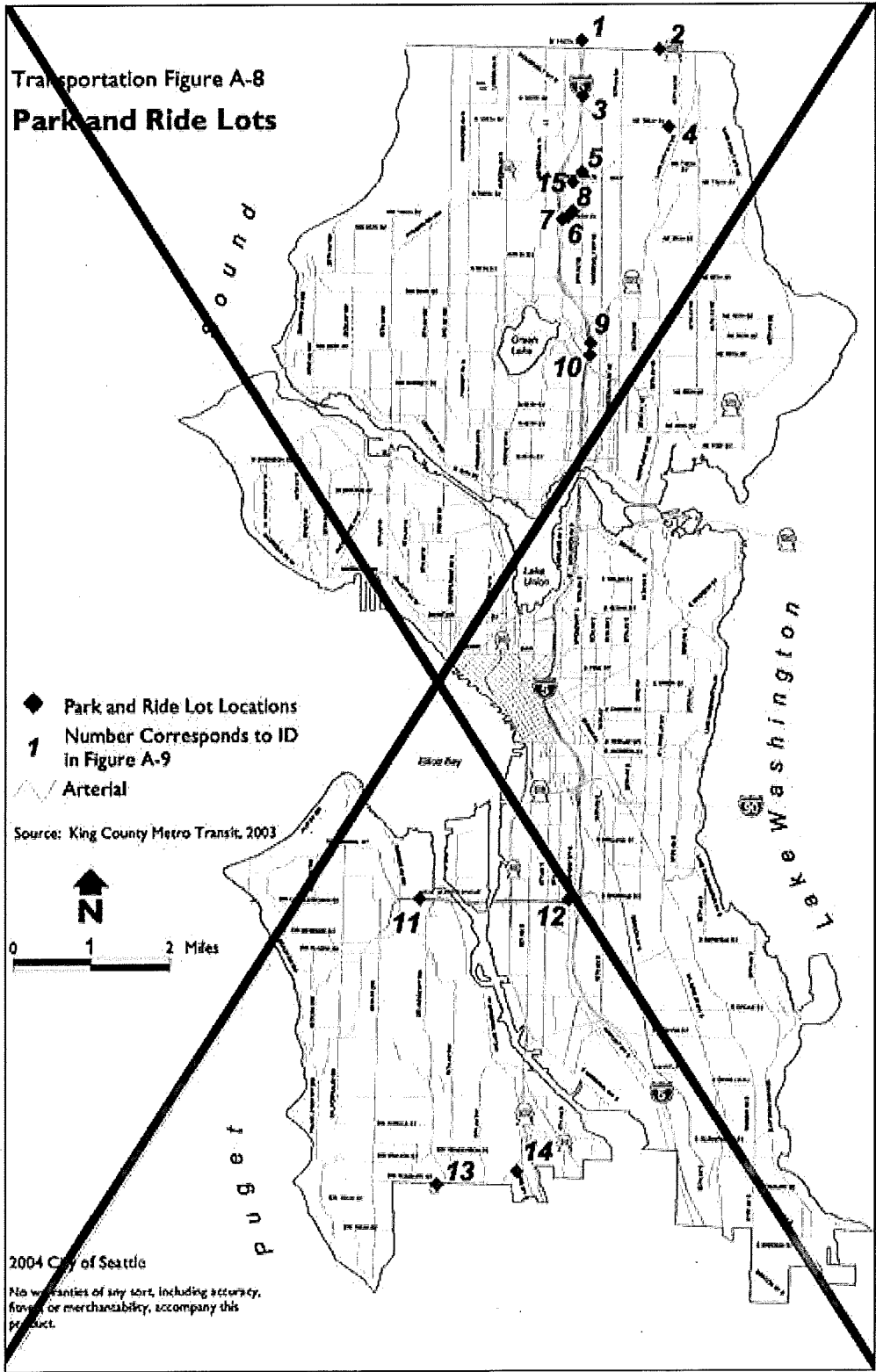
((Transportation Figure A-4

2002 Traffic Flow Map—Average Weekday Daily Traffic))









((Transportation Figure A-9
Park & Ride Lot Inventory

ID	Park & Ride Location	Address	Number of Parking Stalls (1999)
1	North Jackson Park	14711 5 th Ave. NE	68
2	Shoreline United Methodist Church	NE 145 th St./25 th Ave. NE	20
3	5 th Ave. NE/NE 133 rd St.	5 th Ave. NE/NE 133 rd St.	46
4	Our Savior Lutheran Church	NE 125 th /27 th Ave. NE	21
5	Northgate	11203 5 th Ave. NE	404
6	Northgate Transit Center	10200 1 st Ave. NE	296
7	North Seattle	10001 1 st Ave. NE	144
8	Northgate TC Extension	3 rd Ave. NE & NE 103 rd St.	412
8	Northgate TC Extension Carpool	3 rd Ave. NE & NE 103 rd St.	75
9	Calvary Temple Church	6810 8 th Ave. NE	75
10	I-5/NE 65 th St.	6601 8 th Ave. NE	446
11	Southwest Spokane St.	26 th Ave. SW & SW Spokane St.	62
12	Airport Way/Spokane St.	Airport Way/Spokane St.	25
13	Holy Family Church	SW Roxbury/20 th SW	36
14	Olson Way/Myers	9000 Olson Pl. SW	100
15	Northgate North Garage	300 NE Northgate Way	63

Source: Metro King County, December 2003. (Second Quarter Statistics)))

((Transportation Figure A-10

Bicycle Facilities, 2004

Routes	Miles
Bicycle Paths (Multi-use) - Total	28
Duwamish River (Duwamish Head to Michigan St.)	4.0
Harbor Island/West Seattle Bridge	1.0
Interstate 90 Path	3.5
Waterfront/Elliott Bay/Interbay	4.0
Burke Gilman Trail	14.5
South Lake Union	1.0
Bicycle Lanes - Total	22
Alki	2.5
Green Lake	4.0
Ravenna	1.0
Interstate 90 Extension (Dearborn)	1.0
Dexter/7th	2.2
Alaskan Way	2.0
Gilman/Government Way	1.6
Martin Luther King Way	0.8
Bicycle Routes (Signed) - Total	90
Alki	15.5
Duwamish (City limit to Michigan St.)	3.4
Sea-Tac Route	13.0
Lake Washington Boulevard	19.7
Magnolia Loop	7.5

Routes	Miles
Ravenna	2.5
8th Ave. NW (Burke Gilman Trail to 3rd Ave. NW)	5.5
Sand Point Way (Burke Gilman Trail By-pass Route)	10.0
Lake Union Route	2.0
Ballard/Seaview Route	4.5

Source: Seattle Department of Transportation, 2004.

Definitions:

Bicycle Path: A bikeway physically separated from motorized vehicular traffic by an open space or barrier and either within the highway right-of-way or within an independent right-of-way.

Bicycle Lane: A portion of a roadway that has been designated by striping, signing, and pavement markings for the preferential or exclusive use of bicyclists.

Bicycle Route: A segment of a system of bikeways designated by the jurisdiction having authority with appropriate directional and informational markers, with or without specific bicycle route number.))

((Transportation Figure A-11
2002 Off-Street Parking Inventory

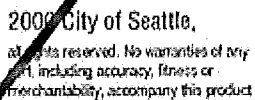
Seattle Area	Total Stalls (2002)	Annual % Supply Change (1996-2002)	Average Occupancy Rate	Annual % Change in Average Occupancy Rate 1996-2002	Average Two Hour Rate	Average Daily Rate	Average Monthly Rate	Annual % Change in Average Daily Rate 1996-2002
Central Business District	58,538	+1.6%	63.2%	-3.9%	\$7.20	\$14.52	\$200.29	6.7%
Lower Queen Anne/South Lake Union	17,644	+0.7%	46.8%	-3.5%	\$4.51	\$6.52	\$106.03	1.0%
First Hill	10,800	+0.7%	76.2%	0.0%	\$3.60	\$12.37	\$91.74	11.4%
University District	5,134	N/A	63.8%	N/A	\$3.35	\$7.15	\$74.37	N/A

N/A = Not Available

Source: Parking Inventory for the Central Puget Sound Region, PUGET SOUND REGIONAL COUNCIL / JANUARY 2002. For copy of report, go to <http://www.psrc.org/datapubs/pubs/parking2002.htm>

Note that the PSRC collected University District data for the first time in 2002.))

~~Port of Seattle Facilities))~~



~~((B—Land Use Assumptions Used in Estimating Travel~~

~~To estimate future travel levels, assumptions were made for a variety of factors related to future population, employment, and transportation facilities. These include the number and geographic distribution of both households and employment in Seattle and the region, characteristics of households and jobs (e.g., number of residents per household, household income), and the transportation network (e.g., streets, transit routes). Then, a computer model was used to predict the total number of person trips between various zones, the number of trips that would use various modes (e.g., car, bus, bike, walk), and the resulting vehicle traffic volumes on various streets throughout the city.~~

~~——existing conditions~~

~~In 2000, the census counted 563,374 people living in Seattle; 2004 state estimates place the number at about 572,600. But Seattle's daytime population is much larger than the number of people who live in the city. A conservative 2000 estimate that takes employment into account but does not consider other reasons people come to, or leave, Seattle during the daytime—such as attending college classes, shopping, business travel, entertainment, tourism, and medical care—would number at least 717,465 in 2000. This estimate is based on the following data from the 2000 census:~~

- ~~• 563,374 people lived in Seattle in 2000~~
- ~~• 59,000 Seattle residents worked outside the city~~
- ~~• approximately 220,000 people commuted to Seattle from other places for work~~

~~Seattle covers about 54,000 acres of land. Most areas of the city are of predominantly one type of land use (e.g., residential, commercial, or industrial). About 40 percent of the city's land area is occupied by residential uses. In 1990, there were a total of about 249,000 housing units in the city. Estimates in 2003 place the total number of housing units in the city at about 269,069. The area north of the ship canal has more of its land area occupied by housing than mid-Seattle (south of the ship canal to I-90) or south Seattle (south of I-90).~~

~~Street rights-of-way take up the next largest amount of land, almost 26 percent. Commercial and industrial areas, where most of the jobs in the city are located, occupy about 13 percent of the land area. Parks occupy nine percent; cemeteries, reservoirs, and other uses occupy six percent; and six percent of the land is vacant.~~

~~——regional land use assumptions~~

~~The Puget Sound Regional Council (PSRC) conducts regional planning for the four-county (Snohomish, King, Pierce, and Kitsap) central Puget Sound region. The PSRC's Vision 2020 Growth Strategy and Transportation Plan presents a vision and array of strategies designed to achieve goals of growth management, transportation demand management, and improved transportation investment decisions. The PSRC provides population and employment forecasts for the region, focusing future population and employment growth into urban centers.~~

— **Seattle land use assumptions**

Within Seattle, the upper limits of the growth targets in the adopted Plan for population, households, and employment were used to estimate future travel. These targets call for an additional 47,000 households and 67,200 jobs over the 20-year life of this plan. This growth was allocated within the city

2004-2024 Growth Distribution

	Household Growth	Employment Growth
Urban centers	28,300 (60%)	67,200 (80%)
Hub urban villages	4,800 (10%)	4,200 (5%)
Residential villages	7,000 (15%)	4,200 (5%)
Areas outside centers and villages	7,000 (15%)	
Manufacturing/ industrial centers	—	8,400 (10%)
TOTAL	47,000 (100%)	84,000 (100%)

N/A = Not Available

Source: Parking Inventory for the Central Puget Sound Region, PUGET SOUND REGIONAL COUNCIL / JANUARY 2002. For copy of report, go to
<http://www.psrc.org/datapubs/pubs/parking2002.htm>

Note that the PSRC collected University District data for the first time in 2002.))

C — Traffic Forecasts

Region-wide and city-limit traffic volume forecasts for the Comprehensive Plan are as follows:

Total vehicle-miles-of-travel (VMT) for the region (per day):	
1998 estimate:	76 million
2020 forecasts:	106 million (+39%)

Traffic volume at north city limit (vehicles per day):	
1998 estimate:	361,000
2020 forecasts:	413,000 (+14%)

Traffic volume at south city limit (vehicles per day):	
1998 estimate:	482,000
2020 forecasts:	546,000 (+13%)

Traffic volume at east city limit (SR 520 and I-90) (vehicles per day):	
1998 estimate:	259,300
2020 forecasts:	284,000 (+10%)

Regional transit trips as a percent of total motorized trips:	
1998 estimate:	3 percent
2020 forecasts:	6 percent

To analyze the transportation effects of the Comprehensive Plan goals and policies on the City's arterial streets in urban centers and in urban village areas, traffic conditions were analyzed for a system of 42 screenlines, shown in Transportation Figure A-13. These screenlines functionally cover the entire City, including urban centers and areas identified for future designation as urban villages. The Comprehensive Plan's level-of-service (LOS) system uses a similar screenline system, with 30 of the same screenlines. Twelve screenlines were added for this traffic forecast analysis to supplement the data in urban centers.

Traffic volumes were forecasted for arterial streets for the year 2020. These forecasted volumes were totaled for all arterials crossing a particular screenline, and this screenline volume was compared to the sum of the "planning capacities" for the arterials crossing the screenline, yielding a ratio of volume to capacity (v/c) for each direction of traffic for each screenline.

The screenline methodology was used both for the Comprehensive Plan's level-of-service system to judge the performance of the arterial system, and for the traffic forecast analysis described in this Appendix. This system was selected because it steps back from the micro-level focus of traditional intersection LOS analysis, and recognizes explicitly the broader geographic impacts of development and travel patterns. The system recognizes that no single intersection or arterial

~~operates in isolation. Motorists have choices, and they select particular routes based on a wide variety of factors. If traffic congestion on one arterial increases, it may not make sense to expand the capacity of that arterial. The City, instead, may want to shift traffic to a nearby under-used arterial, or to expand capacity on a different nearby arterial, or to implement measures to reduce travel demand—or a combination of these strategies. Accordingly, this analytic methodology focuses on a “traffic shed,” an area where arterials among which drivers logically can choose are organized for functional analysis.~~

~~Transportation Figure A-14 lists, for each screenline, the forecasted year 2020. (This Figure supplements the more limited information provided in Transportation Figure 3 in Section E. of the Comprehensive Plan Transportation Element.)~~

~~As can be seen in Transportation Figure A-14, the forecasted screenline v/c ratios for the year 2020 under the Comprehensive Plan range from 0.32 to 1.2. With one exception, each screenline that serves as a level of service (LOS) screenline, the forecasted year 2020 v/c ratio is below the LOS standard established for that screenline. By analyzing the forecasted year 2020 v/c ratios at screenlines in or near urban centers, one can evaluate the effects of the Comprehensive Plan goals and policies on the transportation systems in the urban centers.~~

~~**Downtown:** Screenlines 10.11, 12.12, A1, A2, and A3 pass through or along the edge of the Downtown Urban Center, some encompassing north-south avenues, and some encompassing east-west streets. For all five of these screenlines, the year 2020 v/c ratios under the Comprehensive Plan are below 1.0. This means that for screenlines 10.11 and 12.12, the year 2020 v/c ratios are also below the established LOS standards of 1.0 for screenline 10.11 and 1.2 for screenline 12.12.~~

~~**Seattle Center:** For the Seattle Center Urban Center, screenline A4 is an east-west screenline while screenline A5 is drawn north-south through the Urban Center. For both of these screenlines, the year 2020 v/c ratios are well below 1.0.~~

~~**First Hill/Capitol Hill:** Screenlines A6, A7, and A8 are drawn through the First Hill/ Capitol Hill Urban Center. Screenline 12.12, on the east edge of the Downtown Urban Center, is on the west edge of the First Hill/Capitol Hill Urban Center. For all four of these screenlines, the year 2020 v/c ratios under the Comprehensive Plan are well below 1.0.~~

~~⁴ As with the region-wide and city-limit traffic volume forecasts described earlier in this Appendix, the v/c ratios in Transportation Figure A-14 are based on the output of the PSRC Regional Transportation model. The traffic volume values produced from the model for this analysis differ slightly from values produced in earlier updates to the Comprehensive because of updates to the model, including a revised zone structure and revised employment estimates.~~

~~**University District:** For the University District Urban Center, screenlines 5.16 and 13.13 cover the south and west boundaries of the Urban Center, while screenline A9 passes east-west through the Center and screenline A10 is drawn north-south through the Center. The year 2020 v/c ratios under the comprehensive Plan for all four of these screenlines are below 1.0. The forecasted year 2020 v/c ratios for screenline 5.16 are nearly 1.0, compared to the LOS standard~~

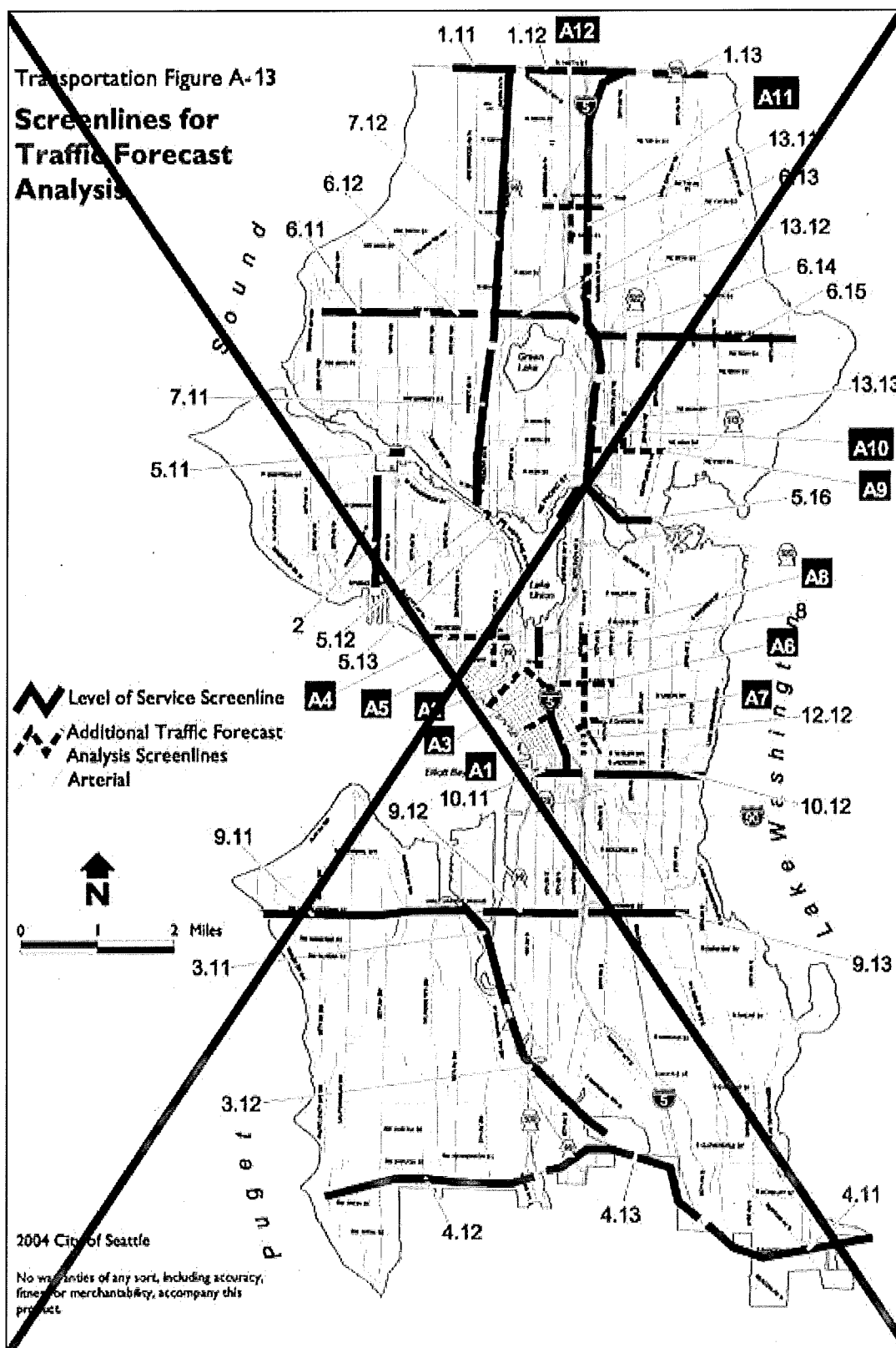
~~of 1.2. These high v/c ratios reflect traffic congestion around the University District, much of which is due to through traffic.~~

~~**Northgate:** For the Northgate Urban Center, screenline A11 is drawn east west through the Center, while screenline A12 passes north south through the Center. The year 2020 v/c ratios for both of these screenlines are well below 1.0.~~

~~**South Lake Union:** For the South Lake Union Urban Center, Screenline 8 is drawn is drawn in a north south, south of Lake Union. The year 2020 v/c ratio for this screenline is below 1.2 LOS standard.~~

~~The Comprehensive Plan includes policies to improve transit service and related transit capital facilities, as well as to improve non-motorized transportation facilities, to afford ways for people to avoid the traffic congestion inherent in dense urban centers and urban village areas. In this way, people may avoid the congestion reflected in higher v/c ratios across some screenlines.~~

~~As this analysis of transportation impacts demonstrates, the forecasted year 2020 screenline volume-to-capacity ratios under the Comprehensive Plan do not exceed the established LOS standards for any screenlines. With the exception of Screenline 5.16 for the Ballard Bridge, the forecasted year 2020 v/c ratios are within acceptable ranges. The 2020 v/c ratio forecast for Screenline 5.16 is 1.2 and the standard for that screen line is also 1.2. As provided in Comprehensive Plan Policy T69, when the calculated v/c ratio for a screenline approaches the LOS standard for that screenline, the City will pursue strategies to reduce vehicular travel demand across the screenline and/or increase the operating capacity across the screenline.~~



Transportation Figure A-14

Level of Service:
Screenline Volume-to-Capacity Ratios

Level-of-Service Screenline No.	Screenline Location	Segment	LOS Standard	Direction	2020 V/C Ratios
1.11	North City Limit	3 rd Ave. NW to Aurora Ave. N	1.20	NB	0.96
				SB	0.61
1.12	North City Limit	Meridian Ave. N to 15 th Ave. NE	1.20	NB	0.83
				SB	0.43
1.13	North City Limit	30 th Ave. NE to Lake City Way NE	1.20	NB	0.93
				SB	0.58
2	Magnolia		1.00	EB	0.51
				WB	0.64
3.11	Duwamish River	West Seattle Fwy. & Spokane St.	1.20	EB	0.55
				WB	0.86
3.12	Duwamish River	1 st Ave. S & 16 th Ave. S	1.20	NB	0.51
				SB	0.75
4.11	South City Limit	MLK Jr. Way to Rainier Ave. S	1.00	NB	0.46
				SB	0.61
4.12	South City Limit	Marine Dr. SW to Meyers Way S	1.00	NB	0.33
				SB	0.39
4.13	South City Limit	SR 99 to Airport Way S	1.00	NB	0.41
				SB	0.49
5.11	Ship Canal	Ballard Bridge	1.20	NB	1.20
				SB	0.81
5.12	Ship Canal	Fremont Bridge	1.20	NB	1.07
				SB	0.73

Level-of-Service Screenline No.	Screenline Location	Segment	LOS Standard	Direction	2020 V/C Ratios
5.13	Ship Canal	Aurora Bridge	1.20	NB	0.90
				SB	0.78
5.16	Ship Canal	University & Montlake Bridges	1.20	NB	1.10
				SB	1.07
6.11	South of NW 80 th St.	Seaview Ave. NW to 15 th Ave. NW	1.00	NB	0.47
				SB	0.32
6.12	South of N(W) 80 th St.	8 th Ave. NW to Greenwood Ave. N	1.00	NB	0.56
				SB	0.33
6.13	South of N(E) 80 th St.	Linden Ave. N to 1 st Ave. NE	1.00	NB	0.46
				SB	0.36
6.14	South of NE 80 th St.	5 th Ave. NE to 15 th Ave. NE	1.00	NB	0.76
				SB	0.48
6.15	South of NE 80 th St.	20 th Ave. NE to Sand Point Way NE	1.00	NB	0.55
				SB	0.38
7.11	West of Aurora Ave.	Fremont Pl N to N 65 th St.	1.00	EB	0.52
				WB	0.71
7.12	West of Aurora Ave.	N 80 th St. to N 145 th St.	1.00	EB	0.46
				WB	0.56
8	South of Lake Union		1.20	EB	0.96
				WB	1.06
9.11	South of	Beach Dr. SW to W	1.00	NB	0.45

Level-of-Service Screenline No.	Screenline Location	Segment	LOS Standard	Direction	2020 V/C Ratios
	Spokane St.	Marginal Way SW		SB	0.59
9.12	South of Spokane St.	E Marginal Way S to Airport Way S	1.00	NB	0.52
				SB	0.63
9.13	South of Spokane St.	15 th Ave. S to Rainier Ave. S	1.00	NB	0.58
				SB	0.64
10.11	South of S Jackson St.	Alaskan Way S to 4 th Ave. S	1.00	NB	0.70
				SB	0.69
10.12	South of S Jackson St.	12 th Ave. S to Lakeside Ave. S	1.00	NB	0.52
				SB	0.66
12.12	East of CBD		1.20	EB	0.61
				WB	0.74
13.11	East of I-5	NE Northgate Way to NE 145 th St.	1.00	EB	0.76
				WB	0.63
13.12	East of I-5	NE 65 th St. to NE 80 th St.	1.00	EB	0.46
				WB	0.48
13.13	East of I-5	NE Pacific St. to NE Ravenna Blvd.	1.00	EB	0.64
				WB	0.77

Transportation Figure A-15

Traffic Forecast:

Screenline Volume-to-Capacity Ratios

Traffic-forecast Analysis Screenline No.	Screenline-Location	Segment	Direction	2020 V/C Ratios
A1	North of Seneca St.	1 st Ave. to 6 th Ave.	NB	0.86
			SB	1.06
A2	North of Blanchard	Elliott Ave. to Westlake Ave.	NB	0.56
			SB	0.62
A3	East of 9 th St.	Lenora St. to Pike St.	EB	0.42
			WB	0.42
A4	South of Mercer	Elliott Ave. W to Aurora Ave. N	NB	0.47
			SB	0.51
A5	East of 5 th Ave. N	Denny Way to Valley St.	EB	0.47
			WB	0.59
A6	North of Pine St.	Melrose Ave. to 15 th Ave.	NB	0.48
			SB	0.56
A7	North of James St.-E Cherry St.	Boren Ave. to 14 th Ave.	NB	0.61
			SB	0.77
A8	West of Broadway	Yesler Way to E Roy St.	EB	0.60
			WB	0.55
A9	South of NE 45 th St.	7 th Ave. NE to Montlake Blvd. NE	NB	0.75
			SB	0.51
A10	East of 15 th Ave. NE	NE 45 th St. to NE 52 nd St.	EB	0.64
			WB	0.91
A11	South of Northgate Way N 110 th St.	N Northgate Way to Roosevelt Way NE	NB	0.61
			SB	0.35
A12	East of 1 st Ave. NE	NE 100 th St. to NE Northgate Way	EB	0.70
			WB	0.43))

~~((D—Intergovernmental Coordination Efforts~~

~~This section describes the City's intergovernmental coordination efforts during the development of the Comprehensive Plan, and potential impacts of the plan on the transportation systems of adjacent jurisdictions.~~

~~—Puget Sound Regional Council~~

~~Seattle is an active member of the Puget Sound Regional Council (PSRC), which is charged with certifying that local transportation plans are consistent with regional plans and goals. The City supports PSRC's Vision 2020, a transportation/land use plan that describes linking high density residential and employment centers throughout the region by high capacity transit and promoting a multi-modal transportation system. Vision 2020's goals are carried forward by this Comprehensive Plan.~~

~~The PSRC provides population, employment, and transportation data to Seattle and other jurisdictions coordination is established via this centralized information resource.~~

~~In addition, the PSRC is charged with allocating certain federal funds. Seattle has participated in establishing the criteria and selection process to determine how funds will be distributed among transportation projects.~~

~~—impacts on adjacent jurisdictions~~

~~Four jurisdictions are adjacent to the City of Seattle: the City of Shoreline, King County, and the City of Lake Forest Park along Seattle's north boundary, and the City of Tukwila and King County along Seattle's south boundary. In consultation with adjacent jurisdictions, several major arterials that lie within these jurisdictions near the Seattle border were selected for analysis. For each arterial, the existing p.m. peak hour traffic volume and forecasted year 2020 traffic volume were compared to the "planning capacity" of the arterial, yielding a volume-to-capacity (v/c) ratio. The results of this analysis are shown in Transportation Figure A-15.~~

~~For all but two of the arterials shown in Transportation Figure A-16, the p.m. peak hour v/c ratio is below 1.0, indicating that there is remaining traffic capacity currently and forecasted for the future. The exceptions are Bothell Way NE just north of NE 145th St., where the existing v/c is estimated to be .90 and the forecasted year 2020 v/c is estimated to be 1.08, and Greenwood Ave. N at 145th St. where existing outbound v/c is .5 and the forecasted year 2020 is 1.03.~~

~~These traffic volume and v/c figures reflect not only growth under Seattle's Comprehensive Plan, but also growth in the adjacent jurisdictions and throughout the central Puget Sound region. Much of the traffic on these arterials is through traffic, with neither an origin nor a destination near the arterial.~~

~~In addition to the City of Seattle's analysis of transportation impacts on adjacent jurisdictions, as described in this section, Seattle continues to work with the adjacent jurisdictions to coordinate traffic operations and to minimize cross-boundary impacts.~~

Transportation Figure A-16

Adjacent Jurisdiction Arterials:

P.M. Peak Hour Capacities, Volumes & v/c Ratios

A. Major arterials just north of Seattle/King County-Shoreline-Lake Forest Park Border (145th St.)

Arterial	Existing – PM Peak Hour						2020 – PM Peak Hour					
	Outbound			Inbound			Outbound			Inbound		
	Capacity	Volume	v/c Ratio	Capacity	Volume	v/c Ratio	Capacity	Volume	v/c Ratio	Capacity	Volume	v/c Ratio
Greenwood Ave. N	760	380	0.50	760	410	0.54	760	780	1.03	760	380	0.50
Westminster Way N	2,600	1,590	0.61	2,600	660	0.25	2,600	2,190	0.84	2,600	700	0.27
Aurora Ave. N	3,060	1,790	0.58	3,060	890	0.29	3,060	2,200	0.72	3,060	1,080	0.35
Meridian Ave. N	1,030	750	0.73	1,030	210	0.20	2,160	1,015	0.47	2,160	260	0.12
5 th Ave. NE	760	550	0.72	760	230	0.30	2,160	740	0.34	2,160	200	0.09
15 th Ave. NE	2,160	1,380	0.64	2,160	240	0.11	2,160	1,920	0.89	2,160	260	0.12
25 th Ave. NE	740	450	0.61	740	200	0.27	740	570	0.77	740	220	0.30
Bothell Way NE	2,450	2,510	0.90	2,450	1,150	0.47	2,450	2,640	1.08	2,450	1,250	0.51

B. Major arterials just south of Seattle/King County Border

Arterial	Existing – PM Peak Hour						2020 – PM Peak Hour					
	Outbound			Inbound			Outbound			Inbound		
	Capacity	Volume	v/c Ratio	Capacity	Volume	v/c Ratio	Capacity	Volume	v/c Ratio	Capacity	Volume	v/c Ratio
SW 106 th St.	1,030	200	0.19	1,030	520	0.50	1,030	290	0.28	1,030	860	0.83

Arterial	Existing – PM Peak Hour						2020 – PM Peak Hour					
	Outbound			Inbound			Outbound			Inbound		
	Capacity	Volume	v/c Ratio	Capacity	Volume	v/c Ratio	Capacity	Volume	v/c Ratio	Capacity	Volume	v/c Ratio
26 th Ave. SW	760	90	0.12	760	300	0.39	760	200	0.26	760	620	0.82
16 th Ave. SW	2,160	1,010	0.47	2,160	740	0.34	2,160	1,280	0.53	2,160	930	0.43
4 th Ave. SW	760	310	0.41	760	350	0.46	760	320	0.42	760	250	0.33
Myers Way S	1,320	700	0.53	1,320	170	0.13	1,320	660	0.50	1,320	50	0.04
8 th Ave. S	760	260	0.34	760	100	0.13	760	360	0.47	760	80	0.11
Military Rd. S	2,600	600	0.23	2,600	380	0.15	1,930	770	0.40	1,930	320	0.17
14 th Ave. S	2,600	1260	0.48	2,600	540	0.21	2,600	1,340	0.52	2,600	590	0.23
Beacon Ave. S	760	430	0.57	760	150	0.20	760	490	0.64	760	210	0.28
Renton Ave. S	1,930	280	0.15	1,930	140	0.07	1,930	400	0.21	1,930	120	0.06
Rainier Ave. S	2,160	990	0.46	2,160	200	0.09	2,160	1,220	0.56	2,160	310	0.14

C. Major arterials just south of Seattle/Tukwila Border

Arterial	Existing – PM Peak Hour						2020 – PM Peak Hour					
	Outbound			Inbound			Outbound			Inbound		
	Capacity	Volume	v/c Ratio	Capacity	Volume	v/c Ratio	Capacity	Volume	v/c Ratio	Capacity	Volume	v/c Ratio
E Marginal Way S	1,800	1,320	0.73	1,800	680	0.38	1,800	1,760	0.98	1,800	640	0.52
Airport Way S	2,200	1,400	0.64	2,200	380	0.17	2,200	1,520	0.69	2,200	410	0.19
Martin Luther King Jr Way S	2,700	1,360	0.50	2,700	950	0.35	2,700	1,790	0.66	2,700	1370	0.51

Arterial	Existing – PM Peak Hour						2020 – PM Peak Hour					
	Outbound			Inbound			Outbound			Inbound		
	Capacity	Volume	v/c Ratio	Capacity	Volume	v/c Ratio	Capacity	Volume	v/c Ratio	Capacity	Volume	v/c Ratio
51 st Ave. S	1,980	430	0.22	1,980	150	0.08	1,980	480	0.24	1,980	210	0.11

Notes: _____

Outbound and inbound directions relative to Seattle. —

Capacities for King County, Shoreline, Lake Forest Park, and Tukwila are from PSRC and Seattle traffic models.

All volumes are from Seattle traffic model Forecast Years 1998 (existing) and 2020.

v/c Ratio — volume divided by capacity.

5th Ave. NE location north of I-5 on-ramp.

Volumes rounded to the nearest ten.

Sources: City of Seattle Traffic Model; Puget Sound Regional Council (PSRC) Traffic model.))

~~E — State Highways in Seattle Inventory, Projects & Impacts~~

~~state highways~~

~~The City of Seattle cooperates with the Washington State Department of Transportation (WSDOT) and the Puget Sound Regional Council to plan improvements to state transportation facilities and services and to ensure that the City's plans are consistent with the State Transportation Plan and the Metropolitan Transportation Plan — Destination 2030. This section describes the state highways within the city, level of service standards on state highways, and impacts of the Comprehensive Plan and Regional growth plans on state highways. Other state transportation facilities are described in preceding sections of this chapter.~~

~~inventory~~

~~There are ten state highways within Seattle city limits. They are shown in Transportation Figure A-1, and include: I-5, I-90, SR 99, SR 509, SR 513, SR 519, SR 520, SR 522, SR 523, and SR 900. I-5, I-90, SR 509, and SR 520 are limited access freeways. SR 99, while not classified as a limited access facility, functions as such through most of the segment between South Spokane Street and Winona Avenue North (near Green Lake), as well as south of the intersection of First Avenue South and East Marginal Way South.~~

~~Transportation Figure A-16 summarizes general information on state highways in Seattle, as provided by WSDOT. Traffic volumes for the year 2002 and projected volumes for the year 2020 are shown in Transportation Figure A-17. The 2002 volumes were compiled from traffic counts collected by WSDOT (freeways) and Seattle Transportation (non-freeways.) The 2020 projections were developed using the City of Seattle traffic forecasting model with regional population and employment forecasts.~~

~~The following are designated as "Highways of Statewide Significance" (HSS): I-5, I-90, SR 99, SR 509, SR 519, SR 520, and SR 522. Highways of statewide significance include, at a minimum, interstate highways and other principal arterials that are needed to connect major communities in the state. The state legislation designating HSS directs the State Transportation Commission to give higher priority for correcting identified deficiencies on highways of statewide significance. Non-HSS facilities in Seattle are SR 513, SR 523, and SR 900. These highways are monitored by the Puget Sound Regional Council for regional planning purposes.~~

~~level of service standards for highways of statewide significance~~

~~WSDOT is responsible for setting level of service standards on highways of statewide significance, while local jurisdictions work with the Puget Sound Regional Council to establish level of service standards on other state highways.~~

~~WSDOT uses an Annual Average Daily Traffic to one hour capacity ratio (AADT/C) to determine the severity of congestion over a 24 hour period. Index values under this system range from 1 (little to no congestion) to 24 (theoretically, congestion over the entire 24 hour day). This~~

~~congestion indicator enables the comparison of each highway's daily volume of traffic to a one-hour capacity.~~

~~The Washington State Transportation Commission adopted this congestion index measure and established thresholds to identify "congested" highways at the index values of 10 for urban highways and 6 for rural highways. When compared to traditional peak hour measures, these thresholds approximate LOS D operation in urban areas and LOS C operation in rural areas. Highways above these thresholds are identified as deficient.~~

~~WSDOT recognizes that achieving the preferred level of service for urban areas may require solutions other than increasing capacity in all locations. Mitigation can include providing alternatives, e.g., light rail or commuter rail parallel to I-5.~~

~~Level of service standards for regionally significant highways (non-HSS)~~

~~The Puget Sound regional Council is responsible for setting levels of standards for non-HSS highways. PSRC has adopted a three tiered LOS standard that is designed to meet the needs of the Puget Sound region. These standards are as follows:~~

- ~~• Tier 1 (LOS E mitigated) is applied to all of the designated urban centers as well as a three mile buffer around the most heavily traveled freeways (I-5, I-90, I-405, SR 167, and SR 520)~~
- ~~• Tier 2 (LOS D) is applied to the "outer" urban area outside the three mile buffer area and connecting the principal Urban Growth Area to the smaller Urban Growth Areas.~~
- ~~• Tier 3 (LOS C) is applied to rural highway routes that would not fit into the Tier 2 category.~~

~~In addition, non-HSS are incorporated into the City's level of service standards for arterial streets. The non-HSS are included in screenlines with other arterial streets.~~

~~impacts on state highways~~

~~The impacts of Seattle's Comprehensive Plan on state highways are not independent of impacts from the region's transportation and land use plans. Without growth in housing and employment in Seattle, traffic volumes on state highways would still increase due to growth in other parts of the region. Transportation Figure A-18 shows the allocation of year 2024 daily trips on each of the state highways within Seattle comparing trips with origins and destinations in Seattle compared with the rest of the region. Close to 50 percent of the trips on SR 99, SR 513, SR 519, and SR 522 within the city limits have both their origin and destination within the city limits. Only two state highways—I-90 and SR 509—have more than 10 percent of their trips with neither an origin nor destination in Seattle.~~

~~Transportation Figure A-17 summarizes 2002 and projected 2020 traffic volumes and volume-to-capacity (V/C) ratios on selected segments of state highways*. The use of V/C to indicate impacts is consistent with the methodology for measuring level of service standards on the City's arterial street system. In the case of arterial level of service standards, the City estimates V/C ratios across screenlines.~~

state highway improvements

The City of Seattle will continue to coordinate with WSDOT for consistency between our plans and projects. Transportation Figure A-19 shows the Financially Constrained 20-Year Mobility Strategies from the 2002 to 2023 State Highway System Plan. In addition, the City of Seattle is participating in the planning and project development process for improvements to the SR 520 corridor across Lake Washington, and for addressing the Alaskan Way Viaduct portion of SR 99.

Transportation Figure A-17

State Highway Inventory

Route Designation	Enter City (Arm)	Leave City (Arm)	Length	Federal Functional Class	HSS or Non-HSS	Access Class	Posted Speed	# Lanes
I-5	158.24	174.64	16.40	Urban Interstate	HSS	Full limited access	60	6 to 8
I-5 Reversible Lanes	0.00	7.14	7.14	Urban Interstate	HSS	Full limited access	60	1 to 4
I-90	0.00	3.14	3.14	Urban Interstate	HSS	Full limited access	60	4 to 8
I-90 Reversible Lanes	0.00	3.09	3.09	Urban Interstate	HSS	Full limited access	60	2
SR 99	21.22	36.75	15.53	Urban Principal Arterial	HSS	Class 4 - 1 st Ave. S. bridge to Spokane St. Class 1 - Spokane St. to Thomas St. Class 3 - Thomas St. to N 85 th Class 4 - N. 85 th to N 145 th	30 to 50	4 to 7
SR 509	33.50	35.17	1.67	U1	HSS	Full limited access	45 to 55	4 to 5
SR 513	0.00	3.35	3.35	Urban Other Principal Arterial	Non-HSS	Full limited access @ SR 520 I/C Class 2 - SR 520 to NE 44 th Class 3 - NE 44 th to Magnuson Pk.	30 to 40	4 to 6
SR 519	0.00	1.14	1.14	U1	HSS	Class 5	30 to 40	4 to 6
SR 520	0.00	3.07	3.07	U1	HSS	Full limited access	40 to	4

Route Designation	Enter City (Arm)	Leave City (Arm)	Length	Federal Functional Class	HSS or Non-HSS	Access Class	Posted Speed	# Lanes
							50	
SR 522	0.00	4.22	4.22	U1	HSS	Full limited access @ I-5 I/C Class 4 for remainder	30 to 35	2 to 5
SR 523	0.00	2.45	2.45	U1	Non-HSS	Full limited access @ I-5 I/C Class 4 for remainder	35	4
SR 900	0.90	1.05	0.15	U1	Non-HSS	Class 3	50	4

*This data does not include HOV lanes. Data sources are the Washington State Department of Transportation, the Puget Sound Regional Council Traffic Model, and the City of Seattle Department of Transportation.

Transportation Figure A-18

State Highway Traffic Volumes—2002

State Highway	Location	Direction	AADT Volume	AWDT Volume	PM Peak Hour		AADT/ Capacity	AWDT/ Capacity
					Volume	V/C		
I-5	Boeing Access Rd.—Swift Ave. S	NB	105,284	108,540	6,890	0.73	11.20	11.55
		SB	111,812	115,270	8,800	0.94	11.89	12.26
I-5	Corson—Columbia Way S/West Seattle Bridge	NB	119,950	123,660	8,190	0.87	12.76	13.16
		SB	124,626	128,480	9,360	1.00	13.26	13.67
I-5	I-90—James St.	NB	139,282	143,590	10,100	0.74	10.24	10.56
		SB	138,351	142,630	10,710	0.88	11.34	11.69
I-5	Lakeview Blvd. E—SR 520	NB	148,672	153,270	13,090	0.88	10.05	10.36
		SB	137,692	141,950	7,540	0.84	15.30	15.77
I-5	SR 520—NE 50 th St.	NB	138,438	142,720	13,630	0.95	9.61	9.91
		SB	134,791	138,960	7,430	1.03	18.72	19.30
I-5	NE 65 th St.—SR 522	NB	121,357	125,110	12,040	1.00	10.11	10.43
		SB	114,363	117,900	6,100	0.85	15.88	16.38
I-5	NE 130 th St.—NE 145 th St.	NB	102,393	105,560	9,150	1.02	11.38	11.73
		SB	101,947	105,100	6,120	0.68	11.33	11.68

State Highway	Location	Direction	AADT Volume	AWDT Volume	PM Peak Hour		AADT/ Capacity	AWDT/ Capacity
					Volume	V/C		
I-90	I-5 - Rainier Ave. S	EB	56,866	62,490	6,190	0.61	5.58	6.43
		WB	54,054	59,400	5,490	0.83	8.19	9.00
I-90	Rainier Ave. S - Lake Washington	EB	71,562	78,640	7,300	0.81	7.95	8.74
		WB	71,035	78,060	5,460	1.01	13.15	14.46
SR 99	14 th Ave. S - S Cloverdale St.	NB	18,775	21,580	1,690	0.56	6.26	7.19
		SB	15,016	17,260	1,470	0.49	5.01	5.75
SR 99	14 th Ave. S - S Cloverdale St.	NB	18,775	21,580	1,690	0.56	6.26	7.19
		SB	15,016	17,260	1,470	0.49	5.01	5.75
SR 99	W Marginal Way S - S Michigan St. (1 st Ave. S Br.)	NB	38,767	44,560	2,880	0.48	6.46	7.43
		SB	35,044	40,280	4,450	0.74	5.84	6.71
SR 99	E Marginal Way - West Seattle Bridge	NB	23,777	27,330	2,530	0.94	8.81	10.12
		SB	21,976	25,260	2,500	0.93	8.14	9.36
SR 99	1 st Ave. S Ramps - Seneca/Spring	NB	48,851	56,150	5,100	0.94	9.05	10.40
		SB	46,006	52,880	5,200	0.96	8.52	9.79
SR 99	Roy St. - Bridge Way N (Aurora Bridge)	NB	35,199	38,680	4,050	0.79	6.90	7.58
		SB	37,965	41,720	3,460	0.68	7.44	8.18
SR 99	Winona Ave. N - N 80 th St.	NB	18,355	20,170	2,100	0.78	6.80	7.47
		SB	19,265	21,170	1,500	0.56	7.14	7.84
SR 99	Roosevelt Way N - N 145 th St.	NB	17,536	19,270	1,860	0.94	8.86	9.73
		SB	18,236	20,040	1,350	0.68	9.21	10.12
SR 99	S 112 th St. - S Cloverdale St.	NB	16,617	19,100	1,460	0.41	4.62	5.31
		SB	14,999	17,240	1,690	0.47	4.17	4.79

Transportation Figure A-18 (continued)

State Highway Traffic Volumes — 2020

State Highway	Location	Direction	AADT Volume	AWDT Volume	P.M. Peak Hour		AADT/ Capacity	AWDT/ Capacity
					Volume	V/C		

State Highway	Location	Direction	AADT Volume	AWDT Volume	P.M. Peak Hour		AADT/ Capacity	AWDT/ Capacity
					Volume	V/C		
I-5	Boeing Access Rd.- Swift Ave. S	NB	113,784	117,300	6,090	0.65	12.10	12.48
		SB	109,254	112,630	9,300	0.99	11.62	11.98
I-5	Corson- Columbia Way SA West Seattle Bridge	NB	136,110	140,320	7,920	0.84	14.48	14.93
		SB	141,329	145,700	10,010	1.06	15.04	15.50
I-5	I-90-James St.	NB	161,554	166,550	11,110	0.82	11.88	12.25
		SB	163,280	168,330	13,290	1.09	13.38	13.80
I-5	Lakeview Blvd. E- SR 520	NB	173,213	178,570	16,490	1.11	11.70	12.07
		SB	168,547	173,760	9,520	1.06	18.73	19.31
I-5	SR 520-NE 50 th St.	NB	171,380	176,680	15,600	1.08	11.90	12.27
		SB	169,090	174,320	8,970	1.25	23.48	24.21
I-5	NE 65 th St.-SR 522	NB	153,483	158,230	14,120	1.18	12.79	13.19
		SB	147,780	152,350	7,350	1.02	20.52	21.16
I-5	NE 130 th St.- NE 145 th St.	NB	137,342	141,590	11,070	1.23	15.26	15.73
		SB	134,772	138,940	6,850	0.76	14.97	15.44
I-90	I-5-Rainier Ave. S	EB	48,185	52,950	8,500	0.83	4.72	5.19
		WB	38,648	42,470	6,500	0.98	5.86	6.43
I-90	Rainier Ave. S- Lake Washington	EB	69,797	76,700	9,240	1.03	7.76	8.52
		WB	69,251	76,100	7,070	1.31	12.82	14.09
SR 99	14 th Ave. S-S Cloverdale St.	NB	22,168	25,480	2,030	0.68	7.39	8.49
		SB	21,393	24,590	1,910	0.64	7.13	8.20
SR 99	W Marginal Way S-S Michigan St. (4 th Ave. S Br.)	NB	48,459	55,700	3,320	0.55	8.08	9.28
		SB	46,684	53,660	5,910	0.99	7.78	8.94
SR 99	E Marginal Way- West Seattle Bridge	NB	32,338	37,170	2,640	0.98	11.98	13.77
		SB	30,963	35,590	3,120	1.16	11.47	13.18
SR 99	4 th Ave. S Ramps- Seneca/Spring	NB	51,304	58,970	4,400	0.81	9.50	10.92
		SB	48,946	56,260	5,240	0.97	9.06	10.42
SR 99	Roy St.-Bridge Way	NB	37,801	41,540	5,390	1.06	7.41	8.15

State Highway	Location	Direction	AADT Volume	AWDT Volume	P.M. Peak Hour		AADT/ Capacity	AWDT/ Capacity
					Volume	V/C		
	N (Aurora Bridge)	SB	38,493	42,300	4,460	0.87	7.55	8.29
SR 99	Winona Ave. N- N 80 th St.	NB	24,980	27,450	2,300	0.85	9.25	10.17
		SB	23,724	26,070	1,840	0.68	8.79	9.66
SR 99	Roosevelt Way N- N 145 th St.	NB	25,234	27,730	2,670	1.35	12.74	14.01
		SB	25,571	28,100	1,680	0.85	12.91	14.19
SR 99	S 112 th St.- S Cloverdale St.	NB	32,329	37,160	1,960	0.54	8.98	10.32
		SB	29,824	34,280	2,340	0.65	8.28	9.52

Transportation Figure A-18 (continued)
State Highway Traffic Volumes—2020

State Highway	Location	Direction	AADT Volume	AWDT Volume	P.M. Peak Hour		AADT/ Capacity	AWDT/ Capacity
					Volume	V/C		
SR-513	SR-520 Ramps— NE Pacific St. (Montlake Br.)	NB	24,684	26,830	2,870	1.30	11.22	12.20
		SB	24,573	26,710	3,380	1.54	11.17	12.14
SR-513	Montlake Blvd. NE— Union Bay Pl. NE	EB	18,216	19,800	2,040	0.85	7.59	8.25
		WB	18,216	19,800	1,450	0.60	7.59	8.25
SR-522	Roosevelt Way NE— 12 th Ave. NE	NB	14,194	15,100	1,680	1.05	8.87	9.44
		SB	20,475	22,500	920	0.46	10.24	11.25
SR-522	NE 137 th St.— NE 145 th St.	NB	19,176	20,400	2,250	1.02	8.72	9.27
		SB	18,655	20,500	1,250	0.57	8.48	9.32
SR-523	5 th Ave. NE— 15 th Ave. NE	EB	18,414	19,800	1,400	0.78	10.23	11.00
		WB	18,693	20,100	920	0.51	10.39	11.17
SR-520	I-5 Montlake Blvd.	EB	51,051	56,100	5,430	1.01	9.45	10.39
		WB	55,829	61,350	5,470	1.01	10.34	11.36
SR-520	Montlake Blvd.— Lake Washington	EB	58,804	64,620	6,780	1.26	10.89	11.97
		WB	60,333	66,300	6,090	1.13	11.17	12.28
SR-519	1 st Ave. S—4 th Ave. S	EB	20,157	22,150	1,830	0.83	9.16	10.07
		WB	12,103	13,300	1,500	0.68	5.50	6.05

Transportation Figure A-19

Origins & Destinations of Trips on State Highways Within Seattle – Comp Plan Year 2024

	Seattle to Seattle (internal)	Seattle to Region	Region to Seattle	Region to Region (external)
PM Peak Hour				
I-5 @ Ship Canal Bridge	29%	37%	19%	15%
I-90 w/o Rainier Ave. S	10%	44%	26%	20%
SR 99 @ Viaduct	42%	52%	2%	4%
SR 509 n/o Cloverdale Int.	7%	57%	24%	12%
SR 513 n/o Montlake Br.	36%	38%	26%	0%
SR 519/Royal Brough. Way	32%	39%	7%	22%
SR 520 w/o Montlake Br.	13%	44%	34%	9%
SR 522 btwn. 15 th /20 th Ave. NE	58%	29%	9%	4%
SR 523 btwn. 5 th /15 th Ave. NE	13%	43%	35%	9%
Daily				
I-5 @ Ship Canal Bridge	32%	22%	21%	25%
I-90 w/o Rainier Ave. S	5%	41%	41%	13%
SR 99 @ Viaduct	46%	26%	26%	2%
SR 509 n/o Cloverdale Int.	5%	45%	43%	7%
SR 513 n/o Montlake Br.	36%	32%	32%	0%
SR 519/Royal Brough. Way	53%	15%	26%	6%
SR 520 w/o Montlake Br.	18%	36%	39%	7%
SR 522 btwn. 15 th /20 th Ave. NE	64%	16%	17%	3%
SR 523 btwn. 5 th /15 th Ave. NE	13%	41%	39%	7%

Source: City Of Seattle Traffic Model

Transportation Figure A-20

WSDOT State Highway Project List

Region	CTY	SR	NH S	Section Length	Improvement Program	Location	Description of Improvement	Est. Cost 1997\$		Accuracy	Financially Constrained
								Low	High		
Northwest	King	5	Y	0.45	Mobility	Airport/Industrial Way Interchange Vicinity	HOV direct access to Industrial Way and the E-3 Busway.	\$44.77 M	\$60.57 M	Planning	yes
Northwest	King	5	Y	1.40	Mobility	E. Denny Way to SR-520	NFS - modify Mercer St. I/C and reversible lane for weave from SR-520 to Mercer St.	\$133.4 M	\$180.48 M	Planning	yes
Northwest	King	5	Y	0.00	Mobility	NE 50 th St. I/C	HOV Direct Access Ramps at NE 50 th St.	\$24.96 M	\$33.78 M	Planning	yes
Northwest	King	5	Y	0.00	Mobility	SR-523 (NE 145 th St.) I/C Vicinity	HOV Direct Access Ramps at SR 523/145 th	\$8.78 M	\$11.88 M	Planning	yes
Northwest	King	99	Y	3.05	Mobility	SR-509 I/C to Spokane St.	[New parallel 1st Ave. southbound bridge, rehab existing bridge] NFS - HOV lanes, partial access control, signal coordination? Regional rail system.	\$1.41 M	\$1.91 M	Scoping	yes
Northwest	King	99	Y	3.05	Mobility	4 th Ave. S to Denny Way.	Study w/ city of Seattle for seismic retrofit of existing facility or removal of existing facility & construction of new roadway	\$850,000	\$1.10 M	Planning	Yes
Northwest	King	99	Y	1.94	Mobility	N. 105 th St. to N 145 th St. (Seattle-NCL)	Study with city of Seattle - Widen to 6/7 lanes for HOV w/ transit & pedestrian improvements. Aggressive access management. Signal coordination. Regional Bus service	\$16.01 M	\$21.67 M	Planning	yes

Region	CTY	SR	NH S	Section	Improvement	Location	Description of Improvement	Est. Cost 1997\$		Accuracy	Financially Constrained
Northwest	King	509	Y	3.99	Mobility	S-136 th St. to 1 st Ave. S	NFS—widen to 6 lanes w/ HOV	\$44.25-M	\$59.87-M	Planning	yes
Northwest	King	520	Y	12.83	Mobility	Seattle to Redmond	Needs further study	\$5,100-M	\$6,900-M	Planning	Yes
Northwest	King	522	Y	11.10	Mobility	I-5 to I-405	SR-522 Transportation Demand Management (TDM) Project	\$2.64-M	\$3.58-M	Planning	Yes))

Attachment 12 Housing Appendix

Housing Appendix

~~((Overview~~

~~The appendix to the housing element presents information and analysis to aid policy decisions related to housing. The 2005-2008 Consolidated Plan also serves as a resource for housing data, objectives, strategies and policies.~~

~~A Seattle's Existing Housing Needs~~

~~Housing costs that exceed 30 percent of a household's income are "unaffordable," per definition by HUD. Over half of Seattle's low-income households (those with incomes up to 80 percent of median family income (MFI)) pay more than they can afford for housing costs. The percentage increased from 52 percent in 1990 to 57 percent in 2000. The proportion of low-income households with worst case housing needs (those paying over 50 percent of their household income for housing costs) increased from 23 percent to 28 percent between 1990 and 2000. The 28 percent of low-income households with worst case housing needs in 2000 is comprised of 19 percent renters and 9 percent homeowners, and totals almost 32,000 households according to 2000 Census data. These households are at high risk of becoming homeless or having to move out of Seattle for housing affordability reasons.~~

~~renter households with housing needs~~

~~Housing Figure A-1 shows Seattle renter households with worst case housing needs, broken down by household type and income. Extremely low income households are those making up to 30 percent of the median family income. Very low income households make between 31 percent and 50 percent of the median family income, and low-moderate income households are those making between 51 percent and 80 percent of the median family income. Singles living alone or with other unrelated individuals account for the majority of all low-income households in Seattle. Over 60 percent of extremely low-income singles living alone or with other unrelated individuals pay more than 50 percent of their monthly income for rent and utilities. This particular population group ranks first, both in absolute numbers (10,102) and percent (61 percent) with worst case housing needs. Among small family households (2-4 related persons, including couples without children), 58 percent or 2,935 of those with extremely low-incomes pay over 50 percent of their monthly income for rent and utilities. Another 695 extremely low-income families of 5 or more related persons have worst case housing needs (57 percent of total number of households of this type). Seniors with extremely and very low incomes have the next highest proportion paying over 50 percent of monthly income for rental housing costs: 36 percent or 2,527 among seniors with extremely low-income seniors and 27 percent or 960 of very low-income seniors.~~

~~Housing Figures A-2a through A-2d show total numbers of low-income renter households and, of those, how many pay more than 30 percent and 50 percent of their~~

household income for rent and utilities in 1990 compared to 2000. Housing cost burden trends for low income renters improved between 1990 and 2000 for certain household types, particularly small families with or without children with incomes 0-50 percent MFI and large families with incomes 31-50 percent MFI.

For low income 2-4 person families, the number of those paying more than they can afford for rent and utilities decreased by 7 percent in the past decade. For large families with 5 or more persons, 8 percent fewer were paying more than 30 percent of their income for housing costs and 12 percent more were paying more than 50 percent of their income for housing costs in 2000 compared to 1990. The total number of low-income family households who rent housing in Seattle declined 1 percent during that same time.

Housing Figure A-1

Seattle Renter Households by Type & Income:

Ranked by Percent Paying Over ½ of Monthly Household Income for Rent & Utilities

Household Type	Household Income (% MFI)	Total Renter Households	Number Paying Over ½ of Income for Housing	Percent Paying Over ½ of Income for Housing
Singles/unrelated*	0-30%	16,560	10,102	61.0%
Small related**	0-30%	5,060	2,935	58.0%
Large related***	0-30%	1,224	695	56.8%
Senior****	0-30%	6,999	2,527	36.1%
Senior	31-50%	3,583	960	26.8%
Singles/unrelated	31-50%	11,600	2,656	22.9%
Small related	31-50%	4,620	748	16.2%
Senior	51-80%	2,935	475	16.2%
Large related	31-50%	935	115	12.3%
Senior	Above 80%	3,630	276	7.6%

Household Type	Household Income (% MFI)	Total Renter Households	Number Paying Over ½ of Income for Housing	Percent Paying Over ½ of Income for Housing
Small related	51-80%	6,255	231	3.7%
Large related	51-80%	1,060	30	2.8%
Singles/unrelated	51-80%	20,095	563	2.8%
Small related	Above 80%	13,929	56	0.4%
Singles/unrelated	Above 80%	33,238	33	0.1%
Large related	Above 80%	1,499	0	0.0%
TOTAL	All Income Levels	133,222	22,402	16.8%

* _____ Singles/unrelated = predominantly singles living alone, but also includes singles sharing housing with other persons of no relation

** _____ Small family = 2 to 4 person households, including married couples or other family without children (except seniors)

*** Large family = 5 or more person households

**** Senior = 1 to 2 person households

Source: 2000 Census, HUD Special Tabulation Data

The decline in the total number of low income senior renters was steeper, at 14 percent. The number of those who pay more than 30 percent of their income for housing costs dropped 18 percent, but the number with severe housing cost burdens (greater than 50 percent of income) increased 1 percent between 1990 and 2000.

Singles living either alone or with others are the only type of low income renter household to increase in Seattle in the 1990's. Overall, the number of households of this type increased 19 percent. As shown on Housing Figure A-2a, the number paying more than they can afford for rental housing costs increased 15 percent, which is proportionally less than the net gain of total households comprised of a single person or a group of single persons. The level of need among households of this type is still great, however, with over 13,000 low income households comprised of single individuals who rent apartments or houses in Seattle paying more than half of their income for housing costs in 2000.

Housing Figure A-2a

**~~Renter Households: Total Households &
 Cost Burden (1990 vs. 2000)~~**

~~Low-Income Single & Unrelated Individuals~~

Measure	1990	2000	% Change
Total households	40,700	48,255	19%
Cost burden > 30% of household income	24,714	28,448	15%
Cost burden > 50% of household income	11,431	13,324	17%

Housing Figure A-2b

**~~Renter Households:
 Total Households & Cost Burden
 (1990 vs. 2000)~~**

~~Low-Income Small Family~~

Measure	1990	2000	% Change
Total households	16,119	15,935	-1%
Cost burden > 30% of household income	9,625	8,984	-7%
Cost burden > 50% of household income	4,243	3,914	-8%

Housing Figure A-2c

**Renter Households:
 Total Households & Cost Burden
 (1990 vs. 2000)**

Low-Income Large Family

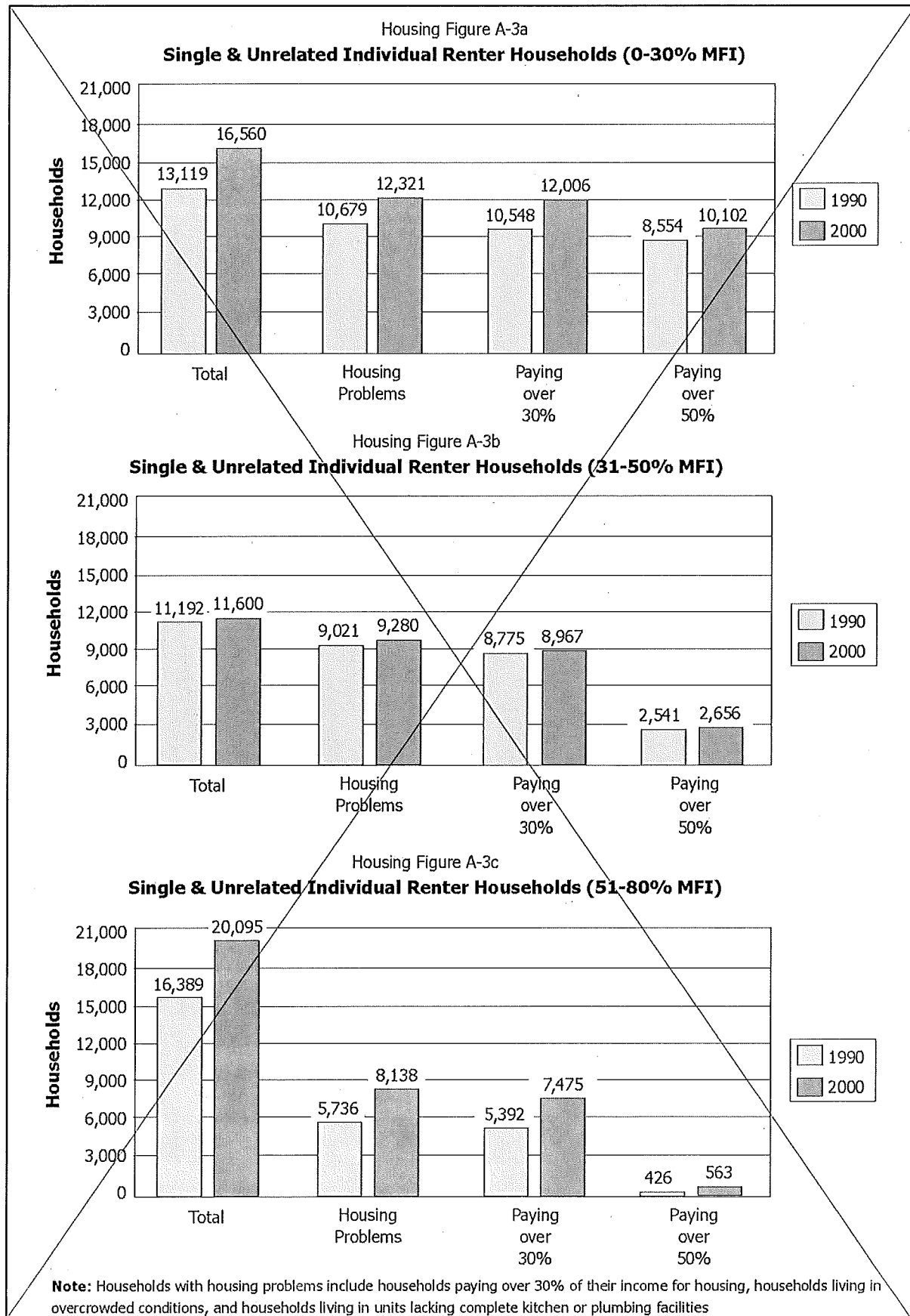
Measure	1990	2000	% Change
Total households	3,238	3,219	-1%
Cost burden > 30% of household income	1,725	1,584	-8%
Cost burden > 50% of household income	748	840	12%

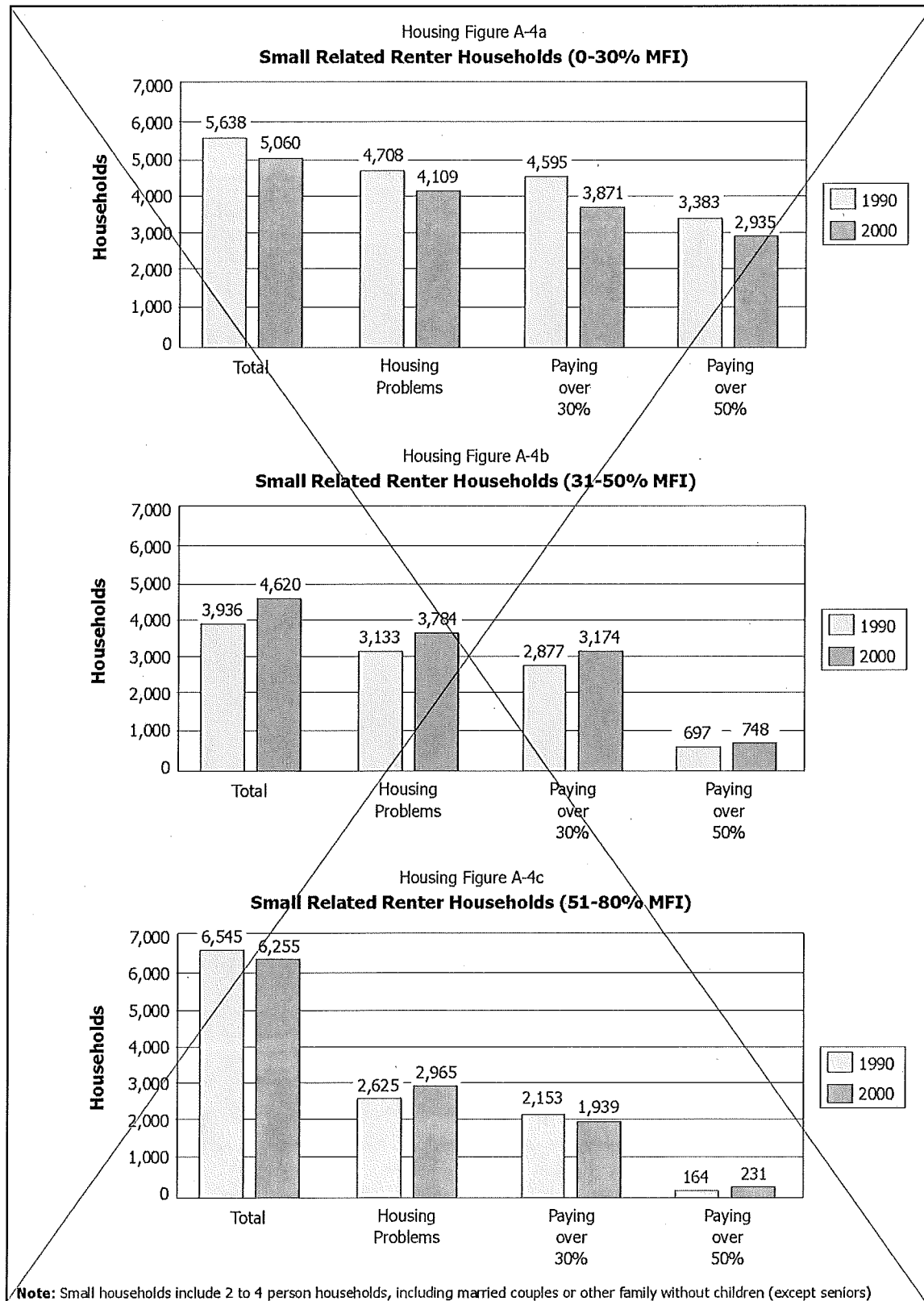
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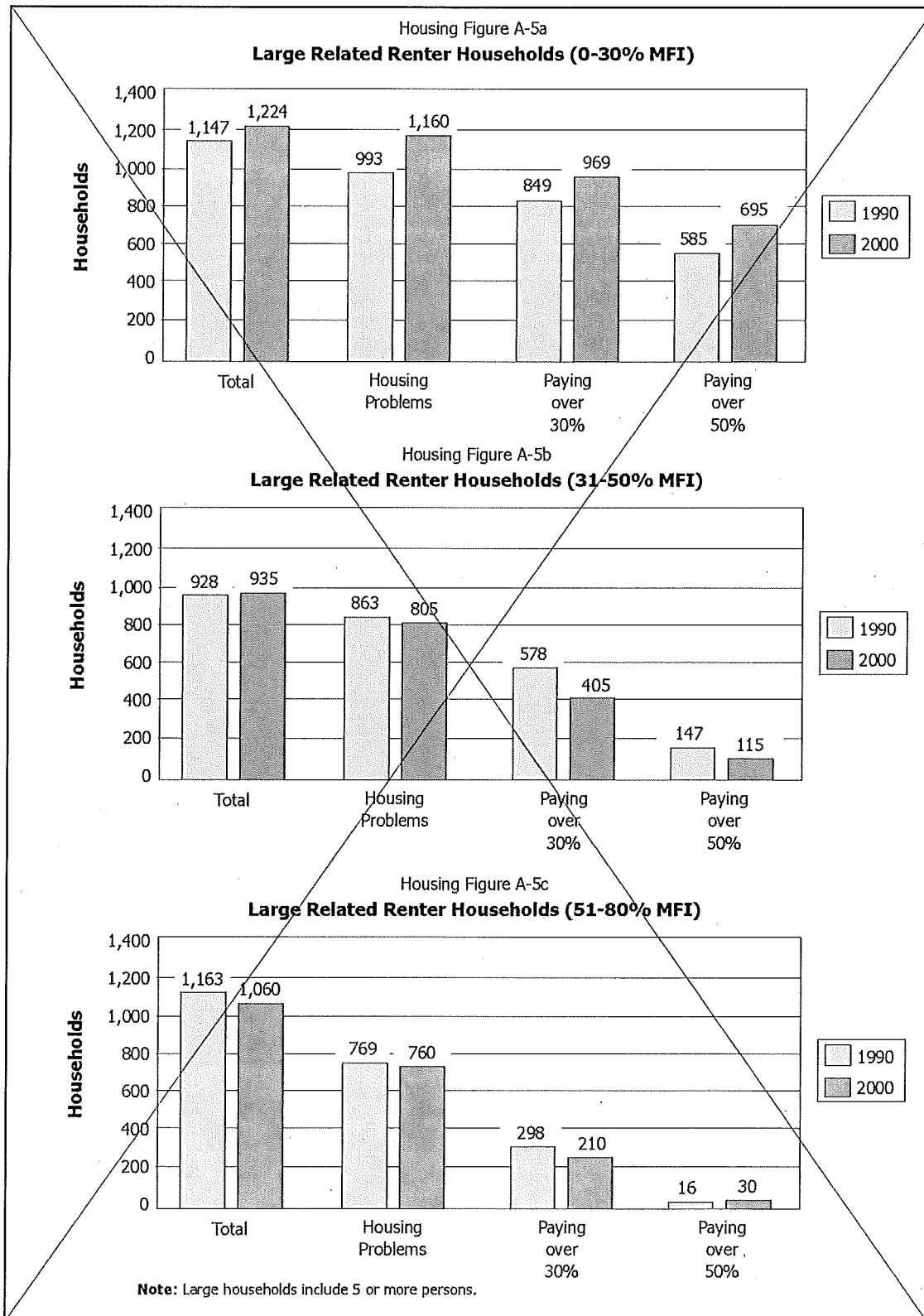
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 Total Households & Cost Burden (1990 vs. 2000) Low-Income Senior**

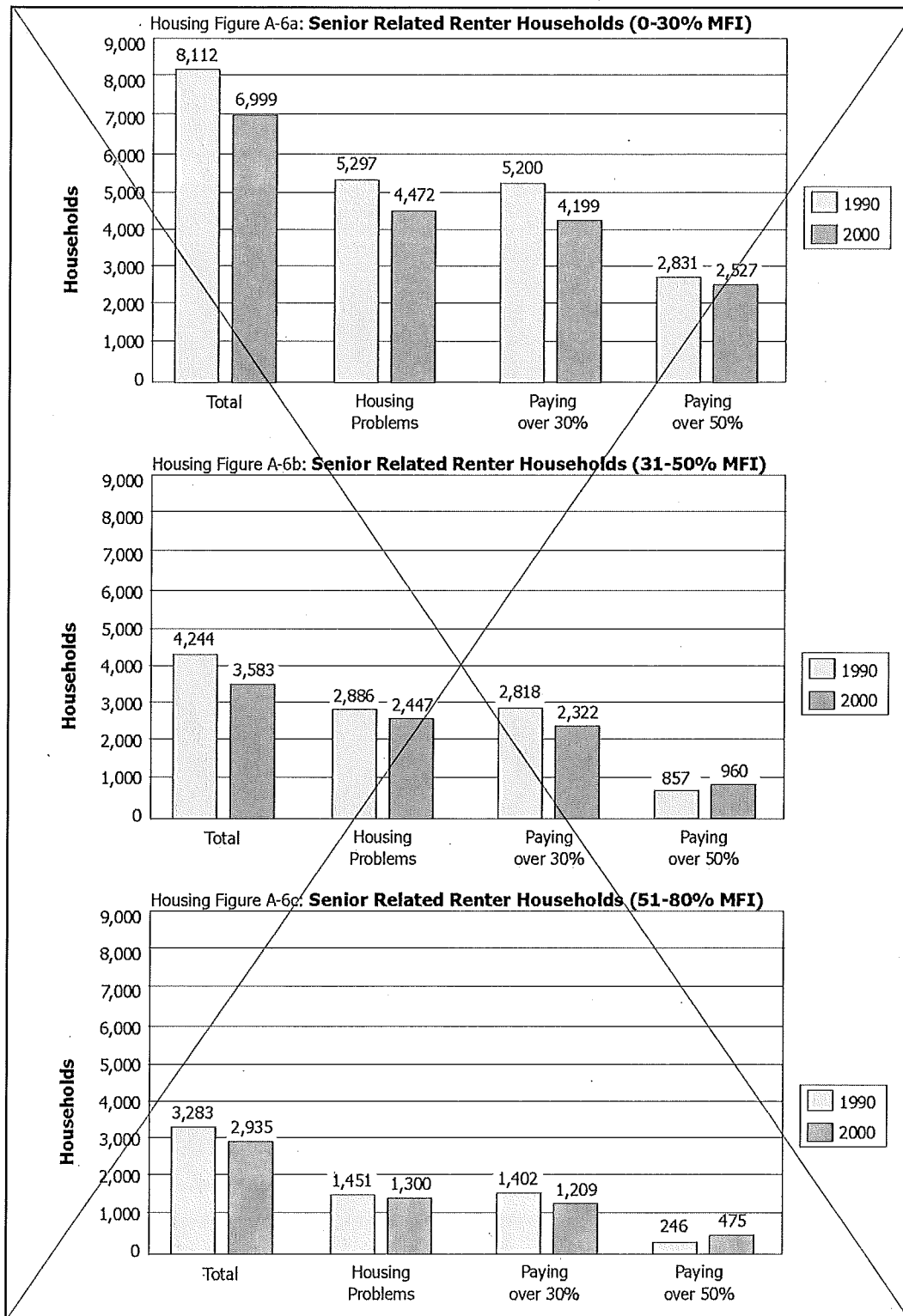
Measure	1990	2000	% Change
Total households	15,639	13,517	-14%
Cost burden > 30% of household income	9,420	7,730	-18%
Cost burden > 50% of household income	3,935	3,962	-1%

Housing Figures A-3 through A-6 provide additional trend data for renter households in Seattle, both by income level and household type:))









((homeowner households with
 housing needs

Housing Figure A-7 shows Seattle households who own their homes and have worst-case housing needs, broken down by household type and income. Extremely low-income families and singles who own their homes are most likely to be severely burdened by their housing costs. Among households with incomes up to 30 percent of MFI, 74 percent of small families (including couples without children), 70 percent of singles and unrelated individuals, and 68 percent of large families pay more than half of their income for mortgage, taxes, insurance and utilities. Among the 3,854 extremely low-income senior households who own their homes, 1757 pay over half of their income for housing costs. High home prices and rising tax costs are impacting owner households with incomes above 30 percent of MFI as well.

Housing Figure A-7

Seattle Homeowner Households by Type & Income:

**Ranked by Percent Paying Over ½ of Monthly Household Income for Mortgage,
 Taxes,
 Insurance & Utilities**

Household Type	Household Income (% MFI)	Total Owner Households	Number Paying Over ½ of Income for Housing Costs	Percent Paying Over ½ of Income for Housing Costs
Small family**	0-30%	1,164	860	73.9%
Singles/unrelated*	0-30%	1,895	1,334	70.4%
Large family***	0-30%	284	194	68.3%
Singles/unrelated	31-50%	1,605	844	52.6%
Large family	31-50%	510	260	51.0%
Small family	31-50%	1,620	755	46.6%
Senior****	0-30%	3,854	1,757	45.6%
Singles/unrelated	51-80%	4,199	1,146	27.3%
Small family	51-80%	4,649	948	20.4%

Household Type	Household Income (% MFI)	Total Owner Households	Number Paying Over ½ of Income for Housing Costs	Percent Paying Over ½ of Income for Housing Costs
Senior	31-50%	4,620	901	19.5%
Large family	51-80%	1,300	150	11.5%
Senior	51-80%	6,568	709	10.8%
Singles/unrelated	Above 80%	25,585	819	3.2%
Senior	Above 80%	15,954	431	2.7%
Small family	Above 80%	45,610	821	1.8%
Large family	Above 80%	5,750	58	1.0%
TOTAL	All Income Levels	125,167	11,987	9.6%

* Singles/unrelated = predominantly singles living alone, but also includes singles sharing housing with other persons of no relation

** Small family = 2 to 4 person households, including married couples or other family without children (except seniors)

*** Large family = 5 or more person households

**** Senior = 1 to 2 person households

Source: 2000 Census, HUD Special Tabulation Data

Housing cost burden for low income (0-80 percent of MFI) homeowners has worsened dramatically since 1990. The total number of low income seniors who own their homes decreased 21 percent between 1990 and 2000, but the number of senior households who are paying more than they can afford for mortgage, taxes, insurance and utilities increased 45 percent. The number of low income senior homeowners who pay over half of their income for housing costs increased 78 percent. See Housing Figure A-8a for more detail.

Housing Figure A-8a

Low-Income Senior Homeowners: Total Households & Cost Burden (1990 vs. 2000)

Measure	1990	2000	% Change
Total households	19,153	15,042	-21%
Cost burden > 30% of household income	4,135	6,043	45%
Cost burden > 50% of household income	1,897	3,367	78%

Data also shows rapidly escalating housing costs for other low income homeowners as well. The total number of low income non-senior households who own their homes increased 14 percent between 1990 and 2000, but the number of those who are paying more than they can afford for mortgage, taxes, insurance and utilities increased 46 percent. The number of low income households (excluding seniors) who pay over half of their income for homeownership related housing costs increased 89 percent between 1990 and 2000. See Housing Figure A-8b for more detail.

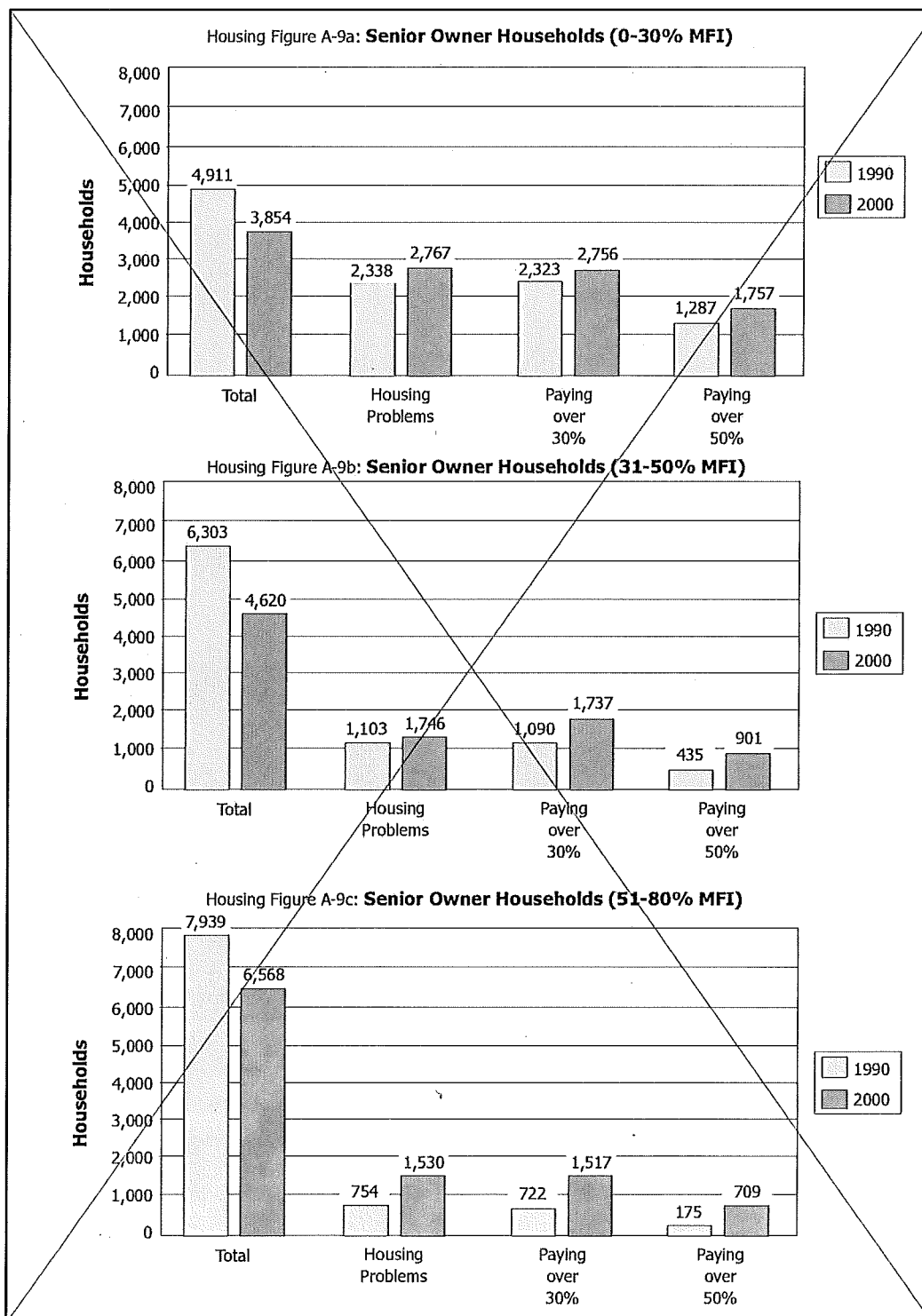
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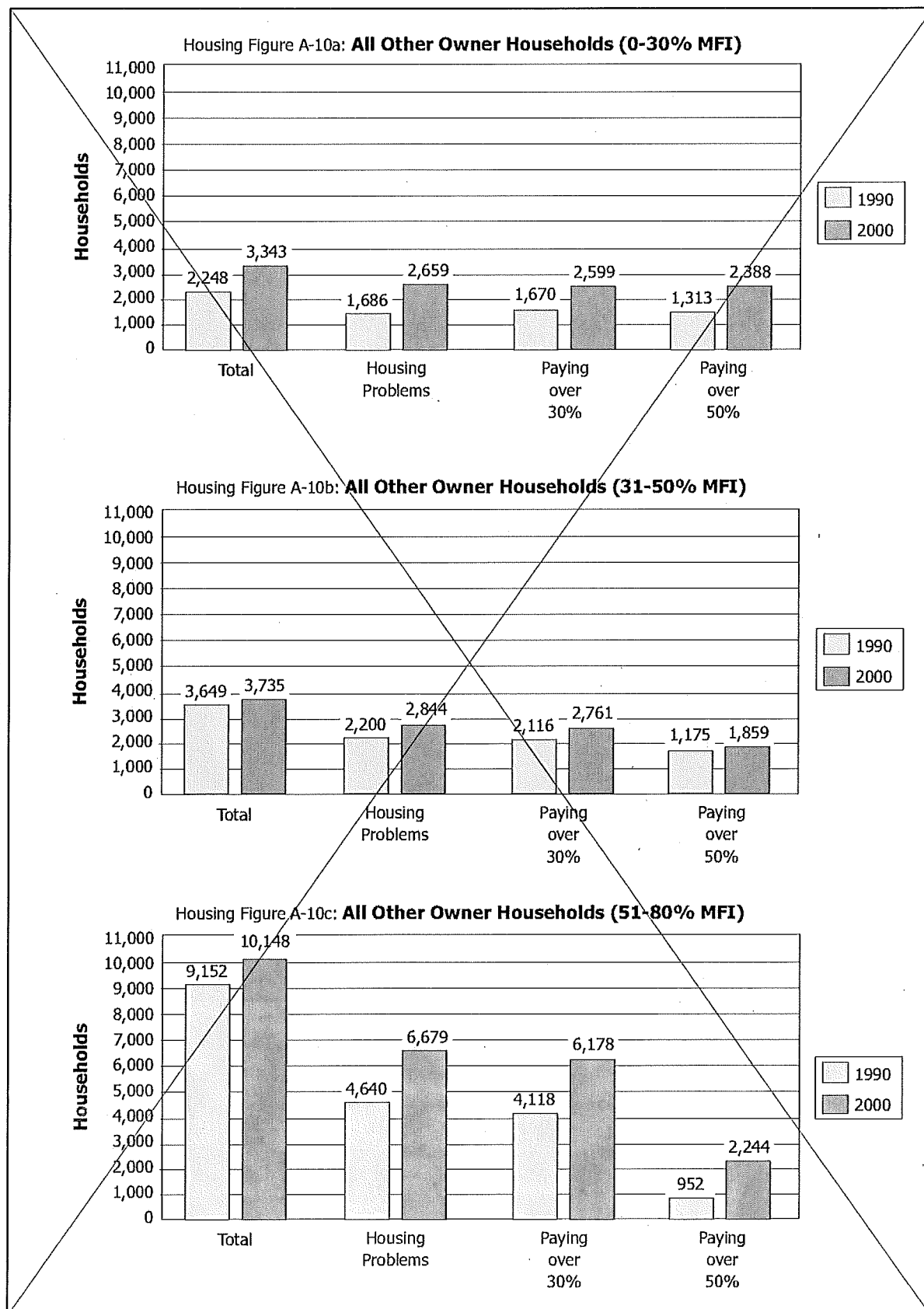
All Other Low-Income Homeowners: Total Households & Cost Burden (1990 vs. 2000)

Measure	1990	2000	% Change
Total households	15,049	16,775	14%
Cost burden > 30% of household income	7,904	11,538	46%
Cost burden > 50% of household income	3,440	6,491	89%

Housing Figures A-9 and A-10 illustrate the negative trends for low income homeowners in terms of rapid escalation of housing costs in the 1990's. (The 1990

data includes cost burden statistics for senior homeowners, but not for other specific types of homeowner households.) This trend has continued to accelerate since 2000, in spite of a recessionary economic environment.)





~~((homeless & special needs populations~~

~~An estimated 8,000 homeless men, women and children are on the streets or in shelters or emergency housing in King County on any given night. The majority of these individuals are located within the City of Seattle. A one-night count of homeless individuals conducted in Seattle in October 2003 identified 1,899 people actually living on the streets. In addition, 4,617 individuals in 3,126 households were staying in shelters and transitional housing. Most of these individuals are between the ages of 25 and 59. Approximately 56 percent are persons of color. Ninety-eight percent of these individuals report either having no source of income or extremely low-income (0-30 percent MFI) through SSI, unemployment insurance, or state general assistance.~~

~~The one-night count data may underestimate the level of need in the region. For example, DESC, which operates the largest shelter in Seattle and prioritizes its shelter capacity for individuals with chronic and severe conditions such as mental illness, provided shelter services to more than 10,000 unduplicated persons in 2003 and general services to more than 11,000. In 2002, the local Seattle-King County Health Care for the Homeless Network (HCHN) provided care to over 22,000 unduplicated homeless people and those at high risk of recurring homelessness, including 2,396 unduplicated single adults in downtown shelters.~~

~~A significant proportion of homeless individuals in the Seattle area meet the definition of "chronic homelessness" (homeless for a year or longer or have had four or more episodes of homelessness in the past three years, and are disabled). Of single adults served by HCHN during 2002, 43 percent had been homeless for at least one year. In addition, 42 percent of the homeless single adults counted in October 2003 reported having at least one disabling condition (28 percent reported mental illness, 32 percent reported alcohol or substance abuse, 14 percent reported co-occurring disorders, 10 percent reported physical disabilities, and 3 percent reported HIV/AIDS). HCHN estimates that, based on 2002 service data, at least 4,973 men and women in the downtown Seattle area meet the definition of chronic homelessness.~~

~~Additional data underscores the nature and extent of the disabilities with which these populations struggle:~~

- ~~• Mental illness: Sixteen percent (4,322) of the individuals receiving services from the publicly funded mental health Regional Support Network were homeless at some point during 2002. More than 30 percent (1,222) of the individuals served at King County's behavioral health crisis triage center during 2002 reported being currently homeless.~~

- ~~• Chemical dependency: An estimated 28,650 low-income adults in King County are chemically dependent and in need of treatment in any given year. Between 12,000 and 18,750 of these individuals are both mentally ill and chemically dependent, yet fewer than 10 percent receive the services they require to promote stabilization and recovery. Data from HCHN indicates that 22 percent of their clients need chemical~~

~~dependency treatment. In 2003, King County documented over 2,000 adults in Seattle seeking services due to mental illness and/or chemical dependency. In addition, there are 350 people with chronic mental illness living in boarding homes in Seattle who need permanent supportive housing.~~

- ~~• HIV/AIDS: More than 2,000 individuals are currently living with HIV/AIDS in King County, with an additional 6,000 to 9,000 persons estimated to be infected with HIV. Housing services are requested by 50 percent of the total AIDS population and actual housing units are among 33 percent of those living with AIDS.~~

- ~~• Chronic & acute medical conditions: Chronically homeless people in Seattle suffer from chronic and acute medical conditions at rates far higher than the general population. Hypertension, diabetes, hepatitis, sexually transmitted diseases, skin conditions, trauma and tuberculosis are common conditions.~~

~~Research shows that the provision of housing by itself, or the delivery of intensive supportive services in isolation from housing, are both insufficient to promote stability over time for most individuals struggling with homelessness, mental illness, and co-occurring disorders such as substance abuse disorders, developmental disabilities, and HIV/AIDS or other chronic health problems. Provision of supportive housing, combined with appropriate treatment and support, is critical.~~

~~B Who are We Planning For?~~

~~The number of people living in Seattle grew over nine percent during the 1990's, averaging 0.009 percent annually, but the pace of growth appears to have slowed since to average 0.005 percent annually. The Comprehensive Plan anticipates population growth to average about 0.008 between 2000 and 2020.~~

~~Seattle's population, like the nation's, is becoming older and more diverse in terms of race and Hispanic ethnicity. Birth rates are low in Seattle; on average women in Seattle have 1.23 children compared to 2.0 for the U.S. overall. Conversely, life expectancy continues to rise. As a consequence, natural increase accounted for one third of Seattle's growth between 1990 and 2000. But birth rates cannot go much lower than they are now. On the contrary, because of Seattle's appeal to international migrant's future birth rates are likely to increase rather than decline further. On average immigrants have higher birth rates than people born in the U.S. and immigrants accounted for 17 percent of Seattle residents in 2000.~~

~~Since Seattle households continue to increase in number faster than the population the average number of people per household persists in its downward slide. Down from 2.70 in 1960, Seattle households averaged 2.08 people in 2000—the third lowest of all U.S. cities with populations of at least 100,000 and down from 2.70 in 1960.~~

~~Because individuals shape our households, changes in the population have translated into a more diverse mix of household types in Seattle. Low birth and death rates; an increasing share of people born abroad and changes in their origin; changes in the~~

numbers and ages of people migrating into and out of Seattle; and the aging of residents already here have all had a role in the mix of households now in place.

Since 1980, the biggest change in the makeup of Seattle households was the growth of nonfamily households; one person living alone and unrelated people living together grew by 40,000 (see Figure A-11). At the same time households comprised of a married couple with at least one child decreased by over 5,000. In percentage terms, nonfamily households nearly doubled between 1980 and 2000 and family households with a child who lived without a parent increased 17 percent.

In 2000 the largest share of Seattle households—41 percent—were one person living alone; 20 percent were a married couple without children; 15 percent were two or more unrelated persons living together; 13 percent were a married couple with at least one child; 6 percent were one parent households with at least one child and another five percent of households were another type of family without a child (see Housing Figure A-12). Less than one in five Seattle households included a child.

Between 2000 and 2020 the largest change in the number of households among these types is an increase of about 22,000 one-person households; next largest, an increase in married couples without children of nearly 14,000; and a 5,000 household increase in families with children that do not include a parent of the child.

Housing Figure A-11

Seattle Households by Household Type, 1960-2020

Household Type		1960*	1970*	1980	1990	2000	2010	2020	Percent Change 2000-2010	Percent Change 2010-2020
Family	Married couple without child	59,040	63,310	56,073	53,070	50,934	56,783	64,782	11.49	27.20
	Married couple with child	65,106	49,140	32,430	31,776	33,717	36,846	37,566	9.28	11.42
	Parent with child & without spouse	7,648	10,916	15,063	15,853	16,366	14,798	14,934	-9.58	-8.75
	Other family	10,72	9,934	10,55	12,27	12,38	15,39	17,53	24.32	41.60

Household Type		1960*	1970*	1980	1990	2000	2010	2020	Percent Change 2000-2010	Percent Change 2010-2020
	without child	2		7	0	6	8	8		
Non-family	One person living alone			83,799	94,179	105,542	113,239	127,369	7.29	20.68
	Two or more persons without child			20,558	28,672	38,857	38,928	41,124	0.18	5.84
	Two or more persons with child			1,078	882	700	218	227	-68.87	-67.56
Total		200,577	206,092	219,469	236,702	258,499	276,211	303,540	6.85	17.42
Persons per Household		1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2020		
Average Household Size		2.70	2.48	2.14	2.09	2.08	2.08	2.05		
Change Since Last Decade (%)			-8.15	-13.71	-2.34		-0.48	-1.30		

*Refers to own child of the head of the household rather than any child in the household.

Sources: 1960 – 2000: U.S. Census Bureau, decennial censuses, 1960 to 2000; 2010 and 2020: forecast by City of Seattle Department of Planning & Development, July 2004, based on data from U.S. Census Bureau, decennial censuses, 1990 and 2000; Washington State Office of Financial Management King County Age Forecasts; and Puget Sound Regional Council 2010 and 2020 population projections for Seattle.

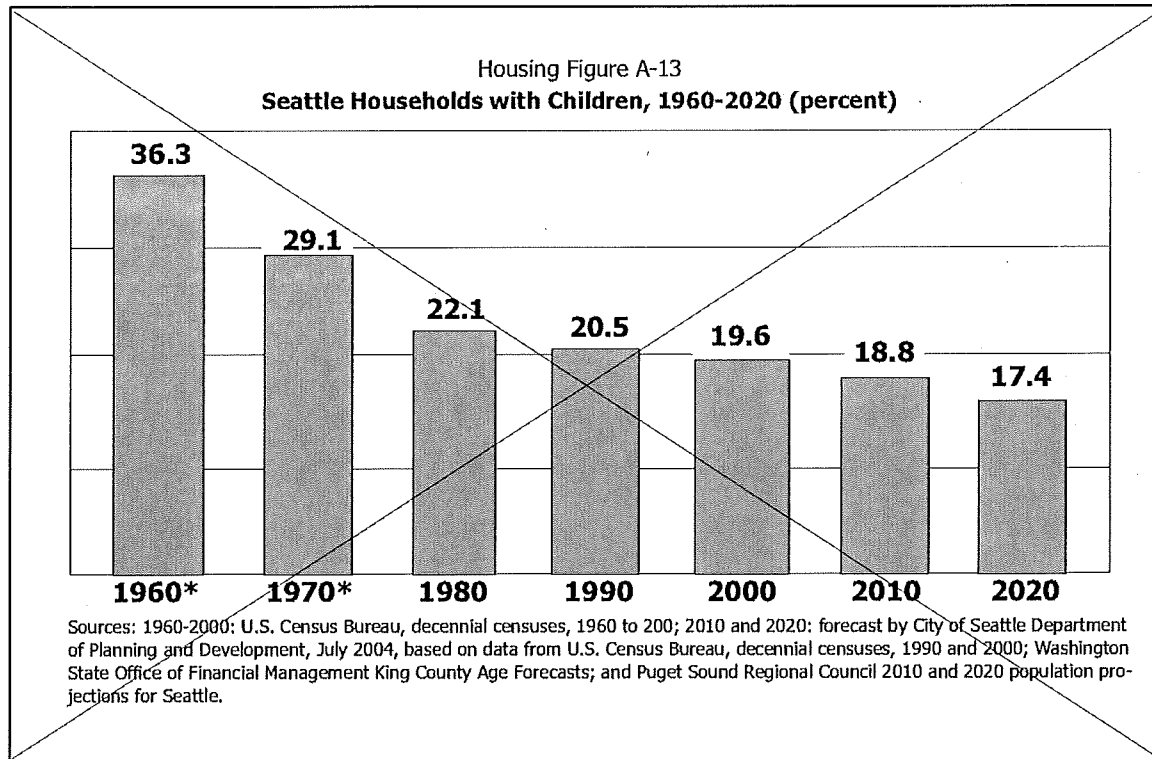
Housing Figure A-12

Percent of Seattle Households by Type, 1960-2020

Household Type		1960*	1970*	1980	1990	2000	2010	2020
Family								
	Married couple without child	29.4	30.7	25.5	22.4	19.7	20.6	21.3
	Married couple with child	32.5	23.8	14.8	13.4	13.0	13.3	12.4
	Parent with child & without spouse	3.8	5.3	6.9	6.7	6.3	5.4	4.9
	Other family without child	5.3	4.8	4.8	5.2	4.8	5.6	5.8
Non-family		28.9	35.3					
	One person living alone			38.2	39.8	40.8	41.0	41.9
	Two or more persons without child			9.4	12.1	15.0	14.1	13.5
	Two or more persons with child			0.5	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.1
Total		100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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((Housing Figure A-14

Seattle Population by Age, 1960-2020

Age	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2020
0 to 4	51,946	34,994	24,235	29,269	26,215	27,971	30,706
5 to 14	99,850	83,903	50,707	43,899	47,884	45,065	48,917
15 to 24	66,712	95,813	89,268	74,005	80,662	91,117	87,394
25 to 34	66,277	67,315	106,595	112,098	122,282	113,155	131,782
35 to 44	76,922	50,655	49,028	93,285	95,077	84,585	79,968
45 to 64	128,583	128,499	97,839	85,303	123,447	156,925	155,499
65 to 84	63,146	63,554	68,120	69,129	56,736	60,387	92,291
85 & +	3,651	6,098	8,054	9,271	11,071	14,910	15,233
Total	557,087	530,834	493,846	516,259	563,374	594,116	641,790

Age	2000-2010 Change		2000-2020 Change	
	(number)	(percent)	(number)	(percent)
0 to 4	2,735	-10.4	4,491	17.1
5 to 14	3,852	-8.0	1,033	2.2
15 to 24	-3,723	4.6	6,732	8.3
25 to 34	18,627	-15.2	9,500	7.8
35 to 44	-4,617	4.9	-15,109	-15.9
45 to 64	-1,426	1.2	32,052	26.0
65 to 84	31,904	-56.2	35,555	62.7
85 & +	322	-2.9	4,162	37.6
Total	47,674	-8.5	78,416	13.9

Sources: 1960 – 2000: U.S. Census Bureau, decennial censuses, 1960 to 2000; 2010 and 2020: forecast by City of Seattle Department of Planning & Development, July 2004, based on data from U.S. Census Bureau, decennial censuses, 1990 and 2000; Washington State Office of Financial Management King County Age Forecasts; and Puget Sound Regional Council 2010 and 2020 population projections for Seattle.

C — Housing Growth & Capacity for Development

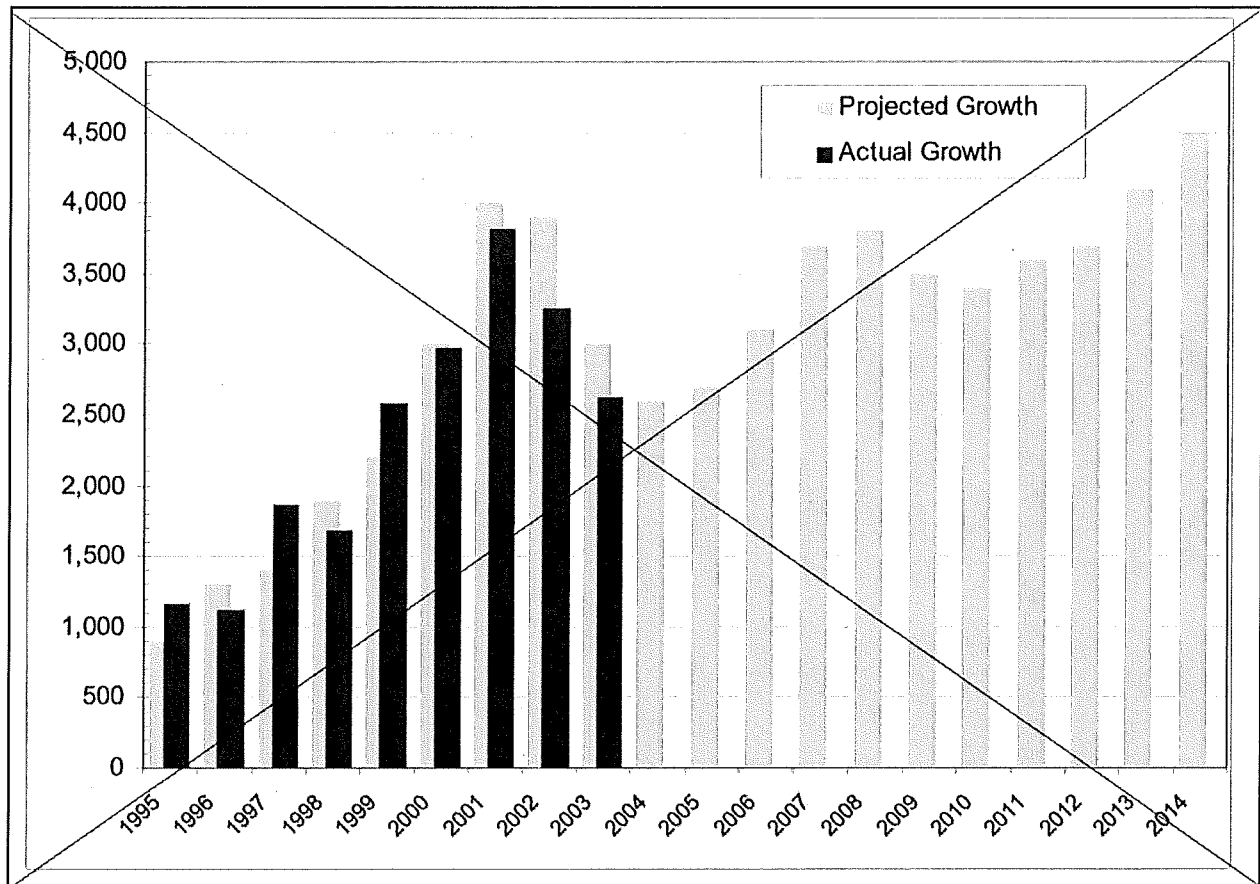
residential development trends

Residential development trends in Seattle over the last forty years have generally followed cyclical expansions and contractions in employment growth in the region. Significant increases in housing occurred in the early 1990's and between 1999 and 2002. These housing booms were followed by slowdowns in housing construction starting in 1992 and 2003.

Since the adoption of the Comprehensive Plan in 1994, Seattle has averaged a net addition of 2,300 residential units a year, according to City permit records. Development activity was strongest between 1999 and 2002, with a peak of 3,800 net new units completed in 2001. After very strong housing growth between 1999 and 2002, development of new housing has dropped as a result of a weak economy and a related slow down of immigration into the state and city. In January of 2000, there were active permits for an additional 7,000 units including units under construction. In April of 2004, that number had dropped to 4,500.

Housing Figure A-15

Seattle Household Growth))



((Most new housing development in Seattle is in multifamily development in Multifamily, Commercial, and Downtown zones. Thirteen percent of units built in Seattle since 1994 have been built in single family zones, an average of 300 units a year. Just over one-third of development has occurred in multifamily zones, 28 percent of development in commercial areas outside of downtown and downtown Seattle accommodating 23 percent of all housing units built since 1994.

The Comprehensive Plan estimates a net increase of 47,000 households in Seattle between 2004 and 2024.

capacity for additional
 residential development

As of 2004, Seattle has an estimated unused zoned residential development capacity of 116,000 new housing units, or two and a half times the amount of housing estimated to locate in Seattle over the next 20 years (see Housing Figures A 16 and A 17.) At the time the capacity figure was developed, Seattle had 268,000 housing units, so the total housing stock would be 384,000 housing units if all this capacity were used.

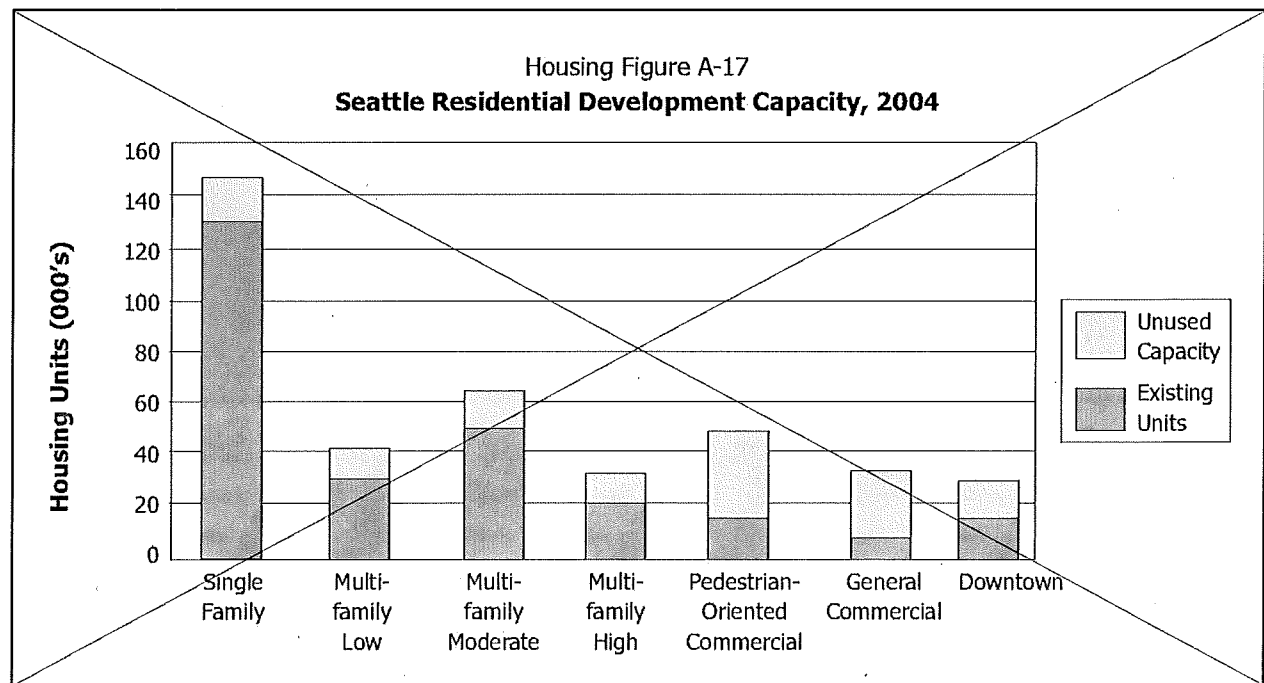
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City of Seattle Residential Development Capacity, 2004

Land Use Zones	Existing Residential Units	Unused Residential Development Capacity (Units)	Percent Share
Single-Family	132,300	11,200	10%
Multifamily Low Density	29,600	10,700	9%
Multifamily Moderate Density	48,500	14,300	12%
Multifamily High Density	20,400	9,300	8%
Pedestrian-Oriented Commercial	16,400	28,400	24%
General Commercial	5,600	26,800	23%
Downtown	13,700	15,300	13%
Total*	268,000	116,000	100%

* Includes some existing units in industrial and major institution areas, which do not have unused residential capacity.

Source: Seattle Department of Planning and Development, (2004))



((Residential development capacity includes vacant land in residential zones, underutilized sites in residential zones, and some of the vacant and underutilized sites in commercial zones. Underutilized sites are sites where the existing developed density

~~is low compared to the allowed developed density, or where the value of the improvements on the site is low compared to the value of the land.~~

~~D — Strategies for Meeting Housing Needs~~

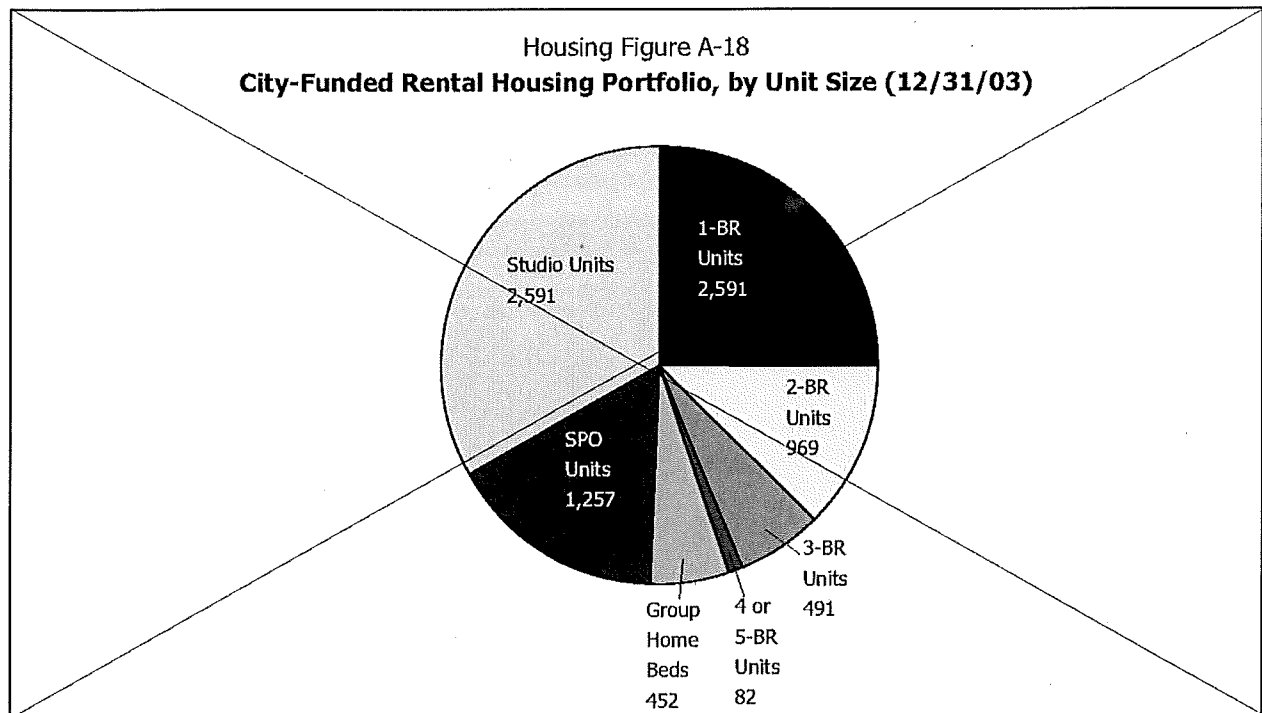
~~The City of Seattle's Office of Housing (OH) has four priorities for increasing housing opportunities:~~

- ~~• Investing in production and preservation of affordable housing;~~
- ~~• Providing housing linked with supportive services for people who are homeless or have special needs;~~
- ~~• Increasing homeownership opportunities; and~~
- ~~• Promoting housing production and preservation that supports neighborhood revitalization and other community development efforts.~~

~~OH and the City's nonprofit partners make leveraging of the City's 7-year, \$86 million Housing Levy and other City housing funds a top priority. For every \$1 of City funding for affordable rental housing, over \$3 is leveraged from other public and private capital sources, increasing the amount of affordable housing that can be provided in Seattle.~~

~~affordable rental housing~~

~~Over the past two decades, the City of Seattle has provided funding for affordable housing serving low-income families, seniors, low-wage working people and people with disabilities. The City-funded portfolio of below-market rent apartments has grown to 7,793 housing units in 238 development projects. This housing includes a range of apartment sizes in small and large developments dispersed throughout the city.))~~



((This affordable housing is a significant asset for Seattle. Nearly half of the housing units are reserved for extremely low-income households with incomes up to 30 percent of the region's median household income (\$16,350 for an individual or \$21,050 for a family of three in 2004). These housing units are often combined with supportive services to assist residents to live independently or transition out of homelessness. Much of the balance of OH's housing portfolio is workforce housing serving individuals and families with incomes up to 50 or 60 percent of the median income (up to \$32,700 for an individual or \$42,050 for a family of three). For lower-income residents, paying an affordable rent frees up resources for other important needs such as food, medical expenses, clothing, transportation, and education.

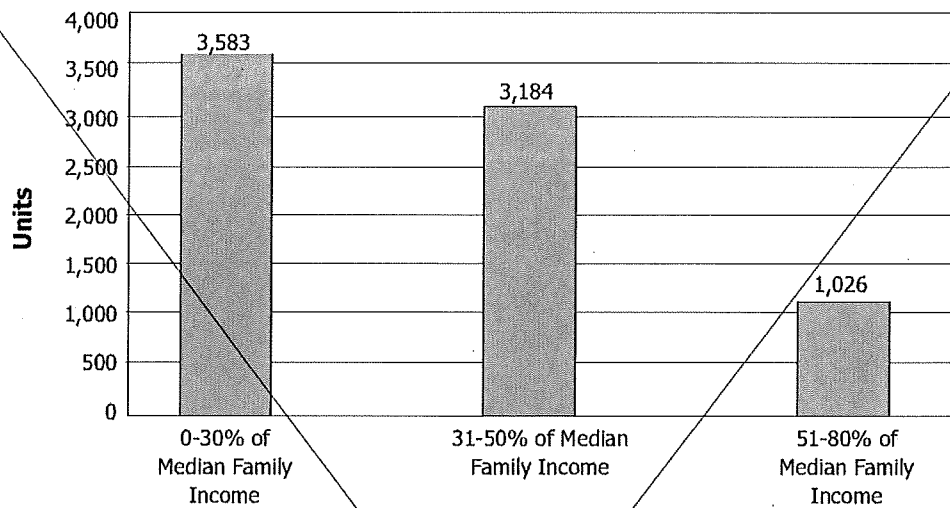
The City plays a monitoring and oversight role to ensure that the units remain affordable and continue to serve the intended residents as time goes by, and that the buildings themselves remain in good physical condition and are financially viable. This ongoing asset management of the projects ensures that Seattle-funded developments continue to operate well into the future.

service-enriched housing

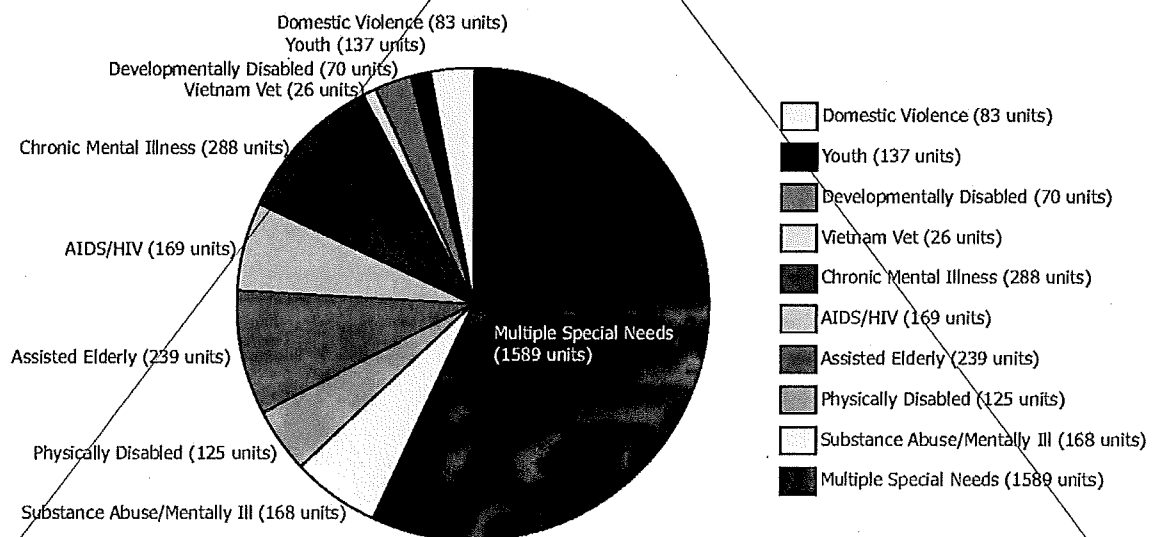
Service-enriched housing is a successful housing model for stabilizing and moving many vulnerable people along a path to self-sufficiency. Affordable housing linked to accessible health, mental health, employment, childcare and other services offers the support that these individuals and families need to succeed. Service-enriched housing gives homeless people a way out of expensive emergency public services and into their own homes and communities; it both improves the lives of its residents and can generate significant public savings.

~~For the City of Seattle, service-enriched housing has long been a priority. Of the 7,793 City funded affordable rental units, 34 percent (2,984) serve homeless and special needs residents. This housing can be in stand-alone projects or units set aside within larger, general population apartment buildings. Most of the special needs housing, 2,445 units, serve families and individuals who are also homeless; 630 are transitional units and 1,815 provide a permanent residence.))~~

Housing Figure A-19
City-Funded Rental Housing Portfolio, by Affordability (12/31/03)



Housing Figure A-20
City-Funded Service-Enriched Housing Portfolio (12/31/03)



~~((OH provides operating support to projects that serve homeless and special needs residents. Due to the extremely low incomes of the tenants, rents are insufficient to cover building operations costs. OH provides annual operating subsidies to 530 units using 1986, 1995 and 2002 Levy funding. In addition, project-based Section 8 rental assistance provided through the Seattle Housing Authority supports 970 City-funded units.~~

~~homebuyer assistance~~

~~Homeownership allows families to build equity and accumulate savings. Homeownership opportunities within the city allow people to live closer to where they work, and shorter commutes benefit the families and the entire community. In Seattle, however, incomes have not kept pace with home prices. The median sales price reached \$310,000 in 2003, which would require an annual income of \$75,000 to purchase (assuming a 30-year term loan at 6 percent interest and 10 percent downpayment). The city's homeownership rate, at 48.4 percent, is low compared to the state and county, and over the past decades, minorities have lost ground in homeownership while whites have gained slightly.~~

~~City homebuyer programs have helped make homeownership an option for low-income residents while, at the same time, providing community development benefits to the neighborhood. OH assists with the development of affordable houses and provides downpayment assistance to help low-income families purchase their first home. Homebuyers earning 80% or less of the area median income apply for loans through nonprofit providers, participating lenders and housing developers that have received an allocation of City funds.~~

~~home repair assistance for low-income homeowners~~

~~Low-income homeowners often lack sufficient resources to properly maintain their homes. Even with substantial equity, these homeowners are unable to qualify for traditional loans. Without adequate maintenance, the homes deteriorate and can threaten the health and safety of the occupants and the neighborhood.~~

~~OH's HomeWise Rehab Loan Program assists low-income homeowners to keep their homes in good repair. HomeWise staff inspect the home, establish a scope of work, assist the homeowners with bid solicitation and contractor selection, and inspect completed work. The repairs can include roof replacement, furnace replacement, sewer and plumbing repair, access ramps, porch and deck repair or replacement, siding and/or exterior paint, floor repairs, kitchen and bathroom improvements, needed door and window repair or replacement and foundation repair.~~

~~weatherization assistance for low income households~~

~~Low-income homeowners and renters can save on housing costs as a result of City-funded water conservation programs and OH's HomeWise Weatherization Program. With funding from Seattle City Light and the State, HomeWise installs energy-saving improvements in single-family and multifamily buildings serving low-income tenants, as well as homes occupied by low-income homeowners.~~

~~Weatherization improvements can include insulation, air sealing and duct repair, furnace repair or replacement, window repair or replacement, lighting upgrades, ventilation and indoor air quality improvements, and refrigerator replacement. The result is lower heating and utility bills, a more comfortable home environment, and reduced consumption of natural resources. As utility rates increase, so does the value of the energy-saving measures.~~

~~E — Seattle's Assisted Rental Housing Inventory~~

~~As of May 2004, the Office of Housing's (OH) Subsidized Rental Housing Database showed that there were 20,277 affordable rental units with capital subsidies in Seattle. As noted, in Section 4 of this Appendix, 7,793 of these units were in 238 City-funded projects, as of 12/31/03. The remaining units have capital subsidies through federal, state, or county programs but are not City-funded. The following table summarizes affordability of Seattle's subsidized rental housing stock:~~

Housing Figure A-21

Rental Housing Units with Capital Subsidies, by Affordability

Affordability	Number of Units
0-30% of MFI	10,568
31-50% of MFI	6,230
51-80% of MFI	3,479
TOTAL	20,277

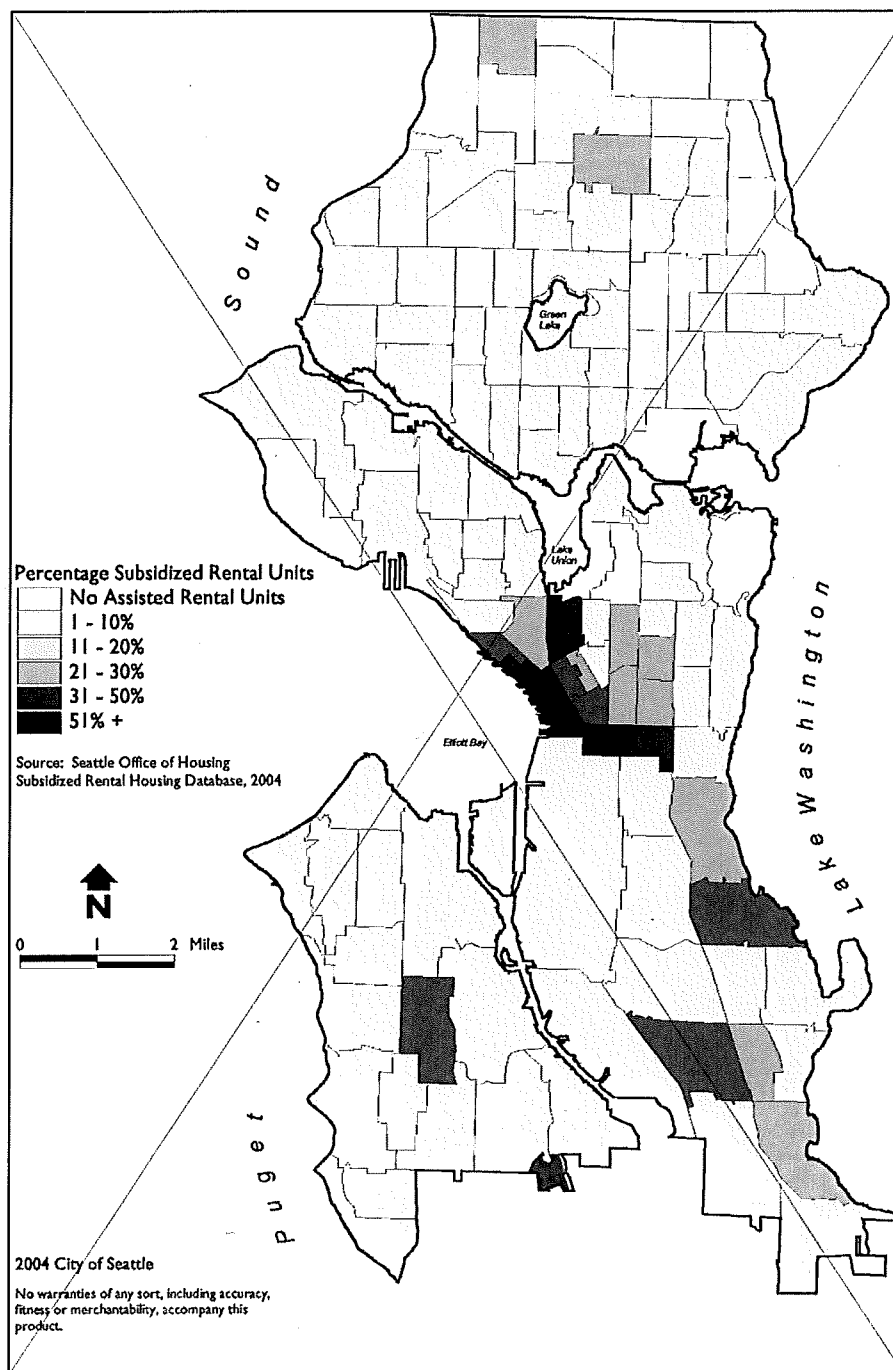
~~As of May 2004, 5,341 vouchers were being used to lease apartments in Seattle. This number excludes vouchers used in Seattle Housing Authority (SHA) Seattle Senior Housing Program buildings and buildings with federal financing through the Moderate Rehabilitation Program (which are part of the 20,277 rental units with capital subsidies shown above). It also excludes vouchers that have been project based or are being used outside of Seattle. It does include vouchers provided by other housing authorities that~~

~~are being used to lease units in Seattle. At least 570 of the 5,341 vouchers are being used to lease units in buildings with capital subsidies.~~

~~The inventory of assisted rental housing in Seattle, including both units with project-based subsidies and units with tenant based subsidies is approximately 25,000 units.~~

Housing Figure A-22

Percentage of Subsidized Rental Units



A Introduction

Broad Policy Framework and Context

The state Growth Management Act requires each local jurisdiction to include an inventory and analysis of existing and projected housing needs in its Comprehensive Plan. King County's Countywide Planning Policies (CPPs) provide additional direction and guidance for the inventory and analysis of local housing supply and housing needs.

The information in this appendix addresses the requirements of GMA and the CPPs. As required, the analysis provided in the Housing Appendix addresses existing and projected housing needs for all economic segments in Seattle as well as for the special needs populations in the community.

The first sections of the appendix describe the City's projections for the total amount of housing needed to accommodate growth in Seattle and the amount of capacity within the city for future residential development at a range of housing densities.

The next sections of this appendix provide information on the characteristics of Seattle's population and households. This includes data on the extent of housing cost burdens and other indicators of housing-related needs experienced by Seattle's extremely-low, very-low, and low-income households. Information is also presented on Seattle's special needs populations, including homeless persons. Information on disparities in housing cost burdens and homelessness by race and ethnicity is presented in order to support planning consistent with the City's Race and Social Justice Initiative (RSJI) and the Seattle Comprehensive Plan core value of social equity.

Subsequent sections in this appendix describe recent growth and characteristics of Seattle's existing housing market, and present information on the affordability of the existing rental and owner housing supply. An analysis is included on the gaps between existing housing need and the amount of rental housing affordable and available at low income levels. Projections are then provided on the amount of housing needed to accommodate growth by income level.

Sections near the end of the appendix describe the City's strategies for addressing affordable housing, inventory rent- and income-restricted housing within Seattle, and provide rough projections for continued production of income and rent-restricted housing. The Housing Appendix concludes with a summary of key findings on existing and projected affordable Housing Needs. Information on the data sources employed may be found after the summary of key findings.

Housing Needed to Accommodate Growth

The King County Countywide Planning Policies, which are prepared by the Growth Management Planning Council and ratified by local jurisdictions in the county, provide cities in the county with a common set of policies and guidelines for developing local comprehensive plans. The CPPs also facilitate coordinated planning for growth through a collaborative process to allocate expected housing and employment growth to local jurisdictions within the county.

Every five years, the Washington state Office of Financial Management (OFM) provides forecasts of population growth for each county. (In King County, the population forecast is converted to housing units because local governments can more reliably track housing units on a frequent basis.) In 2010, the Countywide Planning Policies were updated to include new 25-year housing and employment growth allocations for all jurisdictions in the county. For Seattle, the 25-year housing growth allocation was 86,000 housing units.

Compared with the previous growth estimates, the updated estimates in the CPPs reflect greater residential growth rates in the county as a whole as forecast by OFM. The allocation of 20-year growth estimates was also based on the Puget Sound Regional Council's regional growth strategy, which emphasizes growth in "Metropolitan Cities," which in King County comprise the cities of Seattle and Bellevue. The allocation was further informed by other factors such as demographic and development trends, zoned capacity, and local policy and market factors.

To correspond with the 20-year planning period in Seattle's Comprehensive Plan, the City of Seattle translated the 25-year housing and employment growth allocations for Seattle into a 20-year growth estimate of 70,000 housing units. The amount of housing needed to satisfy affordability needs for low-income households is discussed later in the appendix. The 20-year estimate for employment growth in Seattle during the Comprehensive Planning period is 115,000 jobs. (These 20-year growth estimates are for net increases in the numbers of housing units and jobs.)

B Residential Capacity

The City's Department of Planning & Development (DPD) maintains a development capacity model to estimate the amount of development that could be added within Seattle under current land use zoning and given certain assumptions about likelihood of redevelopment and ultimate development densities achievable in these zones. The City uses development capacity estimates to inform regional and countywide growth planning and to determine potential outcomes of planning efforts conducted for areas of the city.

Housing Figure A-1 contains residential estimates generated from DPD's Development Capacity Model. This figure shows the amount of residential development capacity for Seattle as a whole, and also shows how these estimates are distributed by major zoning classification within the city, and by areas inside and outside the city's urban centers and villages.

Overall, Seattle has under current zoning the development capacity to accommodate 220,000 additional housing units, which provides ample development capacity for accommodating the City's residential growth estimate of 70,000 units between 2015 and 2035. Together, the city's mixed-use and residential zones are intended to provide Seattle with development capacity to accommodate a wide range of housing types in a spectrum of densities.

About 75 percent of Seattle's capacity for the development of additional housing units is in zones that allow a mix of residential and commercial uses. Land zoned Commercial or Neighborhood Commercial accounts for 60 percent of the city's total residential development capacity. Downtown zones account for another 15 percent of total residential development capacity.

The remaining 25 percent of Seattle's residential development capacity is in residential zones, with 20 percent of the total in zones allowing multifamily structures and 5 percent of the city's residential development capacity in single-family zones.

The number of units that the development capacity model estimates could be built with current zoning totals 220,000, which is more than two-thirds the number of housing units that currently exist in the city. The large amount of development capacity provided by Seattle zoning is consistent with Seattle's role as a metropolitan city in the Puget Sound Regional Growth Strategy.

Housing Figure A-1 also shows capacity estimates for land within individual urban centers and hub urban villages and within residential urban villages in aggregate. More than three-quarters (77 percent) of the development capacity for new housing is found within the city's urban centers and villages, consistent with the policies in the Comprehensive Plan to concentrate development within those areas.

About 43 percent of the city's overall residential development capacity is within urban centers, with Downtown having the largest share of the city's six urban centers. Hub urban villages contribute about 16 percent of Seattle's total residential development capacity, and residential urban villages contribute about 18 percent.

Housing Figure A-1

Seattle Residential Development Capacity Model Estimates

	Existing Single- Family Housing Units*	Existing Multifamily Housing Units*	Total Existing Housing Units*	Residential Development Capacity (Housing Units)**	Share of City's Total Residential Growth Capacity
TOTAL:	133,980	174,080	308,060	223,710	100%
By Future Land Use classification					
Single Family	125,160	9,380	134,550	10,960	5%
Multifamily	7,480	104,040	111,520	46,800	21%
Commercial/ Mixed-Use	820	39,920	40,740	132,440	59%
Downtown	330	18,530	18,860	33,510	15%
Industrial	150	260	400	0	0%
Master Planned Community	0	560	560	N/A	N/A
Major Institution	50	1,390	1,430	N/A	N/A
City-Owned Open Space	0	0	0	0	0%
By location inside or outside of Seattle's Urban Center and Villages					
Urban Centers	1,010	64,410	65,410	96,860	43%
Downtown	330	18,530	18,860	33,510	15%
First Hill/Capitol Hill	370	26,270	26,640	19,010	9%
Northgate	30	4,350	4,380	10,970	5%
South Lake Union	0	2,690	2,690	20,280	9%
Uptown	40	5,920	5,960	4,170	2%
University	240	6,650	6,890	8,930	4%
Hub Urban Villages	1,880	19,010	20,890	36,230	16%
Residential Urban Villages	8,560	29,820	38,380	39,390	18%
Manuf. Industrial Centers	140	210	350	30	0%
Outside Villages	122,410	60,630	183,040	51,210	23%
Sources: Seattle City Department of Planning & Development, Development Capacity Model (Model Run Date: January 2014).					
* Existing housing units from King County Assessor's database, January 2014. (Yields somewhat lower					

estimates than other sources.)

** These are adjusted residential capacity estimates from the model: in all mixed-use zones, commercial, neighborhood commercial and most downtown zones, all future development is considered mixed-use with the mix of residential and other uses varying by zone based on completed projects from 1995-2005. Master Planned Communities and Major Institutions are not included in the Development Capacity model.

C Broad Trends in Seattle's Population and Households

This section contains a summary of recent trends in the basic characteristics of Seattle's population and households.

This summary uses estimates from the 2000 and 2010 decennial censuses and the most recent three-year tabulation of American Community Survey (ACS) data, which is from 2011 to 2013. This summary is intended to provide broad context for the more detailed analysis of household characteristics and housing needs provided in subsequent sections of the appendix.

Seattle has seen substantial growth in population, households, and housing units since the 2010 Census. The Washington State Office of Financial Management (OFM) produces official population estimates for cities and counties on an annual basis. As of April 2014, OFM estimates that Seattle contained approximately 640,500 residents, 302,100 households, and 323,400 housing units.

Population Characteristics

Seattle has the largest population of cities in King County and the broader Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue Metro Area. Seattle is the 23rd most populous city in the U.S. The 2010 Census counted Seattle's population at 608,660. From 2000 to 2010, Seattle's population grew by 8 percent

The 2010 Census results showed that more than a third (33.7 percent) of Seattle residents are persons of color, up from 32.1 percent in 2000.¹ The three-year estimates from the 2011-2013 ACS indicate that the number and share of Seattle's population who are persons of color has continued to increase. However, decennial census and the recent ACS estimates show that the increase in the population of color has occurred

¹ The Census collects information on Hispanic/Latino ethnicity in a separate question from race. "Persons of color" encompass Hispanics and Latinos of any race as well as persons who are any race other than White alone.

much more slowly in Seattle than in the balance of King County. (See Housing Figure A-2.)

Between 2000 and 2010, the number of people of color declined in many of the census tracts located in the central and southeast portions of Seattle.

The 2010 Census indicates that children under 18 make up roughly 15 percent of the city's population. Between 2000 Census and 2010, the number of children in Seattle increased, but at a pace slightly slower than the overall population growth rate. However, the number of young children (under age 5) increased much more quickly.

Families with children are substantially underrepresented in Seattle compared with the balance of King County. Recent data indicate that this is starting to change, but trends differ greatly by race. Recent increases in Seattle's population of children have mainly been from the growing numbers of white, non-Hispanic children living in the city. In the balance of King County, increases in the child population have, in contrast, been driven by a rapid rise in the number of children of color.

Housing Figure A-2

Growth in Total Population and Population Under 18

Including Detail for the Population of Color and for the White, Non-Hispanic Population

<u>Growth in Total Population and Population Under 18 Including Detail for the Population of Color and for the White, Non-Hispanic Population</u>				
	<u>Seattle</u>		<u>Remainder of King County</u>	
	<u>2000 to 2010</u>	<u>2010 to 2011- 2013 ACS</u>	<u>2000 to 2010</u>	<u>2010 to 2011- 2013 ACS</u>
<u>Total population</u>	<u>8.0%</u>	<u>4.5%</u>	<u>12.7%</u>	<u>3.7%</u>
Population of color	<u>13.4%</u>	<u>5.4%</u>	<u>69.0%</u>	<u>8.4%</u>
White, not-Hispanic population	<u>5.5%</u>	<u>4.1%</u>	<u>-5.0%</u>	<u>1.1%</u>
<u>Population under 18 years of age</u>	<u>6.5%</u>	<u>7.4%</u>	<u>5.7%</u>	<u>1.5%</u>
Population of color under 18	<u>2.1%</u>	<u>3.2%</u>	<u>63.8%</u>	<u>6.7%</u>
White, non-Hispanic pop. under 18	<u>10.7%</u>	<u>11.2%</u>	<u>- 19.9%</u>	<u>-3.2%</u>
Sources: Census 2000 and 2010 estimates; 2011-2013 American Community (ACS) 3-year period estimates.				

The 2010 Census indicates that young adults (i.e., adults between 18 and 34 years of age) comprise about one-third of Seattle's population.

The 2010 Census found that seniors (persons age 65 and over) comprise about 11 percent of Seattle's population. The number of seniors in Seattle, as well as the percentage share of the city's population who are seniors, declined between 2000 and 2010. However, the 2011-2013 ACS estimates suggest that the number of seniors in the city is starting to increase as individuals in the baby boom generation begin reaching their senior years.

Household Characteristics

The 2010 Census tallied 283,510 households in Seattle. This represents an increase of roughly 25,000 households, or 9.7 percent, since the 2000 Census.

Between 2000 and 2010, the average number of persons per household in Seattle declined from 2.08 to 2.06. This slight decline reflects the continuation, but marked slowing, of a long-term trend toward smaller household sizes both locally and nationally.²

The 2010 Census found that about 43 percent of households in Seattle are family households, less than half of which are families with children. About 19 percent of Seattle's households are families with related children.³ The majority (57 percent) of Seattle's households are non-family households, and most of these non-family households are persons living alone. In 2010, one-person households comprised 41 percent of Seattle's total households. The increasing number of one-person households has been a key driver contributing to the broader decline in the city's household size.

In Seattle, renter households outnumber households who own their home. Of Seattle households counted in the 2010 Census, 51.9 percent were renter households and 48.1 percent were owner households. The trend in recent decades has been one of gradually declining homeownership rates.⁴ The most recent three-year American Community Survey estimates show that the share of Seattle households who rent has continued to increase: per the 2011-2013 ACS, approximately 54 percent of Seattle's households rent. The share of households in Seattle who are renters is likely to increase as multifamily housing units (which are more commonly renter-occupied than owner-occupied) continue to increase as a share of the city's housing stock.

² The most recent three-year period estimates available from the Census Bureau's American Community Survey indicate that the average household size in Seattle is now about 2.12 persons, which is higher than the household size in 2010. The recent increase in Seattle's household size reflects a decrease in the rate of household formation that occurred in the U.S. as a whole in the wake of the recent recession. It is likely that the increase in household size will be temporary.

³ These figures on family households with children refer to households in which there is at least one child under 18 years of age who is related to the householder.

⁴ Annual estimates from the Census Bureau's American Community Survey indicate that the downward trend in homeownership rates was interrupted temporarily during the housing bubble that occurred in the later half the last decade. However, estimated homeownership rates in the city began to decline toward the end of the decade after the housing bubble burst and the effects of the recent recession took hold.

Population in Group Quarters

The 2010 Census found that one in twenty Seattle residents lived in group quarters such as college/university student housing (with about 11,800 persons), nursing facilities (2,600 persons), and correctional facilities (2,000 persons).

D Analysis of Key Household Characteristics

The CHAS special tabulations provide local communities with a set of ACS data specially designed to facilitate the analysis of housing needs. The analysis provided below is based CHAS data from ACS surveys conducted over course of five years between 2006 and 2010.

The 2006-2010 CHAS data reflect an estimated 280,470 total households in Seattle. The household totals in the CHAS estimates are lower than currently exist in Seattle. Today, Seattle contains more than 300,000 households.⁵

Tenure refers to whether a household owns or rents the housing unit in which they live. As indicated in Housing Figure A-3, approximately 51 percent of households in the 2006-2010 CHAS estimates rent. It is important to view these estimates in the context of the period in which they were collected. The 2006-2010 CHAS estimates include the housing boom in the mid-2000s, the Great Recession, and the steep downturn in the housing market in the wake of that recession. As noted in the previous section of the appendix, the share of Seattle households who rent is now closer to 54 percent.

⁵ The previous section of the appendix summarizes more recent data available from other sources. The state Office of Financial Management estimates that Seattle contained 302,100 as of April 2014.

Housing Figure A-3

Total Households and Household by Tenure, Seattle

<u>Total households</u>	<u>280,470</u>	<u>100.0%</u>
<u>Owner households</u>	<u>137,090</u>	<u>48.9%</u>
<u>Renter households</u>	<u>143,380</u>	<u>51.1%</u>
<u>Source: American Community Survey (ACS)</u> <u>2006-2010 5 Year Estimates, Comprehensive</u> <u>Housing Affordability Strategy (CHAS) Special</u> <u>Tabulation produced by the U.S. Census</u> <u>Bureau for the Department of Housing and</u> <u>Urban Development.</u>		
<u>Notes: CHAS estimates, like other estimates</u> <u>from the ACS, are sample estimates and carry</u> <u>margins of error.</u>		

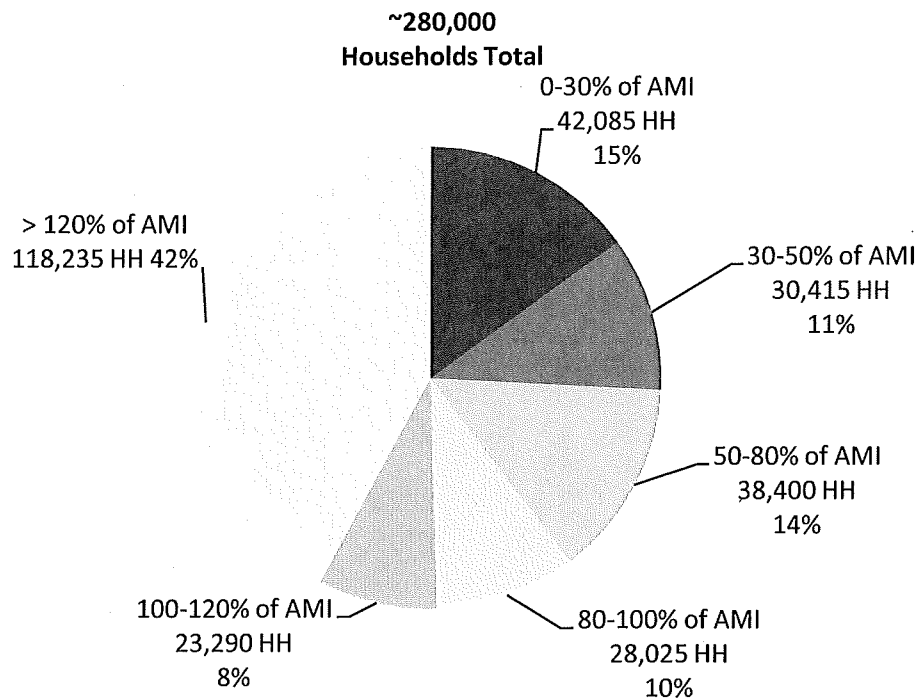
Income Distribution

There is a wide distribution of incomes among Seattle households as shown in the pie chart in Housing Figure A-4.

- Households with incomes below 80 percent of AMI comprise almost 40 percent of total households in Seattle.
- About 26 percent of all Seattle households fall below 50 percent of AMI.
- Households in the middle income categories above 80 percent of AMI and up to 120 percent of AMI comprise about 18 percent of Seattle households.
- Roughly 42 percent of households in Seattle have incomes above 120 percent of AMI.

Housing Figure A-4

Seattle Households by Household Income Category



Source: CHAS special tabulation of ACS 2006-2010 5-year estimates.

Notes: CHAS estimates, like other estimates from the ACS, are sample estimates and carry margins of error. Income ranges are expressed as a percentage of Area Median Income (AMI), calculated based on the annual median income for a family of four for the Seattle area, as published by HUD, with adjustments according to household size.

The distribution of household incomes varies a great deal by tenure. Compared with owner households, renter households are much more likely to have incomes lower than 80 percent of AMI. A majority of renter households, but only about 1 in 5 owner households, are in the extremely low- to low-income categories. About 40 percent of renter households have incomes of no higher than 50 percent of AMI, in contrast with an 11 percent share of owner households.

Households with Unaffordable Housing Cost Burdens

A broadly used standard for housing affordability regards housing costs that consume up to 30 percent of a household's income to be affordable. This standard evolved as a general indicator of the share of income that a household can spend on housing and still have enough income left over for other essentials such as food, clothing, and transportation.

Based on the 30 percent standard, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development considers households to be cost-burdened if they spend more than 30 percent of their household income on housing costs, and severely cost burdened if they spend more than 50 percent of their household income on housing costs. (This appendix refers to households as "moderately" cost burdened if the households spend more than 30 percent but not more than 50 percent of their income on housing.)

Approximately 38 percent of all households in Seattle, or roughly 105,000 households, are cost burdened at either a moderate or a severe level. About 21 percent of all Seattle households are "moderately" cost-burdened. Approximately 17 percent of all Seattle households, are severely cost-burdened.

Cost Burdens by Tenure and Household Income

Renter households are more likely than owner households to be burdened by housing costs they cannot afford.

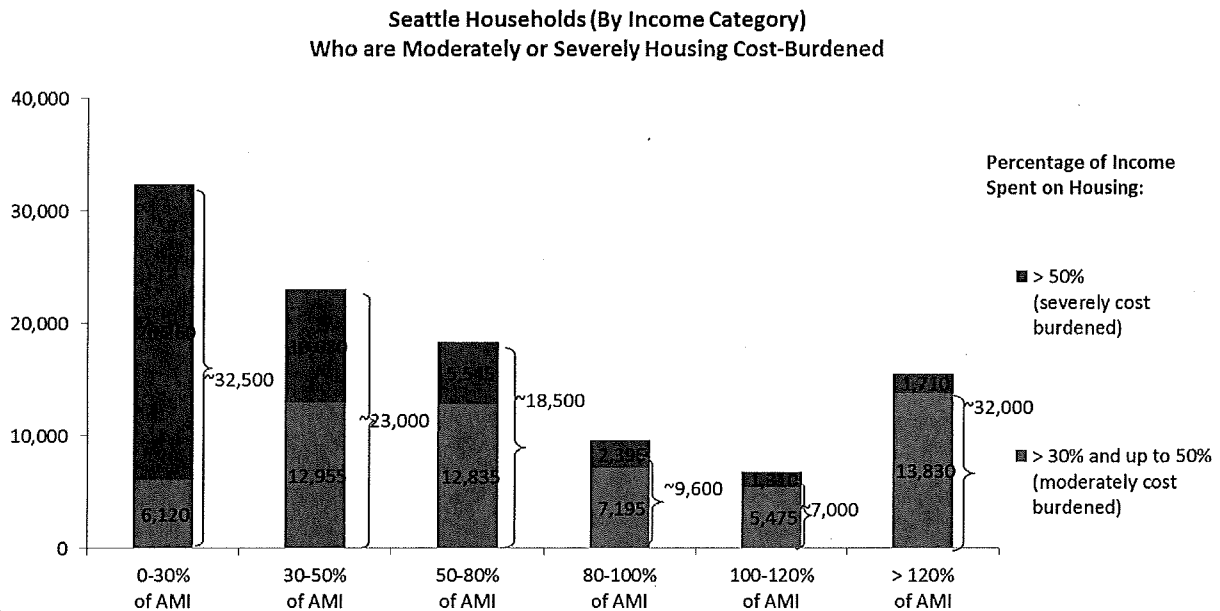
- About 42 percent of renter households are cost burdened.
- A lower but still sizable 33 percent share of owner households are also cost burdened.

The greater prevalence of cost burdens among renter households is primarily due to the higher prevalence of severe burdens among these households: roughly 21 percent of renter households, compared to 13 percent of owner households, are severely cost burdened.

Housing Figure A-5 shows that more than three-quarters of households in both the extremely low-income and very low-income categories spend more than 30 percent of income on housing and that more than 60 percent of households with extremely low incomes spend more than half of their income on housing.

Housing Figure A-5

Seattle Households (by Income Category)



Source: 2006-2010 5-Year Estimates from the American Community Survey CHAS Dataset.

Housing Figure A-6 provides additional detail on the prevalence of cost burdens by tenure and household income category.

Housing Figure A-6

Housing Costs as a Percentage of Household (HH) Income with Detail by Tenure and Income Category, Seattle

	0-30% of AMI	30- 50% of AMI	50- 80% of AMI	80- 100% of AMI	100- 120% of AMI	>120% of AMI	TOTAL
Estimated numbers of owner-households with housing costs who are:							
up to 30% of HH income (not cost burdened)	7,265	8,400	12,585	11,390	11,580	85,855	137,090
not computed (no/negative income)	570	-	-	-	-	-	570
>30% of HH income (total cost burdened):	5,915	5,570	7,455	6,035	5,430	14,690	45,100
>50% of HH income (severely cost burdened)	4,865	3,840	3,795	2,055	1,270	1,600	17,425
30-50% of HH income (moderately cost burdened)	1,050	1,730	3,660	3,980	4,160	13,090	27,675
Estimated percent of owner households with housing costs							

	0-30% of AMI	30- 50% of AMI	50- 80% of AMI	80- 100% of AMI	100- 120% of AMI	>120% of AMI	TOTAL
who are:							
up to 30% of HH income (not cost burdened)	10.7%	33.7%	40.8%	47.0%	53.1%	82.9%	66.7%
not computed (no/negative income)	7.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%
>30% of HH income (total cost burdened):	81.4%	66.3%	59.2%	53.0%	46.9%	17.1%	32.9%
>50% of HH income (severely cost burdened)	67.0%	45.7%	30.2%	18.0%	11.0%	1.9%	12.7%
30-50% of HH income (moderately cost burdened)	14.5%	20.6%	29.1%	34.9%	35.9%	15.2%	20.2%
Estimated number of renter households with housing costs who are:	34,820	22,015	25,815	16,635	11,710	32,380	143,380
up to 30% of HH income (not cost burdened)	6,000	4,550	14,890	13,080	10,355	31,530	80,410
not computed (no/negative income)	2,355	-	-	-	-	-	2,360
>30% of HH income (total cost burdened):	26,465	17,465	10,925	3,555	1,355	850	60,610
>50% of HH income (severely cost burdened)	21,395	6,240	1,750	340	40	110	29,875
30-50% of HH income (moderately cost burdened)	5,070	11,225	9,175	3,215	1,315	740	30,735
Estimated percent of renter households with housing costs who are:							
up to 30% of HH income (not cost burdened)	17.2%	20.7%	57.7%	78.6%	88.4%	97.4%	56.1%
not computed (no/negative income)	6.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.6%
>30% of HH income (total cost burdened):	76.0%	79.3%	42.3%	21.4%	11.6%	2.6%	42.3%
>50% of HH income (severely cost burdened)	61.4%	28.3%	6.8%	2.0%	0.3%	0.3%	20.8%
30-50% of HH income (moderately cost burdened)	14.6%	51.0%	35.5%	19.3%	11.2%	2.3%	21.4%
Source: CHAS special tabulation of ACS 2006-2010 5-year estimates. Notes: CHAS estimates, like other estimates from the ACS, are sample estimates and carry margins of error. Margins of error associated with ACS estimates may be substantial especially for small population and household groups.							

Household Characteristics by Race and Ethnicity

Shortly after taking office, Mayor Murray issued Executive Order 2014-02 to reaffirm and further detail the City's commitment to RSJL. This executive order declared that the City will incorporate a racial equity lens in citywide initiatives including those to those related to affordable housing and planning for equitable growth and development.

Data are presented and in the following pages to identify the extent of disparities in housing needs and opportunities by race and ethnicity. Consideration of these disparities is vital to informing planning for housing consistent with RSJI.

Tenure by Race and Ethnicity

While a slight majority (53 percent) of White, non-Hispanic households own their homes, most households of color⁶ (63 percent) are renters. The share of Asian households who rent is only slightly more than half, but renting is much more prevalent for households in which the householder is Hispanic or Latino, Native American, Pacific Islander, or Black or African American. Close to or more than 70 percent of these households rent.

Household Income Distribution by Race and Ethnicity

Seattle's households of color are disproportionately likely to have incomes that are extremely low or very low, a pattern that applies not only to households of color overall, but also to each of the individual racial and ethnic groups of color for which the CHAS data are tabulated.

- Households of color, as a group, are twice as likely as White, non-Hispanic households to have a household income that is extremely low: about 24 percent of households of color compared to 12 percent of White, non-Hispanic households. Furthermore, about 16 percent of households of color compared to 13 percent of White, non-Hispanic households have very low incomes.
- Over half of Black households have incomes no higher than 50 percent of AMI: about 35 percent of Black households have extremely low incomes, and 17 percent have very low incomes.
- Having an extremely low or very low income is almost as common for Native American households and Pacific Islander households: over 40 percent of households in each of these groups have incomes at or below 50 percent of AMI.

Racial and ethnic disparities in income levels exist for both renters and owners. Disparately low incomes are especially evident for Black or African American households—both renter and owner, and for Asian renter households. (See Housing Figure A-7)

⁶ Households of color are households in which the householder is of Hispanic origin or a race other than White alone. (The Census Bureau considers race and ethnicity to be separate concepts and tabulates Hispanic origin separately from race. The Bureau tabulates race and ethnicity of households based on the characteristics of the householder. This does not imply that all household members are of the same race/ethnicity as the householder.)

Housing Figure A-7

**Household Income Distribution by Race and Ethnicity of Householder by Tenure,
 Seattle**

	<u>Broad Categories</u>		<u>Specific Racial and Ethnic Groups of Color</u>				<u>Totals</u>
	<u>White alone, not Hispa nic</u>	<u>Of Color</u>	<u>Asian alone, not Hispa nic</u>	<u>Black or African - Americ an</u>	<u>Other (incl. Native Ameri can Pacific Island er, and multipl e race)</u>	<u>Hispa nic or Latino , any race</u>	
<u>Total owner households</u>	<u>109,100</u>	<u>28,015</u>	<u>14,995</u>	<u>5,900</u>	<u>3,870</u>	<u>3,250</u>	<u>137,115</u>
<u>Owner Household Income Percent of HUD Area Median Family Income</u>							
<u>less than or equal to 30%</u>	<u>5%</u>	<u>7%</u>	<u>6%</u>	<u>12%</u>	<u>6%</u>	<u>4%</u>	<u>5%</u>
<u>greater than 30% but less than or equal to 50%</u>	<u>6%</u>	<u>9%</u>	<u>7%</u>	<u>12%</u>	<u>6%</u>	<u>11%</u>	<u>6%</u>
<u>greater than 50% but less than or equal to 80%</u>	<u>8%</u>	<u>13%</u>	<u>14%</u>	<u>15%</u>	<u>9%</u>	<u>10%</u>	<u>9%</u>
<u>greater than 80% but less than or equal to 100%</u>	<u>8%</u>	<u>11%</u>	<u>11%</u>	<u>12%</u>	<u>10%</u>	<u>8%</u>	<u>8%</u>
<u>greater than 100%</u>	<u>74%</u>	<u>61%</u>	<u>62%</u>	<u>49%</u>	<u>68%</u>	<u>67%</u>	<u>71%</u>
<u>% of HUD Area Median Family Income— Cumulative</u>							
<u>less than or equal to 50%</u>	<u>10%</u>	<u>15%</u>	<u>13%</u>	<u>24%</u>	<u>13%</u>	<u>15%</u>	<u>11%</u>
<u>less than or equal to 80%</u>	<u>19%</u>	<u>29%</u>	<u>27%</u>	<u>39%</u>	<u>22%</u>	<u>25%</u>	<u>21%</u>
<u>Total renter households</u>	<u>95,575</u>	<u>47,785</u>	<u>16,975</u>	<u>13,390</u>	<u>7,570</u>	<u>9,850</u>	<u>143,360</u>
<u>Renter Household Income % of HUD Area Median Family Income</u>							
<u>less than or equal to 30%</u>	<u>19%</u>	<u>34%</u>	<u>36%</u>	<u>45%</u>	<u>25%</u>	<u>23%</u>	<u>15%</u>
<u>greater than 30% but less than or equal to 50%</u>	<u>14%</u>	<u>18%</u>	<u>16%</u>	<u>19%</u>	<u>18%</u>	<u>18%</u>	<u>18%</u>
<u>greater than 50% but less than or equal to 80%</u>	<u>18%</u>	<u>17%</u>	<u>16%</u>	<u>14%</u>	<u>22%</u>	<u>21%</u>	<u>12%</u>
<u>greater than 80% but less than or equal to 100%</u>	<u>13%</u>	<u>9%</u>	<u>8%</u>	<u>7%</u>	<u>12%</u>	<u>13%</u>	<u>31%</u>
<u>greater than 100%</u>	<u>36%</u>	<u>21%</u>	<u>23%</u>	<u>15%</u>	<u>23%</u>	<u>24%</u>	<u>24%</u>

	<u>Broad Categories</u>		<u>Specific Racial and Ethnic Groups of Color</u>				<u>Totals</u>
	<u>White alone, not Hispanic</u>	<u>Of Color</u>	<u>Asian alone, not Hispanic</u>	<u>Black or African American</u>	<u>Other (incl. Native American, Pacific Islander, and multiple race)</u>	<u>Hispanic or Latino, any race</u>	
<u>% of HUD Area Median Family Income—Cumulative</u>							
<u>less than or equal to 50%</u>	<u>33%</u>	<u>52%</u>	<u>53%</u>	<u>65%</u>	<u>42%</u>	<u>42%</u>	<u>33%</u>
<u>less than or equal to 80%</u>	<u>52%</u>	<u>70%</u>	<u>69%</u>	<u>79%</u>	<u>65%</u>	<u>63%</u>	<u>45%</u>
Source: CHAS special tabulation of ACS 2006-2010 5-year estimates.							
Notes: CHAS estimates, like other estimates from the ACS, are sample estimates and carry margins of error. Margins of error associated with ACS estimates may be substantial especially for small population and household groups. Households of color have a householder who is of Hispanic origin or a race other than White alone. Due to their small numbers, Native American and Pacific Islander households are included in the "other" category.							

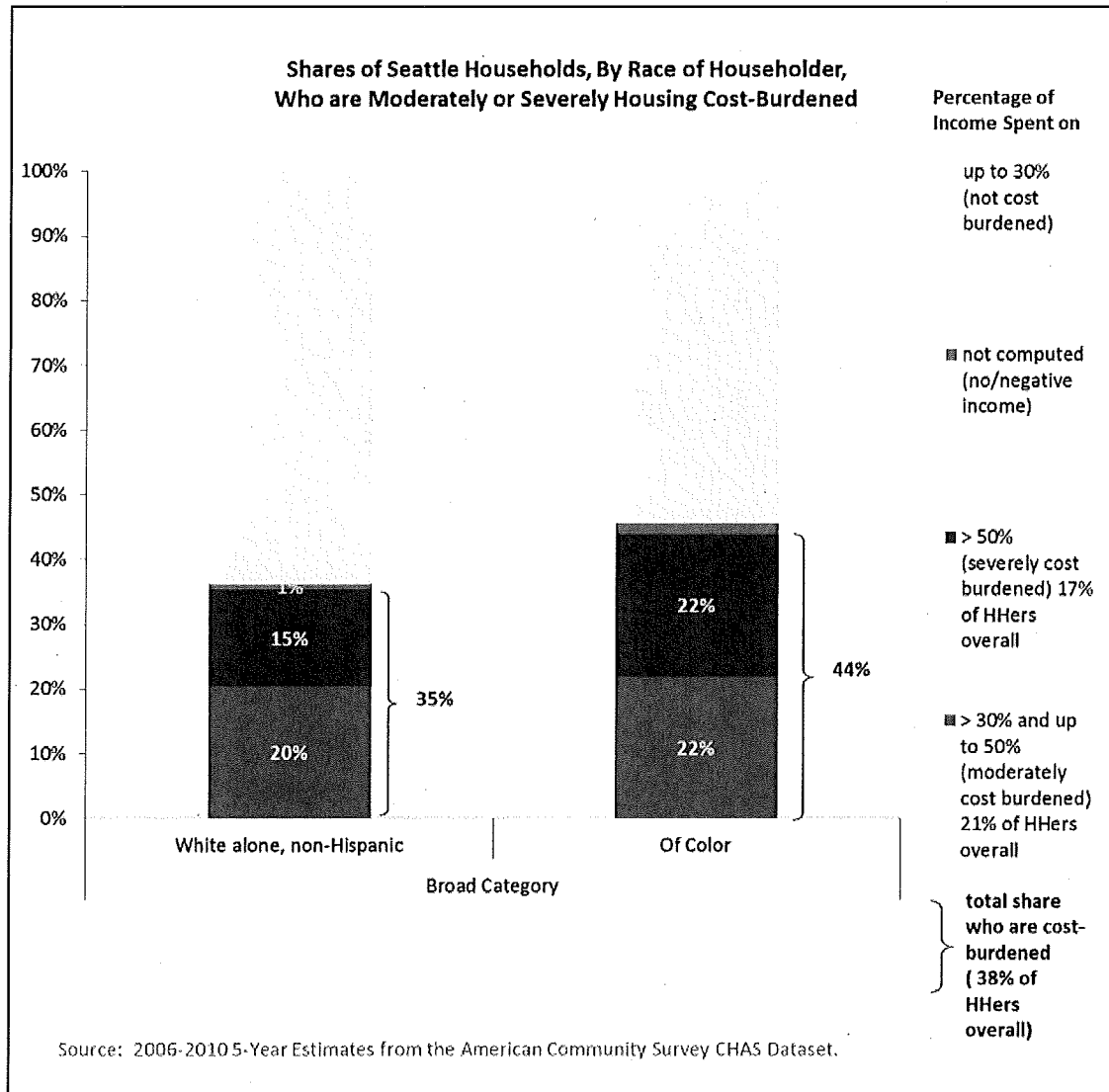
Prevalence of Housing Cost Burdens by Race and Ethnicity

Unaffordable housing cost burdens fall disproportionately on households of color. This is the case among both owners and renters. Housing Figure A-8 provides additional detail.

- Overall, as shown in Housing Figure A-8, about 44 percent of households of color are moderately or severely cost-burdened compared with 35 percent of White, non-Hispanic households. About 22 percent of householders of color are severely cost burdened, compared to roughly 15 percent of White, non-Hispanic households.
- Among most racial and ethnic groups analyzed, cost burdens are more common for renter households than owner households. Data for Hispanic households suggest a potential exception to this pattern.
- Overall, about 47 percent of renter households of color are burdened by unaffordable housing costs compared with 40 percent of White, non-Hispanic renter households.

Housing Figure A-8

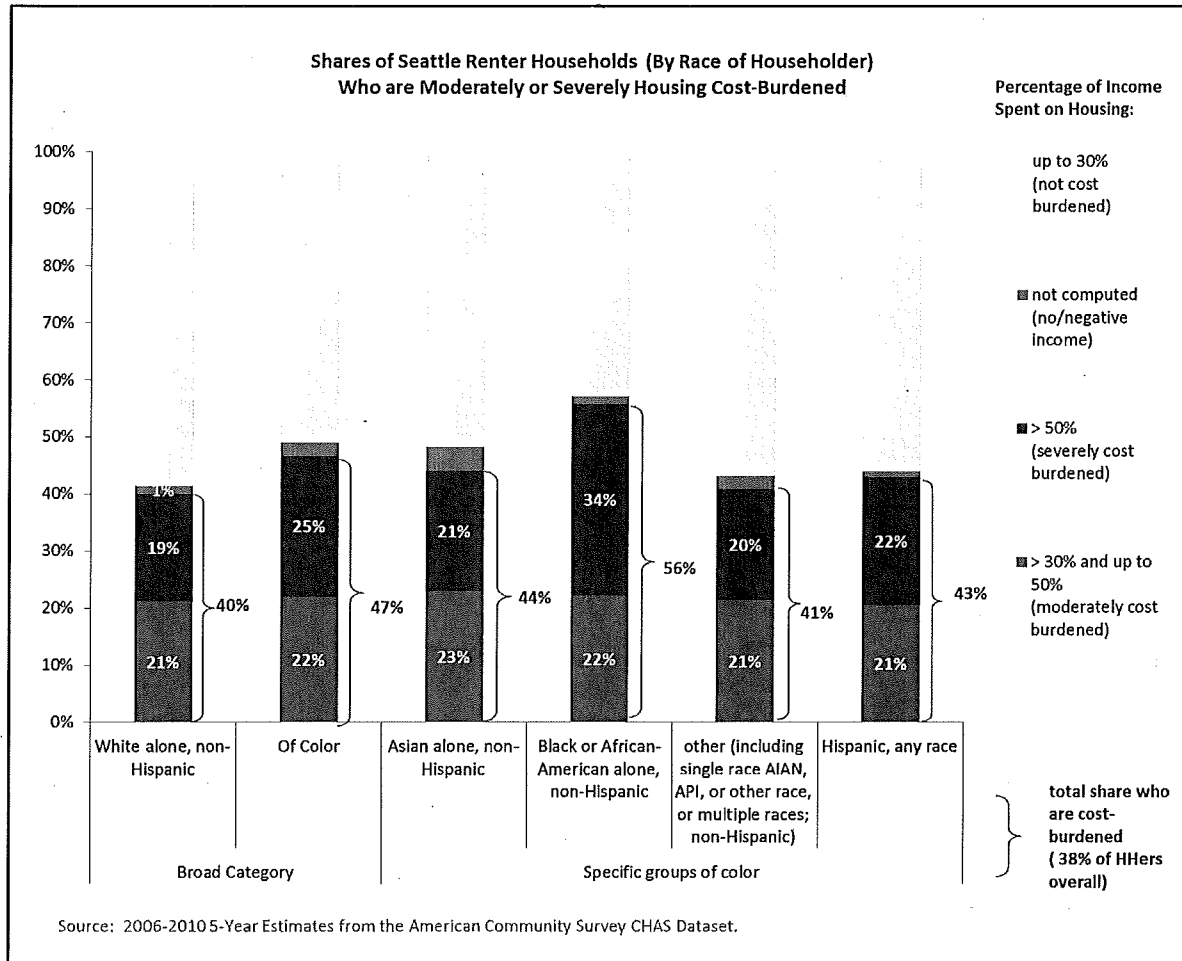
Shares of Seattle Households



Housing Figure A-9 shows that rates of cost burden vary among renter households by race and ethnicity.

Housing Figure A-9

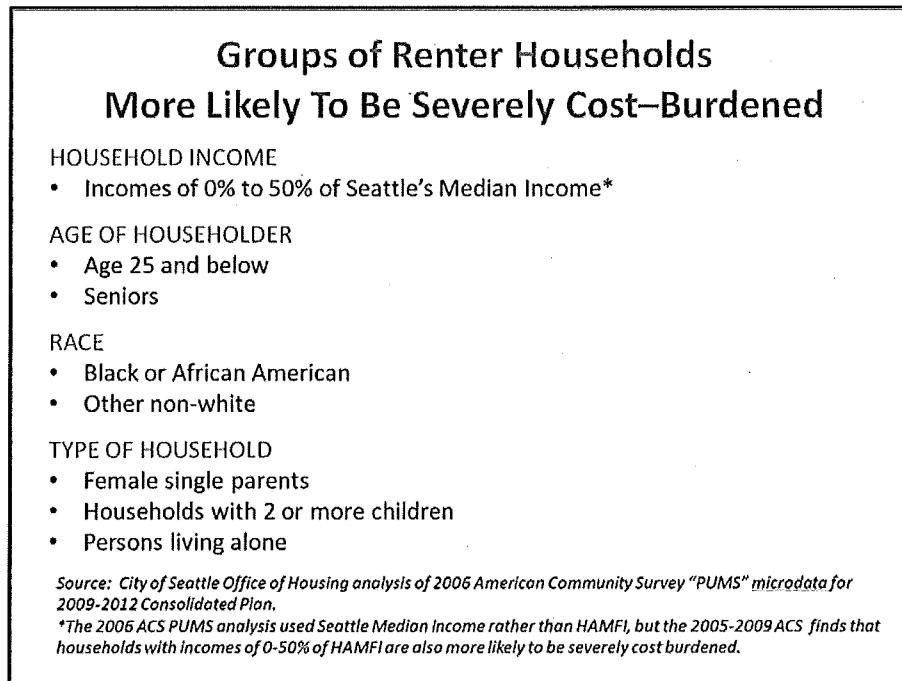
Shares of Seattle Renter Households (By Race of Householder)



A separate and earlier analysis performed for the 2009-2012 Consolidated Plan for Housing and Community Development used 2006 ACS micro data to identify the characteristics of households who were more likely to be severely cost burdened. Highlights are summarized in Housing Figure A-10.

Housing Figure A-10

Groups of Renter Households More Likely to be Severely Cost-Burdened



Maps Showing Selected Household Characteristics

HUD's Community Planning and Development (CPD) Office provides an online set of mapping tools for analyzing housing needs at the local and neighborhood level. Screenshots of selected "CPD Maps" for Census Tracts in and around Seattle are included in this appendix. Maps showing household characteristics are on pages 21 to 23 and maps about the affordability of the housing supply are on pages 39 to 41.

The shading for the CPD maps in this appendix was generated using the default "natural breaks" setting for highlighting variation within a region. The resulting data ranges are different from one map to the other and are shown in the legend accompanying each map.

These maps are based on the ACS CHAS data collected from 2007 to 2011, which is a slightly later time-period than other ACS CHAS data analyzed in this appendix.⁷

⁷ The interactive CPD mapping tool is online at <http://egis.hud.gov/cpdmaps/>. More information about the tool and the data that populate the maps is available in the CPD Maps Desk Guide.

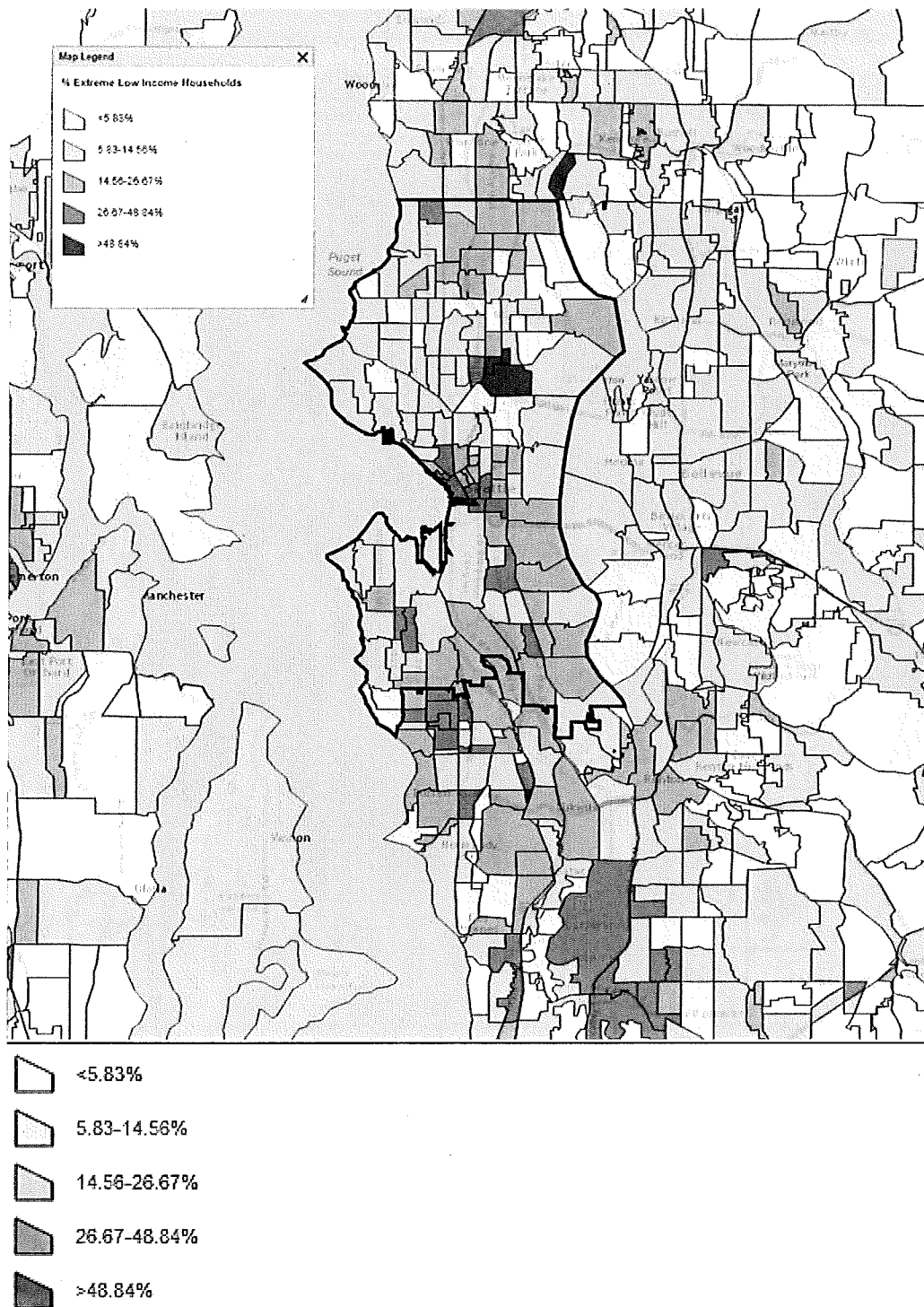
Shares of Households by Income Category

The trio of maps (Housing Figures A-11, A-12, and A-13) that follow show estimated shares of households in Census Tracts who have incomes equal to or below three AMI-based income thresholds: 30 percent of AMI, 50 percent of AMI, and 80 percent of AMI (As elsewhere in this appendix, AMI is adjusted by household size and other factors and is synonymous with HUD's Area Median Family income.)

These maps reveal a great deal of variation between Census Tracts. In Seattle, the shares of households who have low incomes tend to be largest in and around Seattle's Downtown, the University District, and in portions of South Seattle in Delridge and along Rainier Valley. This pattern also includes neighborhoods south and slightly southeast of Seattle's city limits where more than half of the households in many census tracts have incomes below 80 percent of AMI. There are also some census tracts in North Seattle where relatively large shares of households have low incomes, i.e., in the Broadview/Bitterlake area and in a diagonal grouping of tracts that runs from the Aurora Licton Springs neighborhood through Northgate and into Lake City. Concentrations of extremely low-income households are more distinct and found in a smaller number of tracts in and around Seattle than are concentrations of households below 80 percent of AMI.

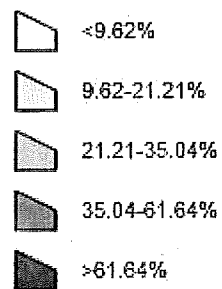
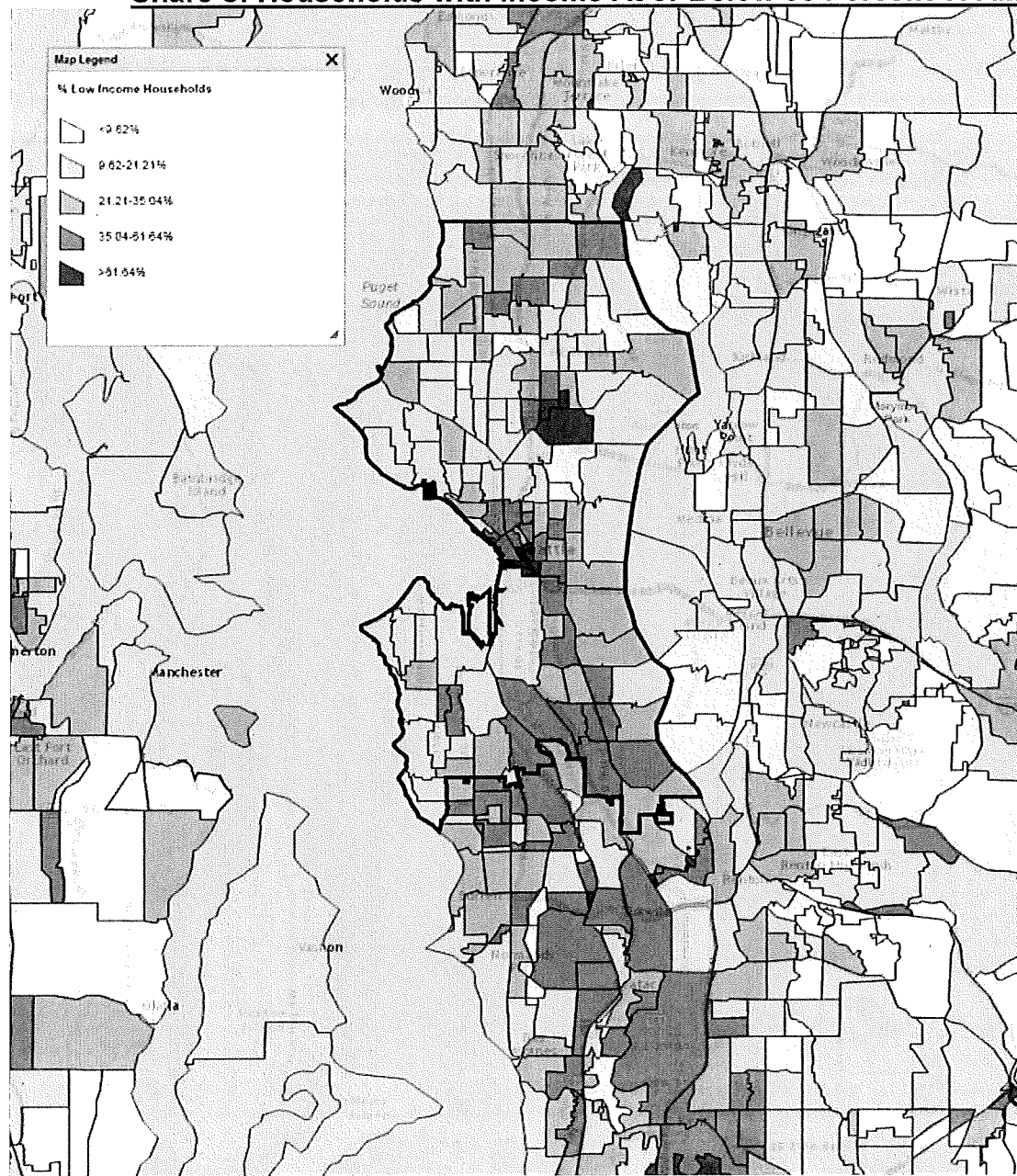
Housing Figure A-11

Share of Households with Income At or Below 30 Percent of AMI:



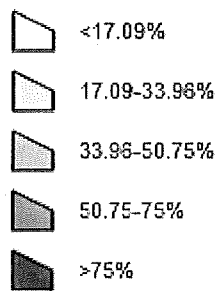
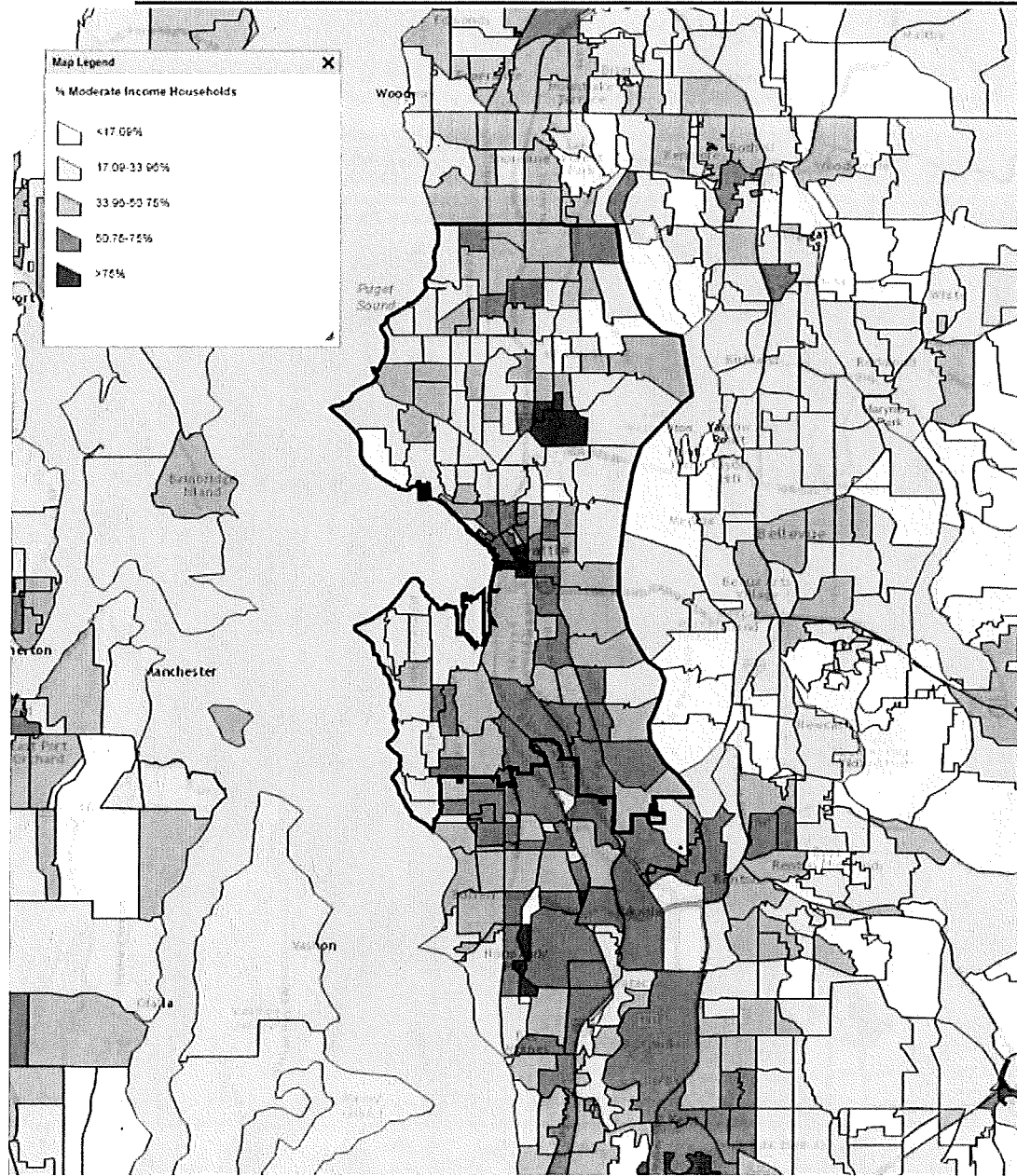
Source: HUD CPD maps (ACS CHAS 2007-2011 estimates)

Housing Figure A-12
Share of Households with Income At or Below 50 Percent of AMI:



Source: HUD CPD maps (ACS CHAS 2007-2011 estimates)

Housing Figure A-13
Share of Households with Income At or Below 80 Percent of AMI:



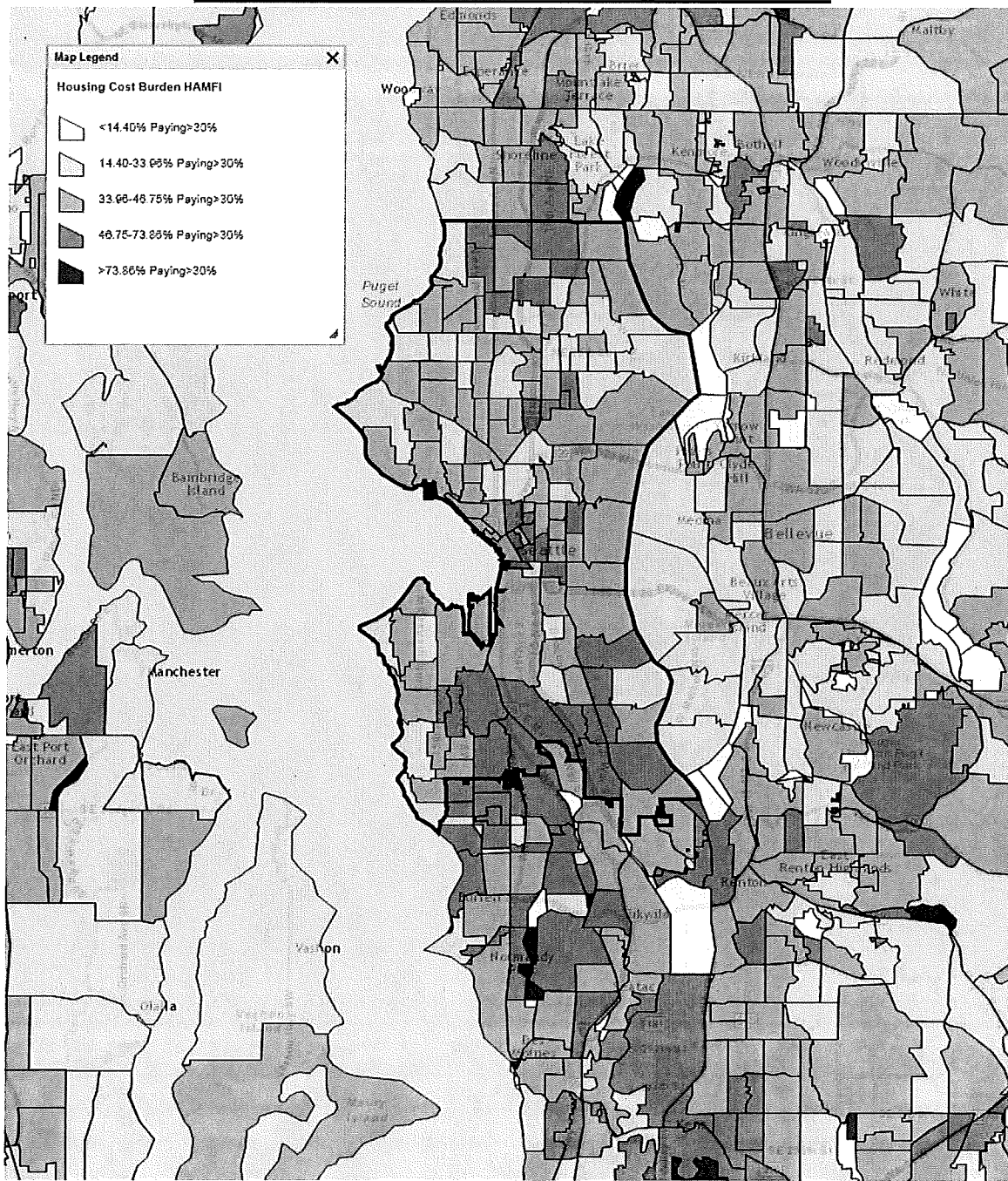
Source: HUD CPD maps (ACS CHAS 2007-2011 estimates)

Prevalence of Housing Cost Burdens

Housing Figure A-14 shows the estimated percentages of households in each census tract who are shouldering monthly housing costs that are more than 30 percent of their income. Not surprisingly, high concentrations of cost-burdened households are found in many of the census tracts where there are large shares of households with low incomes.

Housing Figure A-14

Share of Households with Housing Cost Burden



Source: HUD CPD maps (ACS CHAS 2007-2011 estimates)

E Special Needs Populations

The Growth Management Act and the King County Countywide Planning Policies direct cities to address special needs populations in their Comprehensive Plan housing needs analyses.⁸

Special Needs Populations in Group Quarters

The Decennial Census includes a tabulation of the population residing in group quarters. The 2010 Census enumerated 24,925 persons living in group quarters in the city of Seattle.

Many group quarters categories are devoted to serving, or mostly serve, persons who can be broadly regarded as special needs populations. Housing Figure A-15 shows 2010 Census data for the subset of group quarters categories that have a primary function of serving special needs populations. As shown in Housing Figure A-15, this is almost 10,400 persons. About 2,800 of these persons were counted in institutional facilities, primarily in nursing facilities; and about 7,600 were counted in non-institutional facilities. A large majority of the population in nursing facilities were seniors age 65 and over.

The largest non-institutional category (2,550 persons) was in emergency and transitional shelters. A 2010 Census Special Report on the Emergency and Transitional Shelter Population found that Seattle had the seventh largest emergency and transitional shelter populations among places in the U.S. with a population of 100,000 or more. The Census counted 2,900 persons under "other non-institutional facilities." A large portion of the persons counted in this category may be homeless.

⁸ The Puget Sound Regional Council's Housing Element Guide (July 2014) indicates that special needs housing "refers broadly to housing accommodations for individuals with physical and mental disabilities, seniors, veterans, individuals with mental illness, individuals with chronic and acute medical conditions, individuals with chemical dependency, survivors of domestic violence, and adult, youth, and families who are homeless."

Housing Figure A-15

Population in Special-Needs Associated Group Quarters Categories (2010 Census)

<u>Special-Needs Associated Group Quarters Categories</u>	<u>Estimated Population in Seattle</u>
<u>Total:</u>	<u>10,371</u>
<u>Institutionalized persons:</u>	<u>2,823</u>
<u>Juvenile facilities:</u>	<u>115</u>
<u>Group homes for juveniles (non-correctional)</u>	<u>58</u>
<u>Residential treatment centers for juveniles (non-correctional)</u>	<u>57</u>
<u>Nursing facilities/Skilled-nursing facilities</u>	<u>2,588</u>
<u>Other institutional facilities:</u>	<u>120</u>
<u>Mental (Psychiatric) hospitals and psychiatric units in other hospitals</u>	<u>53</u>
<u>Hospitals with patients who have no usual home elsewhere</u>	<u>2</u>
<u>In-patient hospice facilities</u>	<u>65</u>
<u>Noninstitutionalized persons :</u>	<u>7,548</u>
<u>Other noninstitutional facilities:</u>	<u>7,548</u>
<u>Emergency and transitional shelters (with sleeping facilities) for homeless persons</u>	<u>2,550</u>
<u>Group homes intended for adults</u>	<u>1,387</u>
<u>Residential treatment centers for adults</u>	<u>637</u>
<u>Workers' group living quarters and Job Corps centers</u>	<u>70</u>
<u>Other noninstitutional facilities:</u>	<u>2,904</u>
o <u>Soup Kitchens</u>	
o <u>Regularly Scheduled Mobile Food Vans</u>	
o <u>Targeted Non-Sheltered Outdoor Locations</u>	
o <u>Living Quarters for Victims of Natural Disaster</u>	
o <u>Religious Group Quarters and Domestic Violence Shelters</u>	

Source: 2010 Decennial Census

Homeless Persons from One Night Count and Agency Data

A homeless needs assessment is contained in Seattle's 2014-2017 Consolidated Plan for Housing and Community Development.

One night each January a count of homeless persons is conducted at locations in Seattle and elsewhere in King County in an effort to identify the extent and nature of homelessness. The One Night Count has two components: a count of unsheltered homeless, which is conducted by the Seattle/King County Coalition on Homelessness, and a count and collection by agency staff of information on people being served during that the same night in emergency shelters and transitional housing programs.

Unsheltered Homeless

Information about the unsheltered homeless from the 2014 One Night Count is shown in Housing Figure A-16. This Housing Figure A-16 summarizes the gender, age, and location of unsheltered homeless persons counted in locations within Seattle and in King County as a whole. Almost three-quarters (74 percent) of the more than 3,100 unsheltered homeless persons counted in King County were in Seattle.

Housing Figure A-16

One Night Count: Unsheltered Homeless Persons (January 2014)

	<u>Seattle</u>	<u>King County as a Whole (including night owl buses)</u>
<u>Total</u>	<u>2,303</u>	<u>3,123</u>
<u>Age and gender</u>		
<u>Men</u>	<u>619</u>	<u>944</u>
<u>Women</u>	<u>143</u>	<u>213</u>
<u>Gender unknown</u>	<u>1,527</u>	<u>1,942</u>
<u>Minor (under 18)</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>24</u>
<u>Location</u>		
<u>Benches</u>	<u>51</u>	<u>56</u>
<u>Parking Garages</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>15</u>
<u>Cars/Trucks</u>	<u>730</u>	<u>993</u>
<u>Structures</u>	<u>357</u>	<u>409</u>
<u>Under roadways</u>	<u>228</u>	<u>249</u>
<u>Doorways</u>	<u>206</u>	<u>228</u>
<u>City Parks</u>	<u>54</u>	<u>88</u>
<u>Bushes/undergrowth</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>118</u>
<u>Bus stops</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>26</u>
<u>Alleys</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>47</u>
<u>Walking Around</u>	<u>244</u>	<u>302</u>
<u>Other</u>	<u>290</u>	<u>592</u>

Source: Seattle/King County Coalition on Homelessness, <http://www.homelessinfo.org/onc.html>

Sheltered Homeless

The King County Community Services Division tabulates information for the portion of the One Night Count focusing on the sheltered population. The two largest demographic segments of the sheltered homeless population in King County are 1) persons in families with children and 2) single adult men age 25 years or older. While members of families with children comprise the majority (69 percent) of the transitional housing population, single adult men are the majority (57 percent) in emergency shelters. A substantial number of persons identified as veterans. Reporting on issues such as disabilities and health conditions is voluntary. The most commonly reported disabilities and health conditions reported were mental illness, alcohol or substance abuse, and physical disability.

Additional information and analysis on Seattle's homeless is included in the Homeless Needs Assessment section in the City's 2014-2017 Consolidated Plan for Housing and Community Development. During the course of the 2012 Annual Homeless Assessment Report (AHAR) reporting year, Seattle shelters participating in the "Safe Harbors" system assisted more than 7,486 people in single-individual shelters (for households without children) as well as more than 1,072 people within families with one or more children.

The Consolidated Plan highlights a number of key findings regarding the characteristics of the sheltered homeless population, including:

- Over half (58 percent) of the individuals in shelters for adults without children report having a disability.
- There were more than 643 children under the age of 18 served in emergency shelters in Seattle, and over 43 percent of these were less than 5 years old.
- More than a third of the persons in transitional housing programs for families with children were in a household with five or more people.
- People of color, particularly Black/African Americans, are disproportionately represented among those who are homeless in the shelter/transitional housing system, representing 28 percent of people served in single adult emergency shelters and 71 percent of people served in family shelters.

F Seattle Housing Market

The Comprehensive Plan underwent its previous substantial update in 2004. The total number of housing units in Seattle grew by 42,870 between the beginning of 2005 and the end of 2014. Annual housing production in Seattle varied greatly over that 10-year

period, influenced by broader economic trends including the 18-month Great Recession of December 2007 to June of 2009.

Within the 10 years from 2005 to 2014, an initial peak in Seattle's annual housing growth was reached in 2009 with production that year totaling nearly 7,000 net new units. This was followed by a precipitous drop in housing production due to the Great Recession. Annual production accelerated rapidly between 2011 and 2014. In 2014, over 7,500 net new housing units were built in Seattle, the highest figures recorded over the past 20 years. (See Housing Figure A-17.)

Housing Figure A-17

Housing Units Built, Demolished, and Net New Units by Year (2005-2014)

<u>Year</u>	<u>Units Built</u>	<u>Units Demolished</u>	<u>Net New Units</u>
<u>2005</u>	<u>3,669</u>	<u>(551)</u>	<u>3,118</u>
<u>2006</u>	<u>3,456</u>	<u>(575)</u>	<u>2,881</u>
<u>2007</u>	<u>4,531</u>	<u>(882)</u>	<u>3,649</u>
<u>2008</u>	<u>4,937</u>	<u>(985)</u>	<u>3,952</u>
<u>2009</u>	<u>7,334</u>	<u>(341)</u>	<u>6,993</u>
<u>2010</u>	<u>3,943</u>	<u>(309)</u>	<u>3,634</u>
<u>2011</u>	<u>2,305</u>	<u>(169)</u>	<u>2,136</u>
<u>2012</u>	<u>3,252</u>	<u>(577)</u>	<u>2,675</u>
<u>2013</u>	<u>6,621</u>	<u>(337)</u>	<u>6,284</u>
<u>2014</u>	<u>8,308</u>	<u>(760)</u>	<u>7,548</u>

Source: Citywide Residential Permit Report, Department of Planning & Development, 2015

Consistent with Seattle's Urban Village Strategy, the large majority of the net new housing units added in the city from 2005 to 2014 were built in urban centers and urban villages. Specifically, an estimated 33,401 units (78 percent of all housing units added in the city during that period) were built in urban centers and urban villages. This includes the addition of 19,344 units (45 percent of the city's total growth) in urban centers), and the addition of another 14,081 units (33 percent of the city's total growth) in urban villages outside of centers.⁹

⁹ Figures for 2005 to 2014 from the "Urban Center / Village Residential Growth Report," City of Seattle Department of Planning & Development." (Report generated on April 6, 2015 from DPD Permit Data Warehouse.)

Owner Housing Market

Housing Figure A-18 identifies the eight Northwest Multiple Listing Service (NWMLS) market areas located within Seattle which are referred to in Housing Figures A-19, A-20, and A-21.

Housing Figures A-19 to A-21 provide data on median sales prices for closed sales from 2005 through 2014 for these areas. The home sales reflected in these Housing Figures include condominiums as well as other homes. Note that in the Downtown submarket area (#701), condominiums comprise 100 percent of home sales. Prices in these Housing Figures are inflation adjusted to 2014 dollars.

Housing Figure A-18

Key to Northwest Multiple Listing Service (NWMLS) Market Areas within Seattle

<u>#</u>	<u>Area</u>
<u>140</u>	<u>West Seattle</u>
<u>380</u>	<u>Central Seattle SE, Leschi, Mt Baker, Seward Park</u>
<u>385</u>	<u>Central Seattle SW, Beacon Hill</u>
<u>390</u>	<u>Central Seattle, Madison Park, Capitol Hill</u>
<u>700</u>	<u>Queen Anne, Magnolia</u>
<u>701</u>	<u>Downtown Seattle</u>
<u>705</u>	<u>Ballard, Greenlake, Greenwood</u>
<u>710</u>	<u>North Seattle</u>

Source: Northwest Multiple Listings Service, 2014

As reflected in Housing Figure A-19, home prices in all but one of the eight NWMLS areas in Seattle peaked in either 2006 or 2007. The median sales price for homes in the Central Seattle (area #390) reached a record high in 2014; however, median sales prices in other market areas were still 4 percent to 21 percent lower in 2014 than they were in 2006/2007. Post-recession median sale prices have increased more slowly in South Seattle and Downtown compared to the rest of the city, with the Downtown market area 11 percent lower, West Seattle (area #140) and Southeast Seattle (market area #380) 15 percent lower, and Beacon Hill (area #385) 21 percent lower than their previous peak highs in 2007/2006.

Housing Figure A-19

Median Sales Price by Seattle NWMLS Submarket for Residential Sales, including Condominiums

<u>NWMLS Submarket Area</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>
140	\$385K	\$367K	\$329K	\$312K	\$366K	\$364K	\$413K	\$439K	\$450K	\$414K
380	\$380K	\$356K	\$307K	\$298K	\$338K	\$370K	\$400K	\$448K	\$438K	\$403K
385	\$335K	\$315K	\$258K	\$265K	\$309K	\$337K	\$383K	\$422K	\$403K	\$374K
390	\$493K	\$459K	\$446K	\$422K	\$445K	\$408K	\$455K	\$470K	\$492K	\$455K
700	\$534K	\$517K	\$464K	\$449K	\$488K	\$495K	\$527K	\$559K	\$556K	\$543K
701*	\$430K	\$423K	\$437K	\$415K	\$407K	\$445K	\$455K	\$485K	\$483K	\$436K
705	\$479K	\$447K	\$409K	\$396K	\$431K	\$414K	\$460K	\$487K	\$499K	\$466K
710	\$475K	\$436K	\$412K	\$403K	\$443K	\$435K	\$466K	\$514K	\$504K	\$478K

Source: Northwest Multiple Listings Service King County Statistical Report (December) 2005 through 2014. Inflation adjusted to 2014 dollars based on Consumer Price Index, All Urban Consumers, Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, Base Period 1982-84 = 100, Annual for 2005-2014.

* All sales in the Downtown submarket area (#701) are condominiums.

Housing Figure A-20 shows how median sale prices for new construction homes compare to the median sale prices for all residential sales in Seattle's submarkets. Based on NWMLS data for sales that closed in 2014, median sales prices for new construction homes are substantially higher compared to median sales prices for total residential sales. (New construction homes comprised 9 percent of Seattle's total closed sales in 2014 and averaged 13 percent of total sales in 2005 through 2013, peaking in 2008 at 19 percent of total sales.)

Housing Figure A-21 displays median sales prices for new construction homes (again, including condominiums). Median sales prices for new construction homes dipped after the great recession in all submarkets, but have increased substantially in recent years. With respect to new construction homes, all eight Seattle submarkets registered year 2014 median sales prices that were higher than pre-recession median sales prices.

Housing Figure A-20

New Construction Residential Sales Relative to All Residential Sales

<u>NWMLS Submarket Area</u>	<u>2014 Median Sale Price for New Construction Residential Compared to 2014 Median Sale Price for All Residential</u>	<u>Share of Total Residential Sales for New Construction Homes in 2014</u>
<u>140</u>	<u>14% higher</u>	<u>12%</u>
<u>380</u>	<u>32% higher</u>	<u>10%</u>
<u>385</u>	<u>58% higher</u>	<u>10%</u>
<u>390</u>	<u>33% higher</u>	<u>17%</u>
<u>700</u>	<u>28% higher</u>	<u>10%</u>
<u>701*</u>	<u>191% higher</u>	<u>4%</u>
<u>705</u>	<u>28% higher</u>	<u>14%</u>
<u>710</u>	<u>37% higher</u>	<u>8%</u>

Source: Northwest Multiple Listings Service King County Statistical Report, (December) 2014.

* All sales in the Downtown submarket area (#701) are condominiums.

Housing Figure A-21

Median Sales Price by Seattle NWMLS Submarket for New Construction Residential Sales, Including New Construction Condominiums

<u>NWMLS Submarket Area</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>
140	\$440K	\$414K	\$315K	\$321K	\$364K	\$348K	\$405K	\$406K	\$422K	\$402K
380	\$500K	\$474K	\$350K	\$322K	\$358K	\$376K	\$394K	\$411K	\$427K	\$449K
385	\$528K	\$407K	\$313K	\$370K	\$422K	\$381K	\$471K	\$456K	\$474K	\$461K
390	\$654K	\$523K	\$546K	\$431K	\$440K	\$444K	\$452K	\$501K	\$520K	\$448K
700	\$685K	\$611K	\$490K	\$421K	\$469K	\$514K	\$546K	\$590K	\$613K	\$522K
701*	\$1.25M	\$906K	\$551K	\$478K	\$447K	\$450K	\$460K	\$527K	\$548K	\$454K
705	\$613K	\$546K	\$490K	\$339K	\$374K	\$370K	\$438K	\$468K	\$486K	\$412K
710	\$650K	\$682K	\$425K	\$351K	\$380K	\$408K	\$432K	\$456K	\$473K	\$407K

Source: Northwest Multiple Listings Service King County Statistical Report (December) 2005 through 2014. Inflation adjusted to 2014 dollars based on Consumer Price Index, All Urban Consumers, Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, Base Period 1982-84 = 100, Annual for 2005-2014.

* All sales in the Downtown submarket area (#701) are condominiums.

Rental Housing Market

This section provides an overview of Seattle's rental housing market based on average rents for market-rate apartment units within apartment complexes containing 20 or more units. The average rents are courtesy of Dupre+Scott Apartment Advisors based on the market surveys they conduct.

Average rents in Seattle have increased and are substantially higher than they were ten years ago. Although they dipped slightly following the Great Recession, average rents resumed rising between 2010 and 2011. Average rents then rose at an accelerated pace from 2011 to 2014.

One-bedroom apartments are the most common size of apartment unit in Seattle. Between 2005 and 2014, the average rent for one-bedroom apartments increased an estimated 35 percent. In these units, the average rent as measured per net rentable square foot (NRSF) increased an estimated 27 percent (see Housing Figure A-22).

Housing Figure A-22

Seattle Average Rent per Unit and per Net Rentable Square Foot – 1 Bedroom Apartment Units, Fall 2014

<u>Year</u>	<u>Average Rent Per Unit</u>	<u>Average Rent Per NRSF</u>
<u>2005</u>	<u>\$1,045</u>	<u>\$1.55</u>
<u>2006</u>	<u>\$1,047</u>	<u>\$1.54</u>
<u>2007</u>	<u>\$1,147</u>	<u>\$1.65</u>
<u>2008</u>	<u>\$1,148</u>	<u>\$1.66</u>
<u>2009</u>	<u>\$1,130</u>	<u>\$1.65</u>
<u>2010</u>	<u>\$1,135</u>	<u>\$1.62</u>
<u>2011</u>	<u>\$1,160</u>	<u>\$1.64</u>
<u>2012</u>	<u>\$1,206</u>	<u>\$1.70</u>
<u>2013</u>	<u>\$1,302</u>	<u>\$1.83</u>
<u>2014</u>	<u>\$1,412</u>	<u>\$1.97</u>

Source: Dupre+Scott Apartment Advisors, Apartment Vacancy Report, units in 20+ unit complexes, fall 2014, Seattle – 14 market areas; inflation adjusted to 2014 dollars based on Consumer Price Index, All Urban Consumers, Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, Base Period 1982-84 = 100, August for 2005-2014

Housing Figure A-23 shows estimated average market rents for apartment units in 14 Seattle neighborhood market areas. For each market area, the Housing Figure A-23 shows overall average rents as well as average rents by number of bedrooms. At approximately \$1,070 per unit, average rents are most affordable in the Dupre+Scott “Beacon Hill” market area, followed by the “Rainier Valley” and “North Seattle” (generally north of 85th street) market areas at approximately \$1,130 per unit. Average market rents in the Downtown and South Lake Union market areas are approximately 28 percent higher than the estimated average market rent of \$1,488 for Seattle as a whole.

Housing Figure A-23

Average Market Rents by Unit Type and Market Area, Fall 2014

Dupre+Scott Market Area	All Units	Studio	1-BR	2-BR/1 B	2 BR/2 B	3 BR/3 B
SEATTLE (city as a whole)	\$1,488	\$1,169	\$1,412	\$1,605	\$2,156	\$2,411
<u>NORTH SEATTLE</u>						
Ballard	\$1,563	\$1,244	\$1,489	\$1,696	\$2,345	\$1,850
Greenlake, Wallingford	\$1,557	\$1,347	\$1,444	\$1,599	\$2,170	\$2,115
North Seattle	\$1,130	\$988	\$1,020	\$1,252	\$1,407	\$1,749
University	\$1,361	\$1,094	\$1,240	\$1,441	\$1,968	\$1,963
<u>CENTRAL SEATTLE</u>						
Belltown, Downtown, South Lake Union	\$1,906	\$1,301	\$1,841	\$2,265	\$2,918	\$4,116
Capitol Hill, Eastlake	\$1,462	\$1,149	\$1,430	\$1,836	\$2,285	\$2,835
Central	\$1,446	\$1,131	\$1,380	\$1,534	\$1,934	\$2,191
First Hill	\$1,395	\$1,088	\$1,409	\$1,764	\$2,339	\$2,728
Madison, Leschi	\$1,370	\$930	\$1,284	\$1,577	\$1,694	
Magnolia	\$1,396	\$1,216	\$1,248	\$1,541	\$1,681	\$2,144
Queen Anne	\$1,525	\$1,117	\$1,469	\$1,767	\$2,309	\$2,579
<u>SOUTH SEATTLE</u>						
Rainier Valley	\$1,128	\$1,202	\$1,042	\$1,174	\$1,727	
Beacon Hill	\$1,071	\$890	\$1,055	\$1,318	\$1,226	
West Seattle	\$1,283	\$1,188	\$1,211	\$1,283	\$1,843	\$2,079

Source: Dupre+Scott Apartment Advisors, Apartment Vacancy Report, units within 20+ unit complexes, 14 D+S-
 defined market areas within Seattle, fall 2014

In the 14 Dupre+Scott rental market areas within Seattle, the 5-year average vacancy rate has been less than 5 percent. (A vacancy rate of 5 percent is commonly recognized as the equilibrium point signaling relative balance between supply and demand). As of fall 2014, market vacancy rates were averaging between 0.4 percent and 3.8 percent of units in complexes with 20 or more units. In Seattle's three most affordable rental market areas – Beacon Hill, Rainier Valley, and North Seattle – vacancy rates were averaging an estimated 2.2 percent.

Housing Figure A-24 shows average rents per unit for apartment units in Seattle by the age of the apartment complex. Average rents are markedly higher for the newest cohorts of units. Seattle's most affordable rents are in complexes that were built over a century ago and in the 1970s.

Housing Figure A-24

Average Rent (Fall 2014) Per Unit by Age of Housing

<u>Period in Which Built</u>	<u>Average Rent</u>
<u>2010-2015</u>	<u>\$1,822</u>
<u>2000-2009</u>	<u>\$1,731</u>
<u>1990-1999</u>	<u>\$1,550</u>
<u>1980-1989</u>	<u>\$1,230</u>
<u>1970-1979</u>	<u>\$1,083</u>
<u>1960-1969</u>	<u>\$1,117</u>
<u>1940-1959</u>	<u>\$1,174</u>
<u>1920-1939</u>	<u>\$1,137</u>
<u>1900-1919</u>	<u>\$1,060</u>

Source: Dupre+Scott Apartment Advisors, Apartment Vacancy Report, units in 20+ unit complexes, 14 D+S-defined market areas within Seattle. .

G Affordability of Seattle's Overall Housing Supply

In an earlier section, this appendix examined ACS CHAS data on housing cost burdens to provide insights into the challenges that households in Seattle experience in affording the housing in which they live. CHAS data can also be used to describe the affordability of a community's housing supply independently of the households who currently live in the housing units. This section uses the 2006-2010 5-year CHAS data in this manner in order to describe the affordability of Seattle's housing supply. The CHAS data summarized here categorize the affordability of each housing unit based on the income level that a household would need in order to afford the monthly housing costs associated with the unit. The analysis to produce these tables takes into account the fact that housing needs vary by household size.¹⁰

The ACS is designed to provide estimates from a representative sample of all households and housing units in communities. Like other ACS data, the CHAS data do not distinguish between housing units that are rent- and income-restricted and housing units that are market-rate (i.e., those without regulatory agreements or covenants). The estimates from the ACS CHAS data on the affordability of Seattle's housing supply refer

¹⁰ For details on the methodology used to generate the relevant 2006-2010 CHAS tabulations, see "CHAS Affordability Analysis," by Paul Joice, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Office of Policy Development and Research, Program Evaluation Division, May 20, 2013, <http://www.huduser.org/portal/>.

to affordability in a broad sense; units tabulated as affordable to households at specified income levels may include market-rate as well as rent- and income-restricted units.

Affordability of Owner Units

In order to represent the monthly costs associated with an owner-housing unit in a way that is independent of any household currently in the unit, the CHAS tabulations simulate a situation in which a household has recently purchased the unit and is making payments on an FHA-insured, 30-year mortgage under prevailing interest rates.¹¹ In the CHAS tabulations, monthly mortgage payments are regarded as affordable at a certain income level when these payments consume no more than 31 percent of monthly income. The analytical approach reflected in these tabulations provides a useful, but limited picture of ownership housing affordability in Seattle.¹²

For owner units, the CHAS data give estimates for the number of owner units affordable with household incomes of 0-50 percent of AMI, 50-80 percent of AMI, 80 to 100 percent of AMI, and above 100 percent of AMI. Housing Figure A-25 shows the estimated number of owner units in Seattle that are affordable within each of these affordability categories. Cumulative estimates are also shown for units affordable with incomes at or below 80 percent AMI, and units affordable at or below 100 percent of AMI. Occupied owner units and vacant for-sale units are shown in separate columns and summed in the third column.

The analysis shows that very small numbers of owner units are affordable within the income categories of 0-50 percent of AMI and 50-80 percent of AMI. On a cumulative basis, only about 4,500 owner units, or 3 percent of the total owner units are estimated to be affordable at or below 80 percent of AMI. Another 5 percent are estimated to be affordable at 80-100 percent of AMI.

¹¹ The CHAS data on affordability of owner units use the home value that respondents provided on the ACS questionnaire. To categorize owner units by affordability, the CHAS tabulations assume that the hypothetical owner has purchased the home at a sales price equal to the home value provided in the ACS, and--as noted--and is currently paying making payments on the mortgage for the home.

¹² CHAS tabulations on the affordability of owner housing supply do not capture the ways that accumulation of equity in a home after purchase can affect a home's affordability over time. These tabulations also ignore the question of whether the down payments involved would be affordable to households on the lower side of the economic spectrum.

Housing Figure A-25

Affordability of Owner Units

-	<u>Occupied owner units</u>	<u>Vacant-for- sale units</u>	<u>Total owner units</u>
<u>Owner units:</u>	<u>136,304</u>	<u>2,955</u>	<u>139,259</u>
<u>By affordability category:</u>	-	-	-
<u>Affordable with income of 0-50% of AMI</u>	<u>2,410</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,410</u>
<u>Affordable with income of 50-80% of AMI</u>	<u>1,939</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>1,954</u>
<u>Affordable with income of 80%-100% of AMI</u>	<u>6,920</u>	<u>205</u>	<u>7,125</u>
<u>Affordable with income above 100% of AMI</u>	<u>125,035</u>	<u>2,735</u>	<u>127,770</u>
<u>By affordability level (cumulative):</u>	-	-	-
<u>Affordable with income at or below 80% of AMI</u>	<u>4,349</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>4,364</u>
<u>Affordable with income at or below 100% of AMI</u>	<u>11,269</u>	<u>220</u>	<u>11,489</u>
<u>Source: ACS CHAS 2006-2010 5-Year Estimates.</u>			
<u>Notes: Income categories are based on AMI, as estimated and adjusted for household size by HUD, for the Seattle-Bellevue HUD Metro Fair Market Rent Area.</u>			
<u>The CHAS tables summarized in this Housing Figure A-25 exclude an estimated 750 owner-occupied and 50 vacant, for-sale housing units in Seattle that lack complete plumbing and kitchen facilities.</u>			
<u>ACS CHAS data do not distinguish between housing units with rent restrictions and/or income restrictions and market-rate units (those without regulatory agreements or covenants). Units estimated to be affordable at specified levels may be either market-rate units or rent- and income-restricted units.</u>			
<u>CHAS estimates, like other estimates from ACS, are sample estimates and carry margins of error. Margins of error associated with ACS estimates may be substantial especially for small population and household groups.</u>			

Affordability of Rental Units

Rental units are regarded as affordable at a given income level if monthly "gross rent," defined as contract rent plus tenant-paid basic utilities, equals no more than 30 percent of monthly gross income.

Housing Figure A-26 shows the estimated numbers of rental units that are affordable by income category. (The housing affordability categories included in the CHAS for rental housing differ somewhat from those for owner housing and include more detail in the lowest part of the income spectrum.)

Only 11 percent of the total rental units in Seattle have gross rents that are affordable with an income at or below 30 percent of AMI. About 22 percent of rental units in the city are affordable in the 30-50 percent of AMI category. Another 42 percent of rental units are affordable in the 50-80 percent of AMI category.

Housing Figure A-26

Affordability of Rental Units

	<u>Occupied rental units</u>	<u>Vacant-for- rent units</u>	<u>Total rental units</u>
<u>Rental units</u>	<u>139,625</u>	<u>5,305</u>	<u>144,930</u>
<u>By affordability category:</u>			
<u>Affordable with income of 0-30% of AMI</u>	<u>16,325</u>	<u>340</u>	<u>16,665</u>
<u>Affordable with income of 30-50% of AMI</u>	<u>31,060</u>	<u>1,495</u>	<u>32,555</u>
<u>Affordable with income of 50-80% of AMI</u>	<u>59,355</u>	<u>1,790</u>	<u>61,145</u>
<u>Affordable with income above 80% of AMI</u>	<u>32,885</u>	<u>1,680</u>	<u>34,565</u>
<u>By affordability level (cumulative):</u>			
<u>Affordable with income at or below 50% of AMI</u>	<u>47,385</u>	<u>1,835</u>	<u>49,220</u>
<u>Affordable with income at or below 80% of AMI</u>	<u>106,740</u>	<u>3,625</u>	<u>110,365</u>
<u>Source: ACS CHAS 2006-2010 5-Year Estimates.</u> <u>Notes: Unit is affordable if rent and basic utilities together cost no more than 30% of household income. Analysis assumes household size to unit size ratios that HUD uses to administer the Low Income Housing Tax Credit program.</u> <u>The CHAS tables summarized in this Housing Figure A-26 exclude the estimated 3,760 occupied rental-housing units that lack complete plumbing and kitchen facilities.</u> <u>ACS CHAS data do not distinguish between housing units with rent and/or income restrictions and market-rate units (those without regulatory agreements or covenants).</u> <u>Units estimated to be affordable at specified levels may include market-rate units or rent/income restricted units.</u> <u>Margins of error associated with ACS estimates may be substantial especially for small population and household groups.</u> <u>See prior tables for general notes on the ACS CHAS 2006-2010 5-Year Estimates.</u>			

Maps Showing Affordability Levels of Existing Housing

Following are maps showing shares of housing units within Census Tracts in and around Seattle estimated to be affordable at specified household income levels. These maps are based on ACS CHAS data, which—as noted previously—do not distinguish between market rate and subsidized units.

These maps on housing affordability, like the previous census tract level maps in this appendix, are based on 2007 to 2011 ACS CHAS data and were generated using HUD's "CPD maps" tool. The census tracts in these maps are shaded based on "natural breaks" in the distribution of data in order to highlight variation in and around Seattle. As the map legends indicate, the data categories vary from one map to another; this is important to keep in mind when viewing these maps.

The maps in this series were generated separately for owner housing units and renter housing units. They include:

- Estimated shares of owner housing units within Census Tracts that are:
 - affordable at or below 80 percent of AMI (Housing Figure A-27)
 - affordable at or below 100 percent of AMI (Housing Figure A-28)
- Estimated shares of rental housing units within Census Tracts that are
 - affordable at or below 30 percent of AMI (Housing Figure A-29)
 - affordable at or below 50 percent of AMI (Housing Figure A-30)
 - affordable at or below 80 percent of AMI (Housing Figure A-31)

As reflected in these maps, the affordability of housing varies a great deal between areas within Seattle and between areas in Seattle and surrounding cities.

Shares of Owner Housing Units by Affordability Level

Owner units affordable at or below 80 percent of AMI are very scarce within Seattle and in neighboring cities on the eastside of Lake Washington. The vast majority of Census Tracts in Seattle and these Eastside cities are tracts where only 6 percent or fewer units are affordable at or below 80 percent of AMI.

Owner units affordable at or below 100 percent of AMI are also scarce in tracts within Seattle and Eastside cities, but to a somewhat lesser degree. Census Tracts to the south of Seattle and to the northeast of Seattle have larger proportions of owner units affordable at or below these income thresholds.

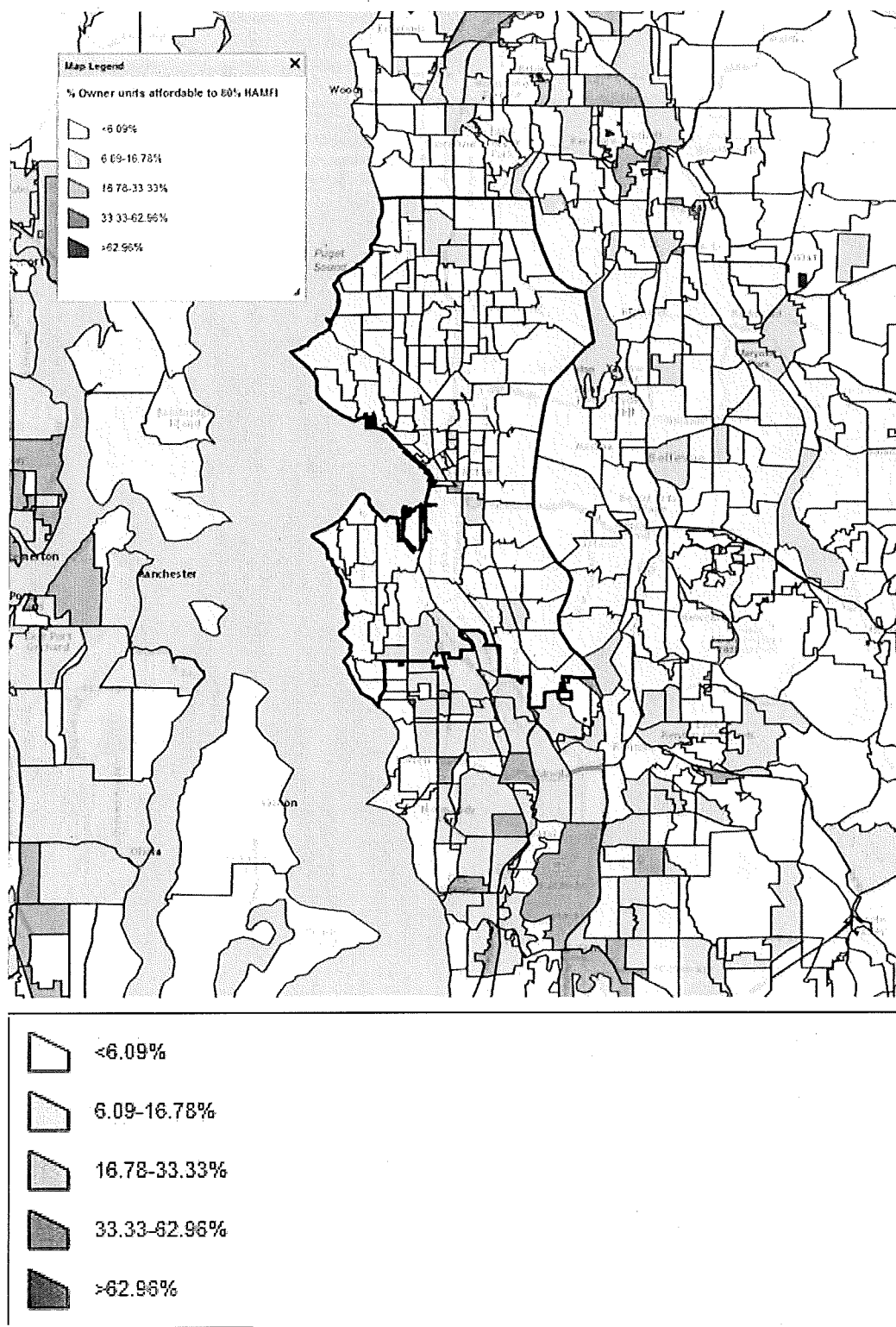
Shares of Rental Housing Units
by Affordability Level

The large majority of census tracts in and around Seattle have very low shares of rental units affordable at or below 30 percent of AMI. However, within the mapped area, Seattle contains many of the Census Tracts where more than 20 percent of rental units are affordable at this income level.

Rental units affordable at or below 50 percent of AMI make up 21 percent or less of the residential rental units in most Seattle census tracts. Within the mapped area, the largest shares of rental units affordable at or below 50 percent of AMI are primarily found in Southeast Seattle and south of Seattle.

Rental units affordable at or below 80 percent of AMI are notably more common in and around Seattle than are rental units affordable at lower income thresholds. However, rental units affordable at or below 80 percent of AMI make up well below half of the rental units in portions of Seattle and in large areas of neighboring cities to the east. Furthermore, units affordable at or below 80 percent of AMI make up large majorities of rental units in a small number of census tracts, most of which are south of Seattle's city limits.

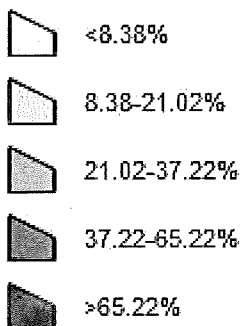
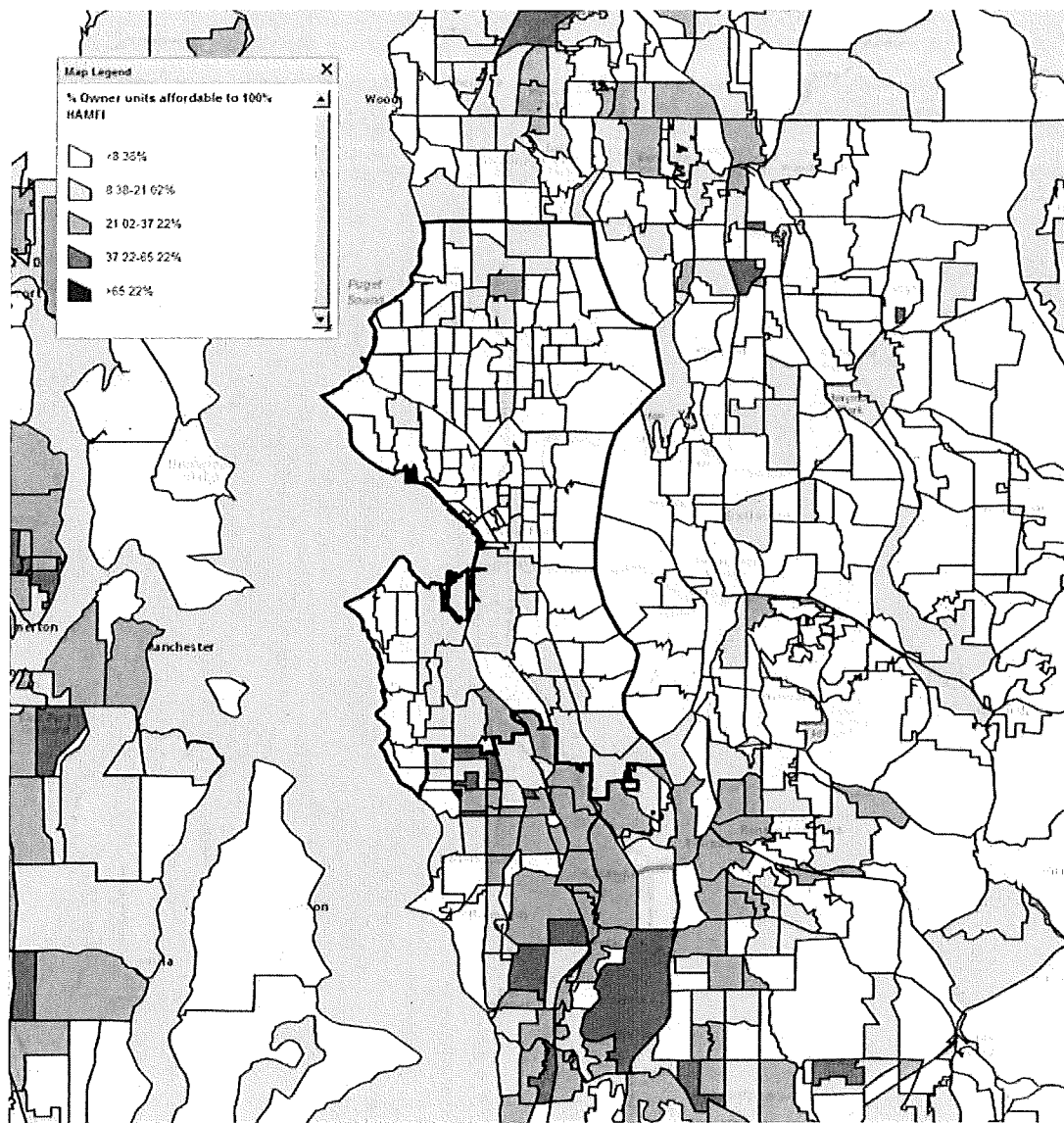
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Share of Owner Units Affordable at or Below 80 Percent of AMI:



Source: HUD CPD maps (ACS CHAS 2007-2011 estimates)

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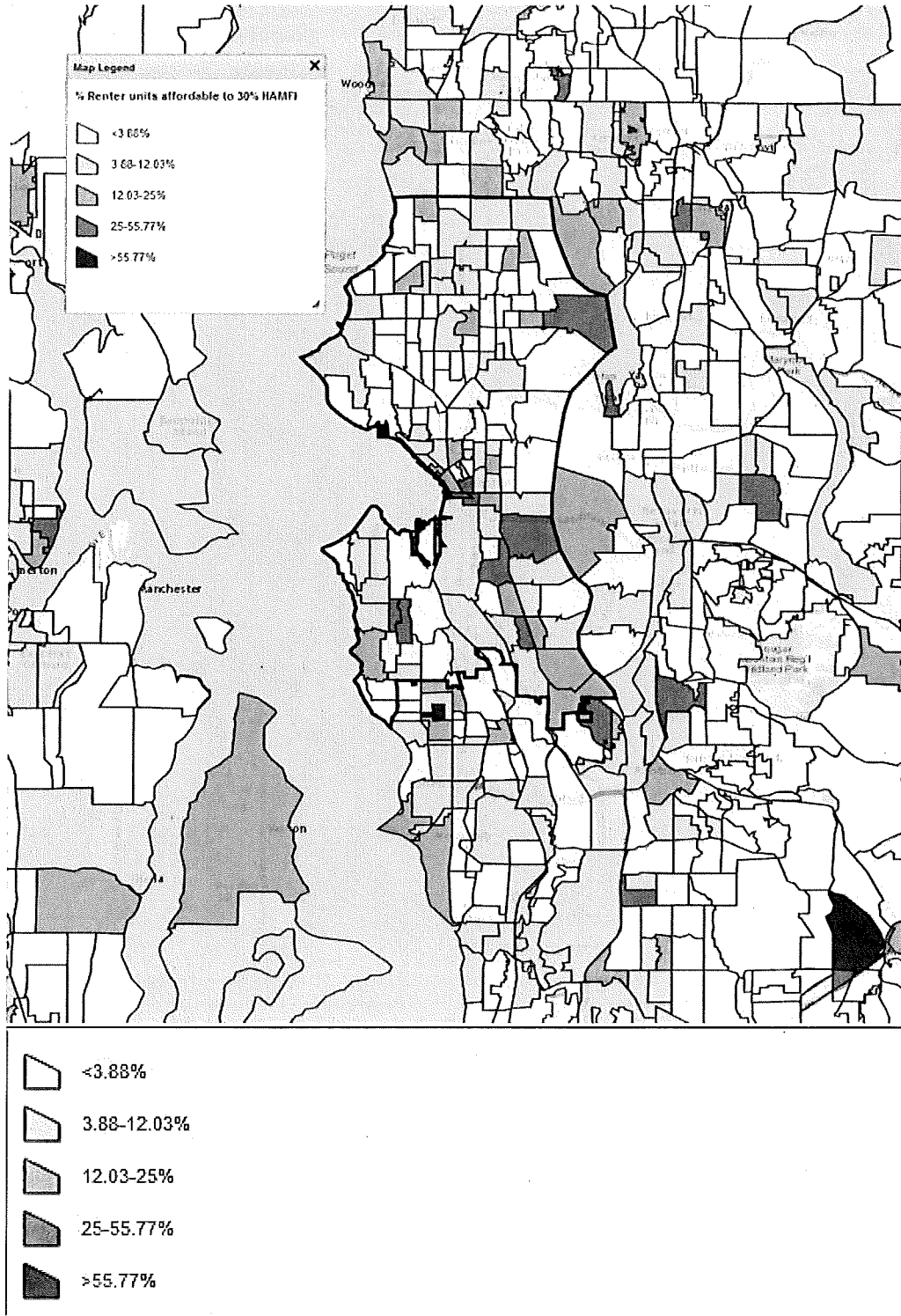
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Source: HUD CPD maps (ACS CHAS 2007-2011 estimates)

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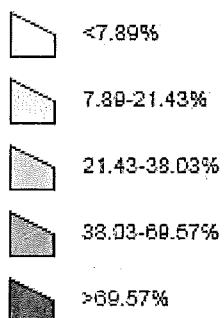
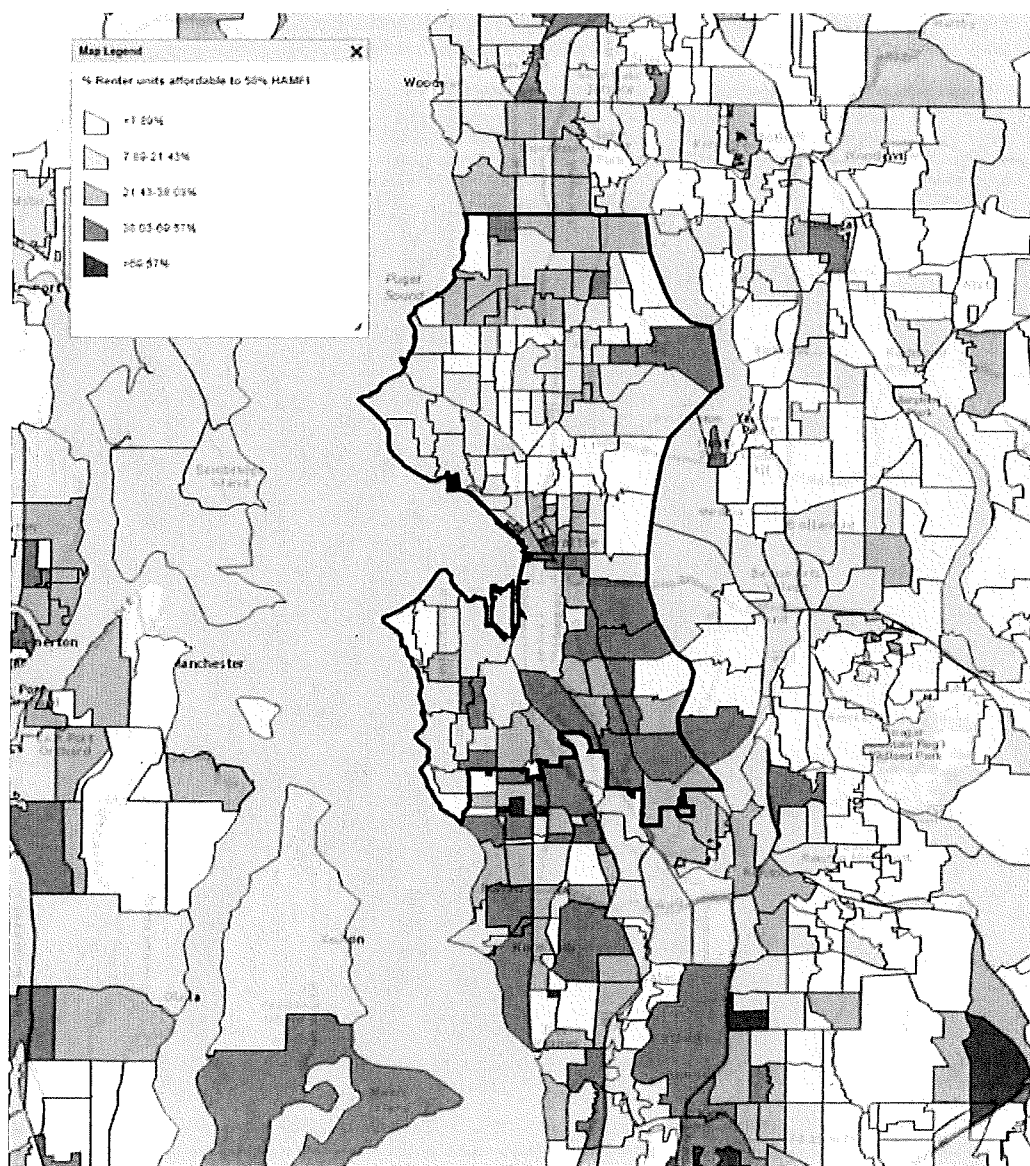
Share of Rental Units Affordable at or Below 30 Percent of AMI:



Source: HUD CPD maps (ACS CHAS 2007-2011 estimates)

Housing Figure A-30

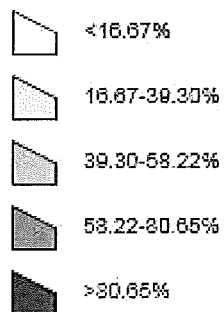
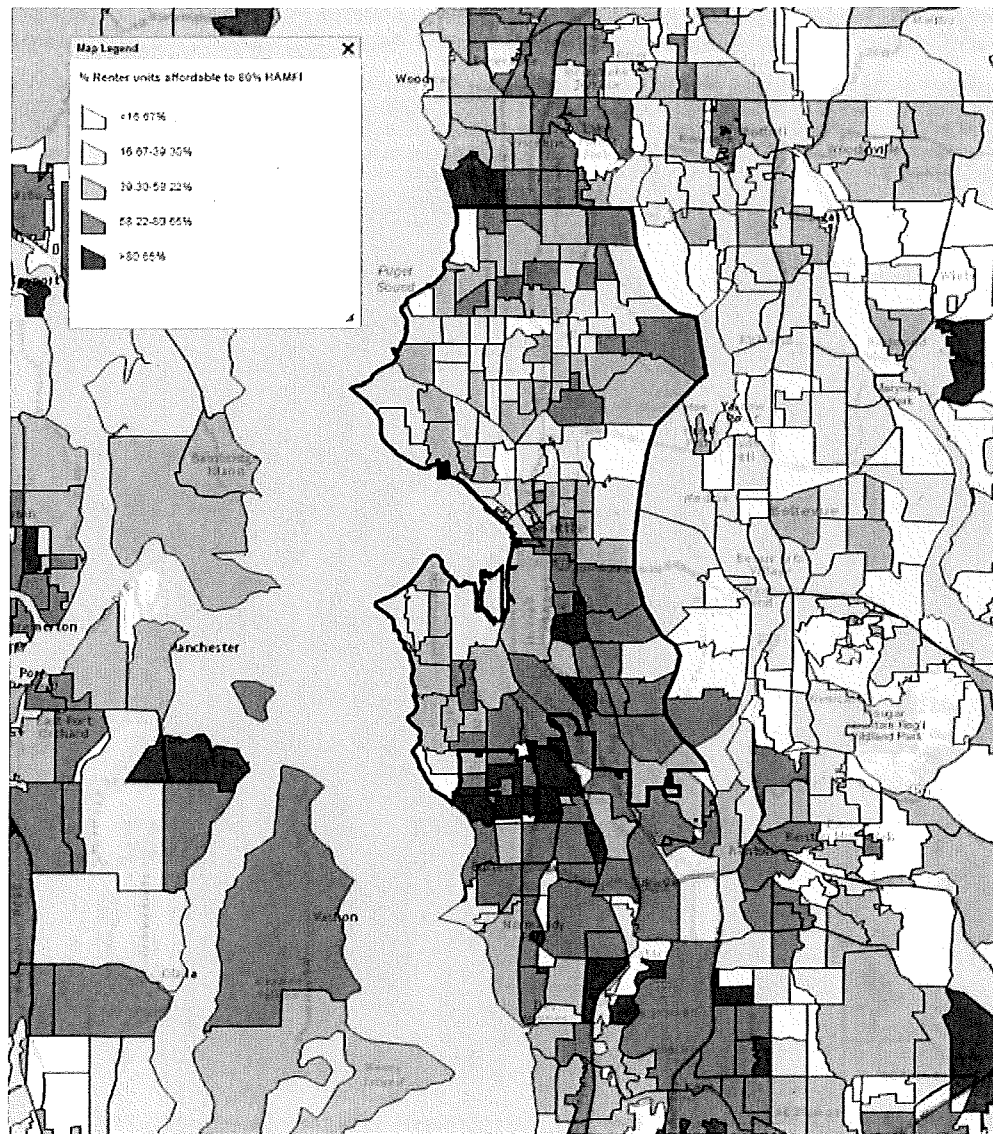
Share of Rental Units Affordable at or below 50 Percent of AMI:



Source: HUD CPD maps (ACS CHAS 2007-2011 estimates)

Housing Figure A-31

Share of Rental Units Affordable at or below 80 Percent of AMI:



Source: HUD CPD maps (ACS CHAS 2007-2011 estimates)

Affordability and Availability of Rental Units in Seattle

The city-level analysis of affordability presented earlier in this appendix used the ACS CHAS data to estimate how much of Seattle's overall rental housing supply is affordable within different low-income categories. Those findings provide useful but incomplete information about the degree to which the current affordability profile of rental housing in Seattle meets existing needs.

As previously described, both market-rate and rent- and income-restricted units are included the CHAS data used to analyze affordability. This helps provide a broad picture of the affordability of rental housing in the city. At the same time, it is important to consider that market-rate rental units affordable at or below a given income threshold can be occupied by households with incomes higher than that threshold.

Gaining a more useful understanding of how well the affordability profile of rental housing in Seattle is meeting the needs of renters in the city requires finding out if the housing units affordable with household incomes at or below the 30 percent, 50 percent, and 80 percent of AMI thresholds are actually *available* to households with incomes at or below these thresholds.

This section dives deeper into the CHAS data to present an analysis of the overall number of rental units that are both affordable *and available* to households at these income levels. In this analysis, units that are affordable are also considered "available" if they are either vacant or are occupied by a household whose income is at or below the specified threshold.¹³

Housing Figure A-32 shows the total number of renter households in each income category, the number of rental units with rents that are affordable in that category, and the number of those units that are occupied by households in that category. These numbers are used to estimate the effective shortage or surplus of affordable and available rental units that exists at or below each of the specified income levels.

For example, 5,300 of the roughly 16,000 units "affordable" at or below 30 percent of AMI are *occupied* by a household with an income that is higher than 30 percent of AMI. The 5,300 units occupied by households with incomes higher than 30 percent of AMI

¹³ This analysis for Seattle is based on the affordability and availability methodology described in "Measuring Housing Affordability," By Paul Joice, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, *Cityscape: A Journal of Policy Development and Research*, Volume 16, Number 1, 2014. A variety of other entities, including the Philadelphia Federal Reserve bank and the Washington State Affordable Housing, have employed similar analyses to assess housing needs at the local and state levels.

are estimated to be affordable—but not available—to households with incomes at or below 30 percent of AMI.

The affordability and availability analysis findings can also be expressed in ratios. For example, for every 100 Seattle renter households who have incomes at or below 30 percent of AMI, there are 48 affordable units. However, 15 of these affordable units are occupied by households with incomes above 30 percent AMI. Thus, for every 100 renter households with incomes at or below 30 percent of AMI, there are estimated to be only 33 rental units that are affordable and available.

Housing Figure A-32

Affordability and Availability of Rental Units at Specified Income Levels

		<u>0-30%</u> <u>of AMI</u>	<u>0-50%</u> <u>of AMI</u>	<u>0-80%</u> <u>of AMI</u>
<u>A</u>	<u>Total renter households with household incomes at or below income level</u>	<u>34,820</u>	<u>56,835</u>	<u>82,650</u>
<u>B</u>	<u>Occupied rental units that are affordable and available at or below income level (i.e., units with rent affordable to households at specified income level and occupied by renters at or below that income level)</u>	<u>11,025</u>	<u>30,050</u>	<u>69,685</u>
<u>C</u>	<u>Occupied rental units that are affordable, but not available, at or below income level (i.e., rental units with rents that are affordable at or below the specified income level but occupied by households above that income level)</u>	<u>5,300</u>	<u>17,335</u>	<u>37,055</u>
<u>D</u>	<u>All occupied rental units that are affordable (i.e., occupied rental units that have rents affordable at specified income level, ignoring income of current occupant HH) (B+C)</u>	<u>16,325</u>	<u>47,385</u>	<u>106,740</u>
<u>E</u>	<u>Vacant for-rent units that are affordable and available at or below income level</u>	<u>340</u>	<u>1,835</u>	<u>3,625</u>
<u>F</u>	<u>Total rental units that are affordable (i.e., total units—occupied or vacant—with rents affordable to households at specified income level) (D+E)</u>	<u>16,665</u>	<u>49,220</u>	<u>110,365</u>

		<u>0-30%</u> <u>of AMI</u>	<u>0-50%</u> <u>of AMI</u>	<u>0-80%</u> <u>of AMI</u>
<u>G</u>	<u>Total rental units that are affordable and available at or below income level (B + E)</u>	<u>11,365</u>	<u>31,885</u>	<u>73,310</u>
<u>H</u>	<u>Nominal shortage or surplus of affordable rental units at or below income level (A – F)</u>	<u>Shortage:18,155</u>	<u>Shortage:7,615</u>	<u>Surplus:27,715</u>
<u>I</u>	<u>Effective shortage or surplus of affordable and available rental units at or below income level (A – G)</u>	<u>Shortage:23,455</u>	<u>Shortage:24,950</u>	<u>Shortage:9,340</u>
<u>J</u>	<u>Affordable rental units per 100 renter households at or below income level (F / A * 100)</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>87</u>	<u>134</u>
<u>K</u>	<u>Affordable and available rental units per 100 renter households at or below income level (G / A * 100)</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>56</u>	<u>89</u>

Source: ACS CHAS 2006-2010 5-Year Estimates. Notes: ACS CHAS data do not distinguish between housing units with rent and/or income restrictions and market-rate units without such restrictions. Units estimated to be affordable at specified levels may include market-rate units as well as rent/income restricted units. Housing unit estimates in this Housing Figure A-32 exclude an estimated 3,760 occupied rental housing units and 300 vacant for-rent units that lack complete plumbing and kitchen facilities. The household estimates, however, encompass all renter households, including those who live in rental units lacking complete plumbing. See prior tables for additional notes on the ACS CHAS 2006-2010 5-Year Estimates.

Examining availability in tandem with affordability reveals that gaps between existing rental supply and the need for housing at low income levels are substantially larger than the gaps found when considering affordability alone.

However, even this affordability and availability analysis in some ways underestimates unmet needs in Seattle for affordable housing.

- The estimated shortages of rental housing at each income threshold do not reveal the likely variation in the size of shortages within each of the constituent income ranges under the threshold. For example, the size of the shortage confronted by households at 60 percent of AMI is likely closer to the shortage found at 50 percent of AMI than it is to the shortage at 80 percent of AMI; and

this is likely the case even though 60 percent of AMI is under the same income range as 80 percent of AMI.¹⁴

- Rents in Seattle have risen substantially since the 2006-2010 period captured in this analysis.
- This affordability and availability analysis *only* addresses rental housing and renter households.¹⁵ The information presented in earlier sections on the affordability of owner housing and the high prevalence of housing cost burdens among low-income owner households are indicators that there is scant availability of owner housing affordable to low income households.
- The households in the analysis are limited to those living in housing units; as a result, the estimated shortages do not factor in the housing needs of homeless people in Seattle who are living on the streets or in temporary shelters.
- Furthermore, the data used for this analysis—like much of the other data analyzed in this appendix—only reflects households who live in Seattle. The analysis does not include households, such as households whose members work in Seattle, who may desire to live inside of Seattle but live in surrounding areas. It is likely that some households living outside of Seattle are doing so in order to access more affordable housing.

¹⁴ Tabulations needed to estimate shortages at finer income increments are not provided in the CHAS dataset. However, other tabulations in the CHAS show that the estimated prevalence of cost burdens and other housing problems tends to be higher for households closer to the bottom than the top of the 30% to 50% of AMI range as well as closer to the bottom than the top of the 50% to 80% of AMI income range.

¹⁵ Results from a similar analysis of owner housing affordability and availability would be difficult to interpret due to the way that households pay for and consume owner-occupied housing over time, which is very different than the way renters pay for housing.

Estimated Household Growth and
Projected Housing Needs by Income Level

As described earlier in this appendix, the City is planning for the net addition of 70,000 households in next 20 years. In order to project the amount of housing that will be needed by income level within the planning period, this analysis makes some simplifying assumptions.

The chart shown in Housing Figure A-33 takes the income distribution of Seattle's existing households (based on HUD CHAS 2006-2010 5-year ACS estimates) and overlays this income distribution on the household growth for which the city is planning.

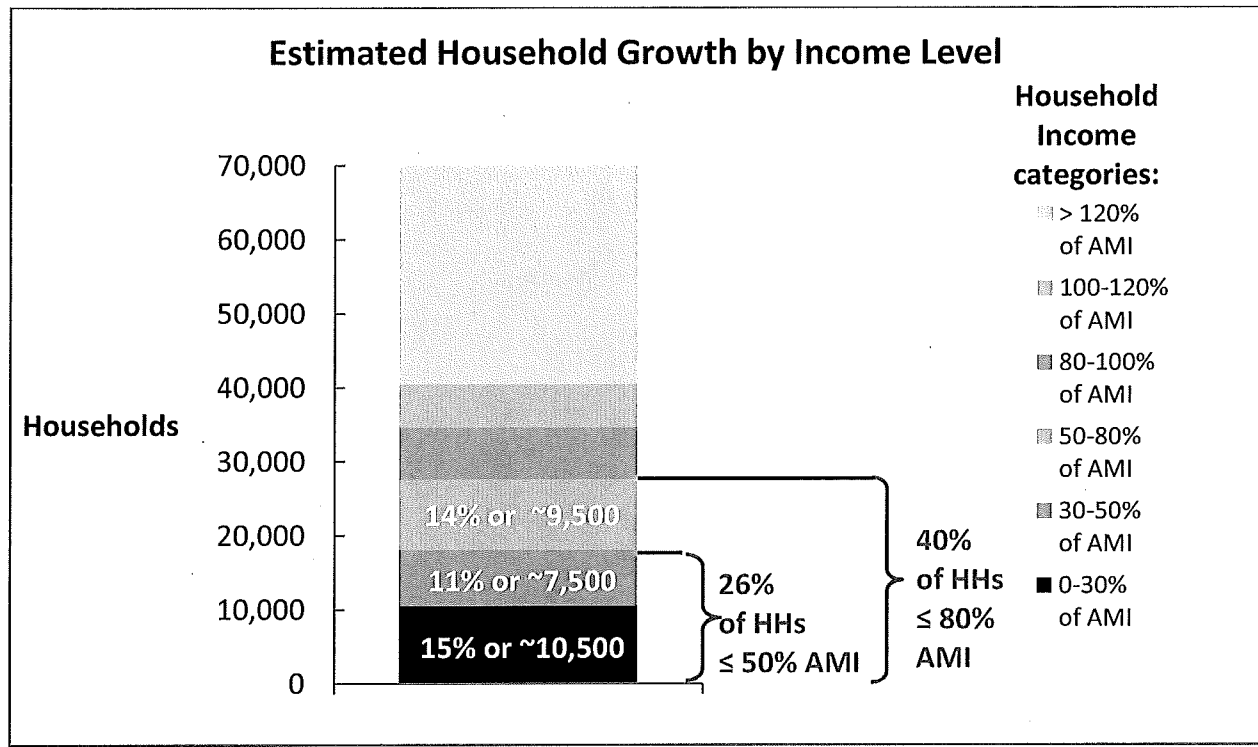
Based on the assumption that the income distribution for the net additional households would be the same as for existing households in Seattle:

- approximately 15 percent (or about 10,500) of the 70,000 of the additional households would have incomes of 0-30 percent of AMI,
- an additional 11 percent of the 70,000 (about 7,500) would have incomes of 30-50 percent of AMI, and
- 14 percent (about 9,500) would have incomes of 50-80 percent of AMI.

On a cumulative basis, 26 percent (or 18,000) of the net new households would have incomes under 50 percent of AMI, and 40 percent (or 28,000) would have incomes under 80 percent of AMI.

Housing Figure A-33

Estimated Household Growth by Income Level



Projecting the amount of housing needed to be affordable at each income level also requires analytical assumptions about how need could be met.

- If affordability needs are met *entirely* with rent- and income-restricted affordable housing, the amount of housing needed for households with incomes in the 0-30 percent, 30-50 percent, and 50-80 percent of AMI income categories will be essentially the same as the number of households in each of these low-income categories.
- If affordability needs within these low-income categories are met with a *combination* of rent- and income- restricted units and non-restricted (i.e., market-rate) units, the amount of housing needed to be affordable at or below income thresholds will be higher than the corresponding number of households. This is to account for the fact some of the affordable market-rate units will be occupied by households above income thresholds. Findings from the affordability and availability analysis conducted for Seattle's existing housing supply can provide insight for projecting future need. At each income level analyzed, that analysis

found that there are about one and a half affordable units for every affordable and available unit.¹⁶

Based on the assumptions and considerations above, the amount of housing needed to be affordable to the subset of the 70,000 net new households in low-income categories, can be expected to be at least the same as the household numbers shown in Housing Figure A-33, and could potentially be up to one and a half times those numbers.

Following are the estimated numbers of units at each income level that would be needed in order to address affordability needs associated with the addition of 70,000 households.¹⁷

- For households with incomes of 0-30 percent of AMI: 10,500 rent- and income-restricted affordable units (assumes that all units affordable within this category would be rent- and income-restricted given that it would be extremely unlikely that the market would produce new units affordable at this income level without subsidy or regulatory intervention).
- For households with incomes of 30-50 percent of AMI: 7,500 rent- and income-restricted affordable units (if need met entirely with rent/income restricted units) or an additional 11,500 affordable units (if need met with a combination of rent/income restricted- and non-restricted units).
- For households with incomes of 50-80 percent of AMI: 9,500 rent- and income-restricted affordable units (if need met entirely with rent/income restricted units) or 14,500 affordable units (if need met with a combination of rent/income restricted- and non-restricted units).

Summing these figures together indicates that addressing the affordability needs of the 70,000 new households would require production of roughly 27,500 to 36,500 housing units affordable at or below 80 percent of AMI. This is in addition to existing unmet need.

The foregoing discussion underscores the vital role that subsidized housing and other forms of rent- and income-restricted affordable housing will continue to play in addressing the affordability needs of low-income households.

¹⁶ See Housing Figure A-32 rows F and G. Figures in Housing Figure A-32 reflect the existing combination of rent/income restricted units and market-provided units. (The ACS CHAS data include both rent/income restricted and market rate units but do not distinguish these units.)

¹⁷ Figures given for the units needed in each income category assume needs in previous categories are met.

The following section describes the City's strategies for addressing affordable housing needs. Through these strategies, Seattle responds to local needs within our city and helps address countywide need as required by the CPPs. Over the next 20 years, the production of rent- and income-restricted affordable units will continue to be essential, especially at the lowest income levels, which the housing market—particularly newly built market-rate housing—rarely addresses.

H Strategies for Addressing Housing Needs

The City of Seattle's Office of Housing administers several affordable housing programs, which all help low-income families and individuals to thrive, and enable neighborhoods to provide a full range of housing choice and opportunity. The City's housing programs help build strong, healthy communities. The rent- and income-restricted housing units achieved through production and preservation of affordable housing, both through capital subsidies and through developer incentives, both help to stabilize lower income residents in their neighborhoods and increase opportunities for people to live in our City. These strategies are informed by knowledge of local needs as well as an understanding of the needs in King County as a whole.

Seattle Office of Housing Programs

Rental Housing Program

The Office of Housing's Rental Housing Program provides capital funding for the development of affordable rental housing in Seattle using funds from the Seattle Housing Levy, payments contributed by developers through the incentive zoning program, and federal grants. The Office of Housing coordinates with other public and private funders to leverage these resources 3 to 1, with the largest sources of leverage coming from low-income housing tax credits and tax-exempt bond investment. Funding is generally provided in the form of low interest, deferred payment loans and is awarded on a competitive basis. It is available to parties from both the non-profit and for-profit sectors, although the former have been the most active in the development and ownership of Seattle's low-income housing to date.

- **2013 Funding:** \$27.1 million, including \$14 million in Housing Levy, \$6.6 million in federal grants, \$4.7 million of incentive zoning funds, and \$1.8 million in other funding
- **2013 Production:** 432 low-income housing units, including 310 new construction units, 80 acquisition-rehab units, and rehab of 42 units in the existing portfolio
- **Total Portfolio:** Cumulative production of over 11,000 low-income housing units since 1981, largely funded by voter-approved housing levies

- **Affordability Term:** Minimum 50 years
- **Income Limits:** Generally ≤ 60 percent AMI, with over half of all units rent/income restricted at ≤ 30 percent AMI. Of actual households served, 76 percent have incomes 0 to 30 percent AMI, 17 percent > 30 and ≤ 50 percent AMI, and 6 percent > 50 and ≤ 80 percent AMI.
- **Populations Served:** General priorities include formerly homeless individuals and families, seniors and people with disabilities, and low-wage working households. Racial/ethnic makeup of households served is 43 percent White non-Hispanic, 29 percent Black/African American non-Hispanic, 12 percent Asian non-Hispanic, 3 percent Native American non-Hispanic, 7 percent Multi-Racial non-Hispanic, and 6 percent Hispanic,.
- **Weblink:** <http://www.seattle.gov/housing/development>

Incentive Zoning for
Affordable Housing

In certain zones, Seattle's incentive zoning program enables development to achieve extra floor area beyond a base limit when affordable units are provided ("performance option") or when a fee is paid to support the development of affordable housing ("payment option"). With the latter option, the affordable units can be built either in that same neighborhood or in other neighborhoods with light rail or other direct frequent transit connections to areas experiencing employment and residential growth.

- **2013 Production:** 16 units produced on-site in 5 projects, and \$2.8 million of in-lieu payments
- **Total Portfolio:** 106 rent/income restricted units in 16 projects since 2010, and \$48.5 million of in-lieu payments since 2001
- **Affordability Term:** Minimum 50 years
- **Income Limits:** Up to 80 percent AMI for rental and 100 percent AMI for owner-occupied housing; In-lieu payments support the Rental Housing and Homeownership Programs
- **Incentive Zoning areas:**
http://www.seattle.gov/housing/incentives/IncentiveZoning_Housing_Map.pdf
- **Weblink:** <http://www.seattle.gov/housing/incentives/LandUseCode.htm>

Multifamily Tax Exemption

Multifamily Tax Exemption is a voluntary program that allows developers to receive a property tax exemption on the residential improvements of a development for up to 12 years. While the tax exemption is in effect, 20 percent of the housing units in the building must be rent-restricted for income-eligible households. The tax exemption is available in 39 target areas in Seattle, which constitute 73 percent of the land zoned for multifamily development. Approximately 40 percent of all projects currently in development in Seattle have opted to participate in the program. The program complements a separate State tax exemption for projects with 75 percent of units serving households $\leq$ 50 percent AMI.

- **2013 Production:** 693 rent/income restricted units in 41 projects approved
- **Total Portfolio:** 3,133 rent/income restricted units in 87 projects since 1998, with another 1,686 units in 83 projects expected to be complete by 2017
- **Affordability Term:** Up to 12 years
- **Incomes Served:** Up to 65-85 percent AMI, depending on number of bedrooms
- **MFTE Areas:** http://www.seattle.gov/housing/incentives/MFTE_RTA_Map.pdf
- **Weblink:** <http://www.seattle.gov/housing/incentives/mfte.htm>

Homeownership Program

The Office of Housing provides up to \$45,000 per household in down payment assistance to low-income first time home buyers, typically in the form of low-interest, deferred payment second mortgages. For resale restricted homes, Office of Housing will provide up to \$55,000. The program is marketed through partner nonprofits and lending institutions, who often supplement City funds with subsidies from additional federal and local sources. The Office of Housing also provides annual funding for homebuyer counseling, and has recently launched a foreclosure prevention outreach campaign to connect homeowners with needed resources.

- **2013 Funding:** \$2.3 million awarded, including \$1.6 million in Housing Levy and \$490,000 in federal grants, and \$147,000 in other funding
- **2013 Production:** 51 homebuyers assisted
- **Total Portfolio:** 932 homebuyers assisted since 2004, largely funded through voter-approved Housing Levies
- **Affordability Term:** Nearly 17 percent of loans are through a land trust/resale restricted model, with provisions to ensure long-term affordability for future buyers; no ongoing affordability requirement for the remainder of loans

- **Incomes Served:** Up to 80 percent AMI. Of actual households, 19 percent have incomes $\leq$ 50 percent AMI, 19 percent >50 percent and $\leq$ 60 percent AMI, and 62 percent > 60 and $\leq$ 80 percent AMI.
- **Populations Served:** To date, the program has largely served families with children (40 percent) and single adults (52 percent). Racial/ethnic makeup of households served is 57 percent White non-Hispanic, 18 percent Black/African American non-Hispanic, 17 percent Asian non-Hispanic, 1 percent Native American non-Hispanic, 3 percent Other/Multi-Racial non-Hispanic, and 4 percent Hispanic.
- **Weblink:** <http://www.seattle.gov/housing/buying/programs.htm>

HomeWise Weatherization

The HomeWise program provides energy efficiency, and health and safety improvements to houses and apartment buildings with low-income households. Typical investment ranges from \$6,000 to \$12,000 per unit.

- **2013 Funding:** \$5.1 million total, including \$2.3 million from the State, \$1.8 million from utilities, and \$1 million in other funds
- **2013 Production:** 1,038 units, including 200 single-family and 838 multifamily units
- **Total Portfolio:** 14,103 units since 2000
- **Affordability Term:** 3 years for rental housing weatherization; no ongoing affordability requirement for homeowners
- **Incomes Served:** Eligibility varies depending on source of funding. Of actual households served, 60 percent have incomes $\leq$ 30 percent AMI, 36 percent > 30 and $\leq$ 60 percent AMI, and 4 percent > 60 and $\leq$ 80 percent AMI.
- **Populations Served:** Racial/ethnic makeup of households served is 44 percent White, 22 percent Black/African-American, and 20 percent Asian residents. A third of residents served are over 60 years of age.
- **Weblink:** <http://www.seattle.gov/housing/HomeWise/default.htm>

Home Repair Loan Program

The Home Repair Loan Program helps low- to moderate-income homeowners finance critical home repairs. Eligible homeowners apply for a zero percent or 3 percent loan of up to \$24,000 (with a maximum life time benefit of \$45,000) for a term of up to 20 years. The goals for the program are to identify and make health, safety and code-related repairs, increase home energy-efficiency, and help revitalize neighborhoods.

- **2013 Funding:** \$251,000 total, with \$239,000 from CDBG and \$12,000 from the Housing Levy

- **2013 Production:** 16 loans
- **Total Portfolio:** ~2,900 loans to date
- **Affordability Term:** No ongoing affordability requirement
- **Incomes Served:** Up to 80 percent AMI. Of actual households served, over half have incomes $\leq$ 30 percent AMI, a quarter have incomes $>$ 30 and $\leq$ 50 percent AMI, and a quarter have incomes $>$ 50 and $\leq$ 80 percent AMI
- **Populations Served:** Over half of households are elderly, nearly a quarter of households are families with children, and remaining households are non-elderly adults. Racial/ethnic makeup of households served is 59 percent White non-Hispanic, 21 percent Black/African American non-Hispanic, 12 percent Asian non-Hispanic, 4 percent Native American non-Hispanic, 2 percent Hispanic.
- **Weblink:** http://www.seattle.gov/housing/buying/repair_loans.htm

I Seattle's Rent and Income Restricted Housing Inventory

The Office of Housing estimates that Seattle has over 27,000 rent- and income-restricted rental housing units for extremely low- to low-income households. The middle columns in Housing Figure A-34 provide a summary of Seattle's approximate rental housing inventory with housing covenants, agreements, or other restrictions by rent/income limit and location of the housing by type of urban center/urban village. This 27,000 unit estimate does not include portable tenant-based Section 8 vouchers.

Housing Figure A-34

Estimated Rent/Income Restricted Housing Units by Income Category and Location

<u>Urban Centers/Villages</u>	<u>Rent/Income Restricted Housing Units by Income Category</u>				<u>Estimate d Total Housing Units</u>
	<u>≤ 30% AMI</u>	<u>>30 to 60% AMI</u>	<u>>60 to 80% AMI</u>	<u>Total ≤80% AMI</u>	
<u>Outside of Urban Center/Village</u>	<u>2,642</u>	<u>1,357</u>	<u>712</u>	<u>4,711</u>	<u>183,037</u>
<u>Urban Centers</u>	<u>6,403</u>	<u>4,101</u>	<u>1,087</u>	<u>11,591</u>	<u>65,412</u>
<u>Hub Urban Villages</u>	<u>976</u>	<u>2,677</u>	<u>364</u>	<u>4,017</u>	<u>20,886</u>
<u>Residential Urban Villages</u>	<u>2,507</u>	<u>3,318</u>	<u>1,031</u>	<u>6,856</u>	<u>38,377</u>
<u>Manufacturing Industrial Centers</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>345</u>
<u>Grand Total</u>	<u>12,569</u>	<u>11,454</u>	<u>3,194</u>	<u>27,217</u>	<u>308,057</u>

Sources: Office of Housing Survey of Rent/Income Restricted Housing 2008; Office of Housing Multifamily Database 2014; DPD Development Capacity Report 2014.

Based on Office of Housing rent/income restricted housing and DPD total housing unit estimates, slightly less than 9 percent of Seattle's total housing units are rent/income restricted. Specifically, 4.1 percent are rent restricted for households with incomes ≤ 30 percent of AMI, 3.7 percent are rent restricted for households with incomes ≤ 60 percent of AMI, and 1.0 percent are rent restricted for households with incomes ≤ 80 percent of AMI. Over 80 percent of Seattle's 27,000-plus rent/income restricted units are located in urban centers and villages to help extremely low- to low-income households better access services, retail, transit, and other amenities.

Seattle's estimated rent/income restricted housing inventory of over 27,000 units includes approximately 15,000 rental units in the City of Seattle's portfolio of housing funded in part through Office of Housing's Rental Housing Program, provided by residential building owners through incentive zoning or the Multifamily Tax Exemption Program, or provided in accordance with other agreements.

An inventory from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development identifies roughly 75 buildings totaling 3,500 rent/income restricted units with regulatory agreements that could expire between now and 2035. However, it is important to note that the actual universe of units in Seattle that may be at risk of loss of affordability is smaller for a number of reasons. The actual universe is smaller because the HUD list includes buildings that (a) are located outside of the city of Seattle; (b) have been funded by the Seattle Office of Housing (OH), which routinely monitors the long term

affordability restrictions for OH-funded housing; (c) have mortgage loans insured under Section 221(d)(4), for which affordable housing set asides are not required; and (d) are owned by entities with a mission of providing long-term affordable housing for low-income households.

Rental Housing Program:
Profile of Households Served

The data shown in the following three Housing Figures (Housing Figures A-35 to A-37) provide a profile of 13,690 households as reported in 2013 annual reports submitted to Office of Housing via the State's Combined Funders Annual Reporting System (WBARS). The information describes households who benefitted from a 10,850 unit subset of the Office of Housing's estimated 11,400 unit Rental Housing Program portfolio. Totals in Housing Figures A-22 to A-24 differ from total rent/income restricted units in previous tables given the differences in the timeframe and reporting parameters for the data.

Housing Figure A-35

Seattle Rental Housing Program Units by Income Limit & Households by Income

<u>Projects in Operation and Reporting as of 12/31/13</u>	<u>Number of Households by Income</u>	<u>Percent of Households</u>	<u>Units by Income Restriction</u>	<u>Percent of Units</u>
<u>≤ 30% AMI</u>	<u>10,375</u>	<u>75.8%</u>	<u>5,630</u>	<u>51.9%</u>
<u>>30 to ≤ 50% AMI</u>	<u>2,253</u>	<u>16.5%</u>	<u>3,286</u>	<u>30.3%</u>
<u>> 50 to ≤ 80% AMI</u>	<u>853</u>	<u>6.2%</u>	<u>1,560</u>	<u>14.4%</u>
<u>> 80% AMI</u>	<u>209</u>	<u>1.5%</u>	<u>374</u>	<u>3.4%</u>
<u>Total</u>	<u>13,690</u>	<u>100%</u>	<u>10,850</u>	<u>100%</u>

Source: Combined Funders Annual Reporting System (WBARS), Office of Housing Annual Reports, 2013

Notes: "> 80 percent AMI" represents units in Office of Housing-funded projects that have restrictions for income and rent by other funders.

Nearly 60 percent of the Office of Housing's Rental Housing Program serves households of color. An estimated 4,100 units in the Office of Housing's Rental Housing Program portfolio are specifically regulated to serve households who have experienced homelessness. Based on annual report data the Office of Housing received in 2013, 4,829 single-person households and 821 two-plus person households were served by 4,122 homeless units. This housing is integrated with on- or off-site support services.

Housing Figure A-36

Seattle Rental Housing Program Households by Race/Ethnicity

<u>Race/Ethnicity</u>	<u>Number of Households</u>	<u>Percent of Total</u>
White, non-Hispanic	5,595	42.9%
Black/African American, non-Hispanic	3,817	29.2%
Asian/Pacific Islander, non-Hispanic	1,587	12.2%
American Indian or Alaska Native, non-Hispanic	378	2.9%
Multi-Racial, non-Hispanic	935	7.2%
Hispanic	741	5.7%
Total Households Reporting Race/Ethnicity in 2013	13,053	100.0%

Source: Combined Funders Annual Reporting System (WBARS), Office of Housing Annual Reports, 2013

Housing Figure A-37

Seattle Rental Housing Program Average Household Size and Household Income

<u>Unit Type</u>	<u>Average Size of Households</u>	<u>Average Annual Income of Households</u>	<u>Income of Households as Percent of Area Median Income</u>
Studio	1.04	\$10,536	17%
1-Bedroom	1.29	\$16,841	26%
2-Bedroom	2.71	\$22,980	30%
3-Bedroom	4.09	\$22,859	29%
4-Bedroom	5.99	\$30,235	31%
5-Bedroom	8.17	\$26,243	22%

Source: Combined Funders Annual Reporting System (WBARS), Office of Housing Annual Reports, 2013.

Continued Production

Based on historic program production, the City's Office of Housing (OH) estimates that roughly the following numbers of rent- and income-restricted housing units would continue to be produced or newly preserved annually under existing affordable housing programs:

With long-term affordability covenants of 50 years' duration:

- Rental Housing Program: approximately 400 affordable units per year (funded by the Seattle Housing Levy, incentive zoning fees and subsidies from federal, state, and local sources)
- Incentive Zoning on-site performance: approximately 25 affordable units per year
- There is potential for more units to be produced through the City's existing Incentive Zoning program if the program is changed and/or expanded to new areas.

With shorter-term affordability covenants of 12 years' duration:

- Multifamily Tax Exemption: approximately 325 to 375 affordable units per year

These figures are for rent- and income-restricted housing funded and incentivized by the City; affordable units created without such involvement by the City are not included. These figures also do not account for the loss of rent- and income-restricted units, including the loss of Multifamily Tax Exemption units due to expiration of 12-year housing affordability covenants.

As described previously, the Rental Housing Program operated by the City's Office of Housing provides capital funding for the production and preservation of low-income housing using funds from the Seattle Housing Levy, incentive zoning payments, and subsidies from other governmental sources. The production estimates above are based on a continuation of programs in place in 2014 and assume stable state, county and federal resources. However, it is important to note that many sources of outside government funds have been shrinking and that there is a significant risk that affordable housing resources from county, state, and federal agencies will decline.

J Concluding Summary: Key Findings on Existing and Projected Affordable Housing Needs

This Housing Appendix includes an analysis of Seattle's existing and projected affordable housing needs. Key findings based on these analyses are summarized below.

There are currently an estimated 27,200 rent/income restricted housing units in Seattle. Even with these units and the low-cost units provided by the market, large gaps remain between the demand for and supply of housing affordable to households at low income levels. Substantial shares of low-income households are shouldering unaffordable housing cost burdens. The shortages of affordable housing and the percentage shares of households who are cost-burdened are the largest for households in the lowest income categories.

The analysis of existing needs includes an examination of the affordability and availability of rental housing. Described on pages 42-44, that analysis provides a useful but partial picture of existing unmet housing needs. That analysis finds that the numbers of renter households in Seattle with incomes at or below extremely low-income (30 percent of AMI) and very low-income (50 percent of AMI) thresholds greatly exceed the numbers of rental units that are affordable and available to households with incomes at or below these thresholds. Gauged at 80 percent of AMI, the estimated shortage in affordable and available units is lower, but is still substantial.

- The existing shortage in rental housing affordable and available at or below 30 percent of AMI is an estimated 23,500 units.
- The existing shortage in rental housing affordable and available at or below 50 percent of AMI is an estimated 25,000 units.
- The existing shortage in rental housing affordable and available at or below 80 percent AMI is an estimated 9,300 units.

Seattle is expecting residential growth in the next 20 years to total 70,000 households. This appendix provides a rough projection of housing affordability needs associated with these households. (See pages 45 to 47.) Meeting the affordability needs associated with these new households would require production of an additional 27,500 to 36,500 housing units affordable at or below 80 percent of AMI, including 10,500 rent/income restricted housing units for extremely low-income households. This is in addition to units to address existing unmet affordability needs.

The City's Office of Housing estimates that, based on historic production, roughly 750 to 800 rent- and income-restricted units could be produced annually with the City's existing programs. (See page 54.) This includes:

- roughly 425 units per year through programs providing for long-term affordability (the Rental Housing Program and Incentive Zoning Program); and
- approximately 325-375 units through the Multifamily Tax Exemption Program, which has shorter-term affordability covenants

Over the course of 20 years, this could total as many as 16,500 rent- and income-restricted units. This total could be higher if the existing incentive zoning program is

changed and/or expanded to new areas. However, also of note is that expirations of affordability covenants –in some existing buildings and in a portion of new projects with short-term affordability requirements—will occur over the next 20 years.

The data analyzed in this appendix indicate that in order to make substantial progress in addressing existing unmet affordability needs and address the affordability needs of new households, it will be necessary to increase production of affordable housing to rates that are much higher than those achieved historically. Additional strategies and resources will also be needed for preservation of quality, low-cost housing for longer-term affordability.

Data Sources

Findings presented in this appendix regarding housing supply and housing needs in Seattle are based on a variety of data sources. One of the main sources used is the “CHAS” special tabulation of American Community Survey (ACS) prepared by the U.S. Census Bureau for the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), otherwise known as the Consolidated Housing Affordability Strategy (CHAS) data.

Certain aspects of the ACS CHAS data are important to note. As sample-based estimates, the ACS CHAS estimates carry margins of error. These margins of error can be substantial, particularly for small groups of households. Margins of error are not reported on the ACS CHAS tabulations. To provide reasonably reliable statistics at the local level, HUD obtains CHAS tabulations based on ACS data pooled over a period of five years.

The 5-year CHAS estimates from the 2006-2010 American Community Survey (ACS) provide the main data source for analyses in this appendix regarding household income, housing cost burden, and affordability of Seattle’s housing supply. These were the most recent CHAS data available at the time the analysis for this appendix began. The CHAS data, like other ACS data, do not distinguish whether housing units are income- and rent-restricted.

Other key sources of data reported and analyzed in this appendix include the following.

- Standard tabulations of Decennial Census and American Community Survey (ACS) published by the U.S. Census Bureau.
- Rental market data from Dupre+Scott Apartment Advisors, Inc. and home sales data from the Northwest Multiple Listing Service.

- Department of Planning and Development's permit database and development capacity model provide information on recent housing growth and estimated capacity for additional residential growth under current zoning.
- Seattle's Consolidated Plan for Housing and Community Development.
- Information from the Office of Housing on income- and rent-restricted housing.

Data reported from these sources vary with respect to time periods covered due to availability and other considerations.

Attachment 13 Capital Facilities Appendix

~~((Capital Facilities Appendix~~

~~A—Inventory of Fire, Police & School Facilities, Supplemental Capacity Information & Future Facility Needs~~

~~The following sections contain the inventory, planning goals and future needs for Fire, Police and Schools. Information for Seattle Public Utilities (Water, Drainage and Wastewater, and Solid Waste) and Seattle City Light is included in the Utilities Appendix.~~

~~The following matrix summarizes the information found in this Appendix, including a summary of the planning goals, existing facilities, and identified six and 20-year needs.~~

~~fire department: inventory~~

~~The Seattle Fire Department provides fire protection and emergency medical services throughout the city from 33 fire stations and Harborview Medical Center. Headquarters for the department are located at Fire Station 10 in Pioneer Square. Fire Department facilities and capacities are shown in Capital Facilities Figure A-1 and the location list provided below.~~

~~Fire, Police & School Facilities~~

Facility	Planning Goal	Existing Facilities	Six Year Needs	Anticipated 20-Year Needs
Fire	Maintain a response time of 4 minutes or less to 90% of all fire and EMS emergencies	33 existing fire stations currently provide response performance at 78% for EMS and 80% for fire.	Rebuild or remodel 19 fire stations, upgrade 13 others.	Additional stations in Northgate & South Lake Union. New command & control center & new Station 5.
Police	Patrol units allocated around the clock based on calls for service. Location and size of facilities not critical to service provision.	5 Precincts, Mounted Patrol, Kennel, Harbor Unit, Seattle Police Headquarters, Public Safety Building	North Precinct expansion or replacement	

Facility	Planning Goal	Existing Facilities	Six-Year Needs	Anticipated 20-Year Needs
	Facilities planning is based on guidelines for public safety office space.			
Schools	Elementary School—380-535 students, 4 ac. site size Middle School—600-800 students, 12 ac. site size High School—1,000-1,600 students, 17 ac. site size	62 Elementary Schools, 10 Middle Schools, 11 High Schools, 16 Alternative Schools, Admin. Buildings, Memorial Stadium, Closed schools	Current Building Excellence Program Phase II (a Capital Improvement Plan) will renovate, replace, and/or add to 17 schools	The District's Facility Master Plan calls for all schools built before 1973 to be modernized or replaced over the next 20 years.

Each station provides a full range of fire protective services including fire suppression, emergency medical, rescue and salvage. While each station is equipped with at least one fire engine (except Fire Station 14), other equipment varies by facility. The Fire Department has 33 engine companies, 11 ladder truck companies, two fire boats, four aid units, seven paramedic units and other specialized units including heavy rescue, hazardous materials, and marine fire fighting that provide a broad range of emergency services to existing development.

fire department: planning goals

In 2002, the Seattle Fire Department responded to all EMS related calls in four minutes or less 77.5 percent of the time and to all fire related calls in four minutes or less 79.56 percent of the time. The fire-fighting industry has set four minutes 90 percent of the time as a desirable response time.

Response time is influenced directly by the availability of fire personnel, equipment, traffic conditions, and the number and location of fire stations. Further, firefighter and equipment requirements indirectly affect station requirements. Buildings and associated densities are critical factors in estimating fire fighter requirements. These requirements are estimated on an annual basis through the City's budget process.

fire department: existing capacity &

anticipated future needs

The current facilities and their distribution are inadequate to maintain the desired response time to existing development and the amount of new development expected over the next six years in the Urban Centers and throughout the city. Additional EMS capabilities will be needed downtown near South Lake Union, SODO, Northgate, and the Central District. A new Fire Alarm Center is needed to replace the current facility, and all 33 stations need major upgrades, renovation or replacement in order to continue to provide service. In order to serve expected growth over the next 20 years, the Fire Department will need a new station in the Northgate area and most likely one in the downtown area. A new command and control center will also be needed.

In 2003, Seattle voters approved the Fire Facilities and Emergency Response Levy Under, which will provide about \$167 million to: upgrade, renovate, or replace 32 neighborhood fire stations; construct a new training facility and upgrade the Department's Fire Alarm Center; establish emergency preparedness facilities and disaster response equipment that includes a seismically safe Emergency Operations Center, emergency community supplies, emergency shelter power generators, and emergency water supply capacity for fire fighting in the event the City's fire hydrants are disabled; and a new, large platform fire boat, a rehabilitated and enhanced Chief Seattle fireboat, and a new fast attack small fire rescue boat.

The Department is exploring relocation and renovation/rebuilding options to promote service efficiencies and to address space needs for larger equipment. In addition, the Department is currently evaluating its emergency medical capabilities and staffing or equipment additions that may be desirable to improve emergency medical service. Additionally, the Department is reviewing its capabilities for providing enhanced services related to homeland security and natural disasters.

Locations & Capacities of Fire Department Facilities

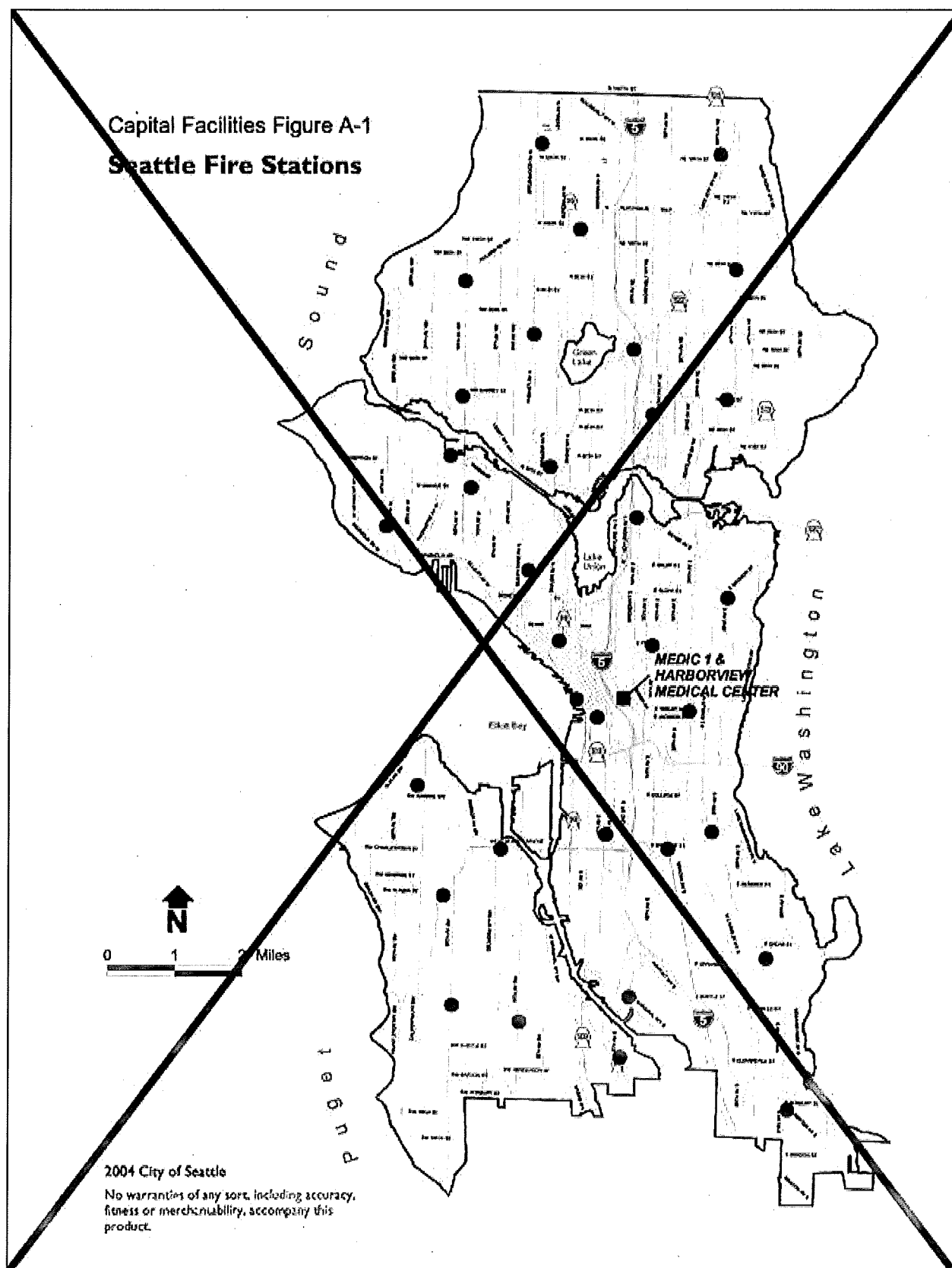
Station	Address	Capacity (Equipment)	Medic & Spec. Units
SFD 2*	2334 4th Ave.	Engine, Ladder	Aid
SFD 5 ‡	925 Alaskan Way	Engine	Fireboat
SFD 6 ‡	401 23rd Ave. S	Engine, Ladder	
SFD 8 ‡	410 Lee St.	Engine, Ladder	
SFD 9 ‡	3829 Linden Ave. N	Engine	Air Unit
SFD 10*	301 2nd Ave. S	Engine, Ladder	Aid, Hazmat

Station	Address	Capacity (Equipment)	Medic & Spec. Units
SFD 11	1514 SW Holden St.	Engine	
SFD 13‡	3601 Beacon Ave. S	Engine	
SFD 14‡	3224 4th Ave. S	Ladder	Aide, Rescue Unit
SFD 16‡	6846 Oswego Pl. NE	Engine	Medic
SFD 17‡	1050 NE 50th St.	Engine, Ladder	
SFD 18	1521 NW Market St.	Engine, Ladder	Medic, Hose Wagon
SFD 20‡	3205 13th Ave. W	Engine	Marine Support Unit
SFD 21‡	7304 Greenwood Ave. N	Engine	Mass Casualty Unit
SFD 22‡	901 E Roanoke St.	Engine	Communications Van
SFD 24	401 N 130th St.	Engine	
SFD 25	1300 E Pine St.	Engine, Ladder	Aid, Power Unit, Hose Wagon
SFD 26	800 S Cloverdale St.	Engine	Air Unit
SFD 27	1000 S Myrtle St.	Engine	USAR, MMST
SFD 28‡	5968 Rainier Ave. S	Engine, Ladder	Medic
SFD 29	2139 Ferry Ave. SW	Engine	
SFD 30‡	2931 S Mount Baker Blvd.	Engine	
SFD 31	1319 N Northgate Way	Engine, Ladder	Medic, Power Unit
SFD 32	3715 SW Alaska St.	Engine, Ladder	Medic
SFD 33	9645 Renton Ave. S	Engine	

Station	Address	Capacity (Equipment)	Medic & Spec. Units
SFD 34	633 32nd Ave. E	Engine	
SFD 35‡	8729 15th Ave. NW	Engine	
SFD 36	3600 23rd Ave. SW	Engine	Marine Response Van
SFD 37‡	7300 35th Ave. SW	Engine	
SFD 38‡	5503 33rd Ave. NE	Engine	
SFD 39‡	12705 30th Ave. NE	Engine	
SFD 40‡	9401 35th Ave. NE	Engine	
SFD 41‡	2416 34th Ave. W	Engine	
HMC	325 9th Ave.		

*City of Seattle Landmark or located in City landmark/special review district

‡City historic resource survey properties))



~~((Police department: inventory~~

~~The Seattle Police Department currently provides law enforcement patrol services to the city from five precincts. The locations and capacities of these precincts are shown in Figure A-2 and the list below:~~

- ~~1. North Precinct, at 10049 College Way North, serves the area north of the Ship Canal to the City limits and has a capacity of 16,779 square feet (sq. ft.).~~
- ~~2. West Precinct, located at 810 Virginia Street serves Queen Anne, Magnolia, the downtown core, and the area west of I-5 and north of Spokane Street, and has a capacity of 50,960 sq. ft. (including the 9-1-1 center).~~
- ~~3. East Precinct, located at 1519 12th Avenue, serves the area north of I-90 to the Ship Canal and east of I-5, including the Eastlake Community and has a capacity of 40,000 sq. ft.~~
- ~~4. South Precinct, at 3001 S Myrtle Street, serves Southeast Seattle, the area south of I-90 to the city limits and has a capacity of 13,688 sq. ft.~~
- ~~5. The Southwest Precinct, at 2300 SW Webster, serves West Seattle and the Duwamish Waterway and has a capacity of 28,150 sq. ft.~~

~~Other Police facilities owned and/or operated by SPD include:~~

- ~~1. The facility for Mounted Patrol Unit at 9200 8th SW has 18,890 sq. ft. for offices and a horse arena, and a capacity of 12 full-time stalls and space for housing related equipment and supplies.~~
- ~~2. The kennel for the K-9 Unit of Police dogs, located at the SPD pistol range in South Seattle near Boeing Field, has a capacity of 6,464 sq. ft., housing 6 dogs and 2 pups and related equipment and supplies.~~
- ~~3. The Harbor Unit facility on the north shore of Lake Union has a capacity of 3,706 sq. ft. for offices, shop, dock, and two boat sheds, plus docks which moor nine Patrol boats. The facility also has extra dock areas for temporary moorage.~~
- ~~4. The Seattle Police Headquarters, located at 610 5th Avenue, houses the administrative units of the police department along with a number of detective units.~~
- ~~5. The Public Safety Building, located at 610 3rd Avenue contains the SPD Traffic Section, a~~

~~number of detective units, and warehouse functions that are scheduled to move into a new facility in 2004.~~

~~The SPD Seattle Center component handles events at the Center, as well as the Police Reserves. In addition to these permanent facilities, the Police Department has two mobile mini-precincts that they locate in various areas as activities dictate. One of the mobile mini-precincts is permanently assigned to West Seattle.~~

~~police department planning goals~~

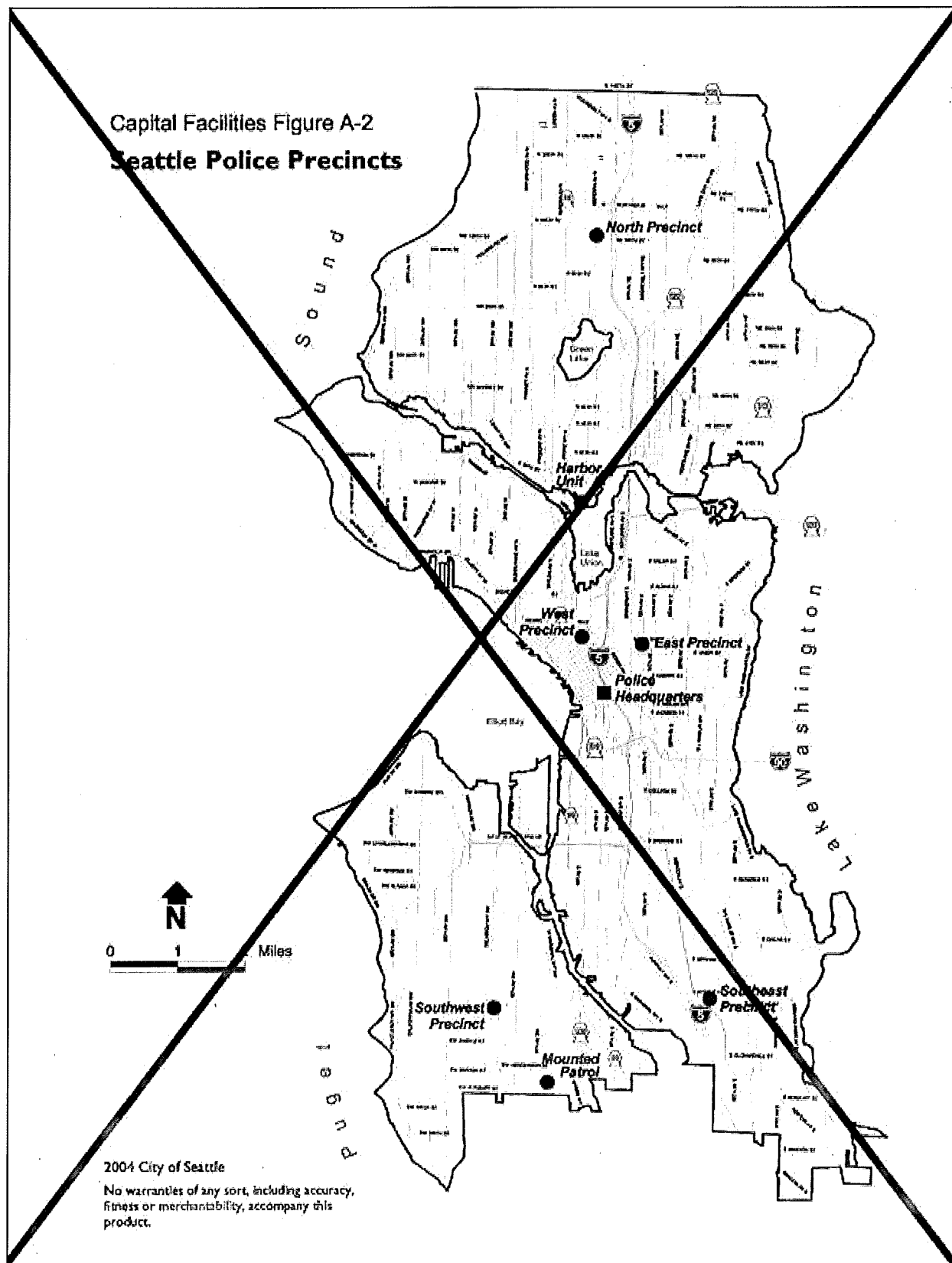
~~Uniform patrol law enforcement services are generally allocated based on workload, time and location. The exact location of facilities is usually not critical to the provision of uniform patrol services, since police officers are on patrol in the various sectors and calls for service are dispatched by radio or officers handle situations "on view."~~

~~However, the location of facilities can be important because of distance traveled at shift change time and because good locations can enhance Police/community interaction and communication.~~

~~Because of the many and changing factors that affect staffing and space objectives of police departments, there are no universally accepted planning goals for police facilities related to performance measures. The forecast of future needs is therefore based on guidelines for office space that incorporate special space requirements related to public safety, using the East Precinct as a model.~~

~~police department existing capacity & anticipated future needs~~

~~The North Precinct is currently overcrowded and does not meet the needs of precinct personnel. In order to serve the growth forecast under the Comprehensive Plan over the next 20 years in the Urban Centers and throughout the City, it is anticipated that additional space may be required in the North Precinct. At this time the exact space requirements are not known and will depend on a variety of factors, as discussed under Planning Goals. As the City further considers neighborhood-based policing options, the long-range plans for police facilities may change.))~~



~~((public schools: inventory~~

~~District facilities include 11 high schools, 10 middle schools, 62 elementary schools, 16 alternative schools and Memorial Stadium. In addition, the District has a number of closed schools. Many of the school closures occurred during the 1970's and 1980s as a result of low enrollments. The closed schools are used for temporary schools during remodeling construction, leased to other organizations on a short or long term basis or remain unused. In September 2002 the District opened a newly renovated administrative headquarters in SODO area, John Stanford Center for Educational Excellence. School locations are shown in Capital Facilities Figure A-3.~~

~~The capacity for school facilities varies by school type as follows: 380-535 students for elementary schools; 600-800 students for middle schools; and 1,000-1,600 students for high schools. Memorial Stadium has a seating capacity of 12,000.~~

~~public schools: planning goals~~

~~The School District has established the following planning goals for new or modernized school facilities:~~

	School Size	Site Size (Minimum)
Elementar y School	380, 445 or 535 students	4 acres
Middle School	600 to 800 students, except for alternative programs, which could be smaller	12 acres
High School	1,000 to 1,600 students, except for alternative programs, which could be smaller	17 acres

~~The District plans facilities based on where growth is expected in school age populations of children that would be expected to attend public school. Through the current "choice" student assignment plan, about 75 percent of the children that attend public schools choose and attend the school in their neighborhood and 25 percent choose other schools.~~

~~public schools: existing capacity &~~

~~anticipated future needs~~

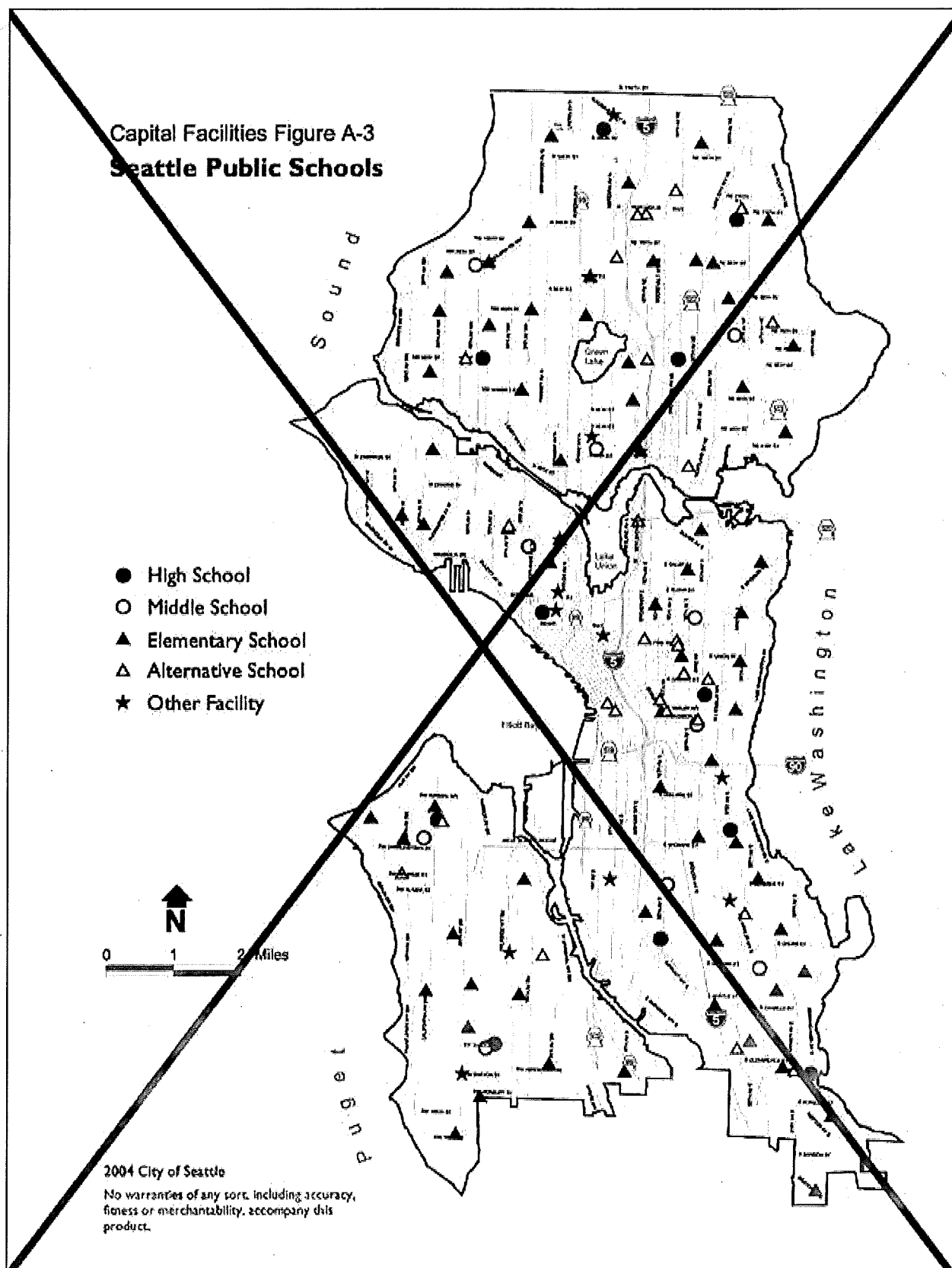
~~In 1991, the School District completed a six-year capital improvement program, known as CIP I. In preparation for the next CIP, the School Board adopted the long-range Facilities Master Plan and Capital Improvement Program. The Capital Improvement Program was divided into several phases. Funding for the CIP, known as Building Excellence I Program (BEX I), was approved by the voters in February 1995.~~

~~The BEX I program covered six years, 1995-2000, and contained 19 projects. The projects included modernization, historic renovation, replacement and/or expansion of elementary and secondary schools, to meet existing requirements. These improvements added some capacity which reduced portable buildings and eased crowding in South Seattle.~~

~~The most recent capital levy program, known as the Building Excellence II Program (BEX II), covers new construction, renovation, or additions at 17 school facilities. BEX II, approved by voters in February 2001, continues BEX I with \$398 million over the next six years.~~

~~The School District's Facilities Master Plan (FMP) guides facilities decisions through the year 2010. Over the course of the two capital improvement programs, BEX I and BEX II capacity will be added to eliminate the need for portable buildings.~~

~~The schools outlined in the FMP are in locations that can serve Urban Centers, Urban Villages and the remainder of the city. The FMP recognizes that the shift in trends, as Urban Centers and Villages develop, could be gradual or rapid and will vary throughout the city. The District is committed to reviewing and adjusting its FMP every five years, to be responsive to changing conditions.))~~



~~((B~~ **Inventory of Parks & Recreation, Library, General Government,
 Seattle Center, Public Health & Publicly Assisted Housing
 Facilities & Supplemental
 Capacity Information**

Parks & recreation facilities

The City maintains a system of parks and open areas that includes 6,074 acres, or about 10 percent of the City's total land area. This includes 4,562 developed acres. Over 6,000 acres of parks and open space are deemed adequate capacity to serve a population of at least 600,000. More than 35 sites are being acquired through the 2000 Pro Parks Levy, including 16 Neighborhood Park projects, 12 Opportunity Fund projects, and 13 Green Spaces. Many of these sites are small properties in densely developed urban villages, but their acquisition will make a significant difference to the lives of the people in these under-served urban neighborhoods. Parks and open areas owned by the City and their capacities are summarized below:

Parks & Open Space		Size of Facility
61	Local parks	834 acres
18	Major urban or regional parks	2,560 acres
62	Squares, places, triangles	27 acres
33	Playfields	413 acres
38	Neighborhood playgrounds	135 acres
8	Shorelines (including 11 swimming beaches)	24 miles
	Biking and pedestrian trails	8 miles

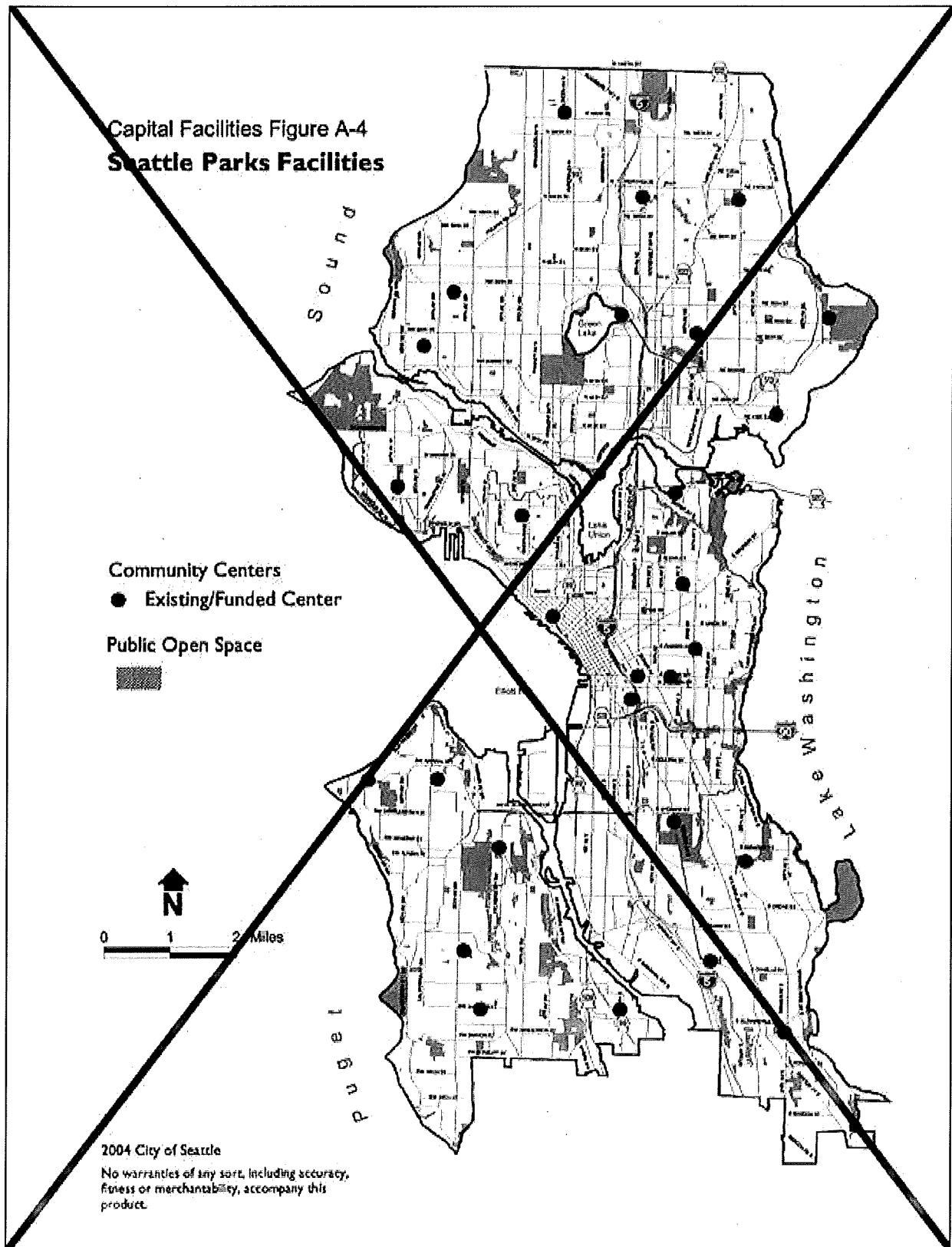
18	Boulevards	22 miles (396 acres)
26	Green spaces	637 acres
18	Natural areas	69 acres

The City also owns a number of recreational facilities within the parks system. These structures total more than a million square feet of building space. Five new community centers will expand the capacity by more than 70,000 sq. ft. Following is a list of park system structures:

Park System Structures

24	Community centers
10	Swimming pools (including 2 outdoor), 27 wading pools
1	Waterfront aquarium
1	Zoo: 90 acres, 45 major exhibits and buildings
1	Stadium
1	Indoor tennis center (10 indoor courts and 4 outdoor courts)
151	Outdoor tennis courts (71 with lights)
185	Athletic fields
33	Playfields
5	Golf courses, including pitch/putt (449 acres)
2	Boating and sailing centers
4	Nature interpretive centers (Carkeek Park, Seward Park, Discovery Park, and Camp Long)
6	Performing and visual art facilities
7	Historic buildings
90	Comfort stations
16	Residences and cabins

80	Picnic shelters and houses
12	Concession facilities
24	Administrative offices and headquarters
2	Museums
4	Amphitheaters
52	Miscellaneous facilities (including storage, maintenance, warehouses, chapel, visitor centers, beach/bath facilities, a rifle/pistol range and a police horse patrol barn, viewpoints and nature trails)))



((Seattle Public Library

The Seattle Public Library (SPL) operates the downtown library, 23 neighborhood libraries and a fleet of four bookmobiles. The State funded Washington Talking Book and Braille Library (WTBBL) is also administered by the SPL. The SPL rents space for three of the facilities it does not own. Locations of library facilities and their capacities are shown in Capital Facilities Figure A-5 and in the location list of library facilities provided below.

Locations & Capacities of Library Facilities

Branch Name	Address	Square footage
Ballard	5711 24th Ave. NW	7,296
Beacon Hill	2519 15th Ave. S	10,800
Broadview	12755 Greenwood Ave. N	8,405
Capitol Hill	425 Harvard Ave. E	11,615
Central	1000 4th Ave.	363,000
Columbia*	4721 Rainier Ave. S	12,420
Delridge	5423 Delridge Way SW	5,600
Douglass-Truth*	2300 E Yesler	8,008
Fremont*	731 N 35th St.	6,060
Green Lake*	7364 E Green Lake Dr. N	8,090
Greenwood	8016 Greenwood Ave. N	7,085
High Point	6302 35th Ave. SW	7,000
Lake City*	12501 28th Ave. NE	9,013
Madrona-Sally Goldmark‡	1134 33rd Ave.	1,701
Magnolia*	2801 34th Ave. W	5,859

Branch Name	Address	Square footage
Mobile Services	2025 9th Ave.	5,056
Montlake	2300 24th Ave. E.	1,574
New Holly	7058 32nd Ave. S	4,000
Northeast*	6801 35th Ave. NE	15,000
Queen Anne*	400 W Garfield St.	7,931
Rainier Beach	9125 Rainier Ave. S	15,000
Southwest	9010 35th Ave. SW	7,557
University*	5009 Roosevelt Way NE	8,104
Wallingford	1501 N 45th St.	2,000
Wash. Talking Book and Braille Library‡	2021 9th Ave.	10,000
West Seattle*	2306 42nd Ave. SW	8,970

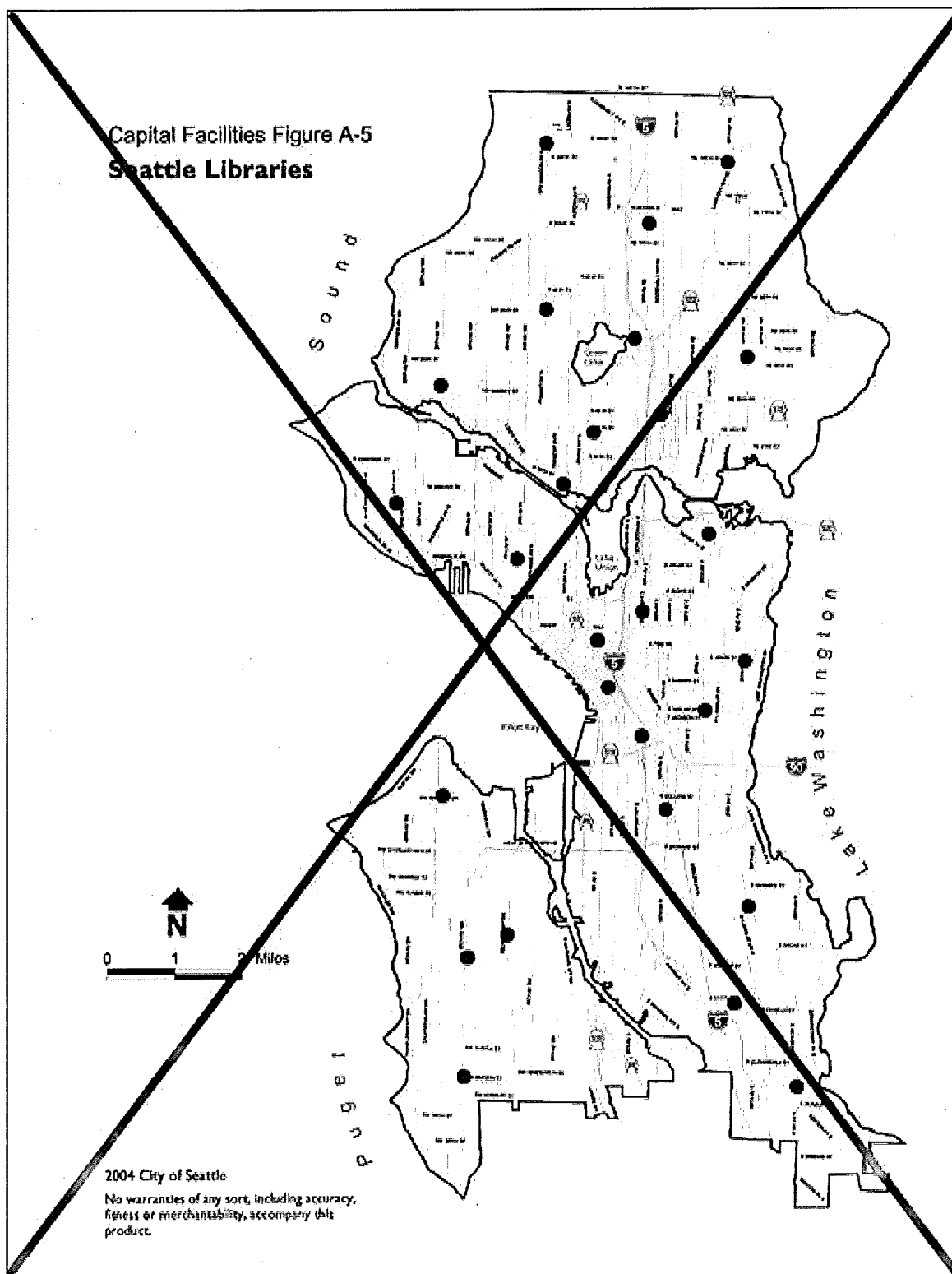
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‡ City historic resource survey properties

The Library system is the process of a comprehensive capital renovation program which will increase in the capacity of many current libraries and add new libraries to the system. The table below shows the branches that will be expanded or added, and the location, if different than listed for current facilities above. An (*) indicates a new branch.

Branch/Date expected to open	New Location if different than existing	Estimated new square-footage
Ballard — 2005	5711 24th Ave. NW	15,000

Branch/Date expected to open	New Location if different than existing	Estimated new square-footage
Broadview — 2007		15,000
Douglass-Truth — 2006		15,000
Fremont — 2005		6,840
Greenwood — 2005		15,000
International District/Chinatown — 2005*	713 8th Ave. S	3,800
Lake City — 2005		15,000
Magnolia — 2007		7,659
Montlake — 2006	2300 24th Ave. E	5,680
Northgate — 2006*	Corner of NE 105th St. & 5th Ave. NE	10,000
South Park — 2006*	2407 24th Ave. E	5,000
Southwest — 2006		15,000))



~~((general government~~

~~The City of Seattle is in the process of revitalizing its downtown civic campus. Currently five city-owned buildings comprise the civic campus, with a capacity of 1.7 million square feet (sq. ft.) in the downtown core: New City Hall (186,000 sq. ft.), Justice Center (272,000 sq. ft.), Arctic Building (101,000 sq. ft.), Alaska Building (147,000 sq. ft.) and the Seattle Municipal Tower (1 million sq. ft., of which approximately 920,000 sq. ft. are currently used for City office space). The City also leases about 24,000 sq. ft. in nearby buildings downtown. The City's Sea Park Garage provides parking for city vehicles and visitor parking within the civic campus.~~

~~The Public Safety Building (291,000 sq. ft.) is mostly vacant, and scheduled for demolition in 2004. Current plans are to sell the Arctic and Alaska Buildings in 2004-2006. The City sold the Dexter Horton Building (350,000 sq. ft.) in 2001.~~

~~Exclusive of fire stations and police precincts, the City owns more than 30 other general government facilities located outside of downtown, and leases an average of 50,000 sq. ft. These provide a wide variety of services, primarily to other city departments, and include maintenance shops, warehouses, and support facilities for the public safety functions.~~

~~In addition, the City also operates 13 storefront Neighborhood Service Centers located throughout the city. These offices range in size from 750—2,100 square feet and serve as City information and community contact points, as well as bill payment depositories. Eight are located in leased space, while five are co-located with other city facilities such as libraries, fire stations and community centers. These are shown in Capital Facilities Figure A-6.~~

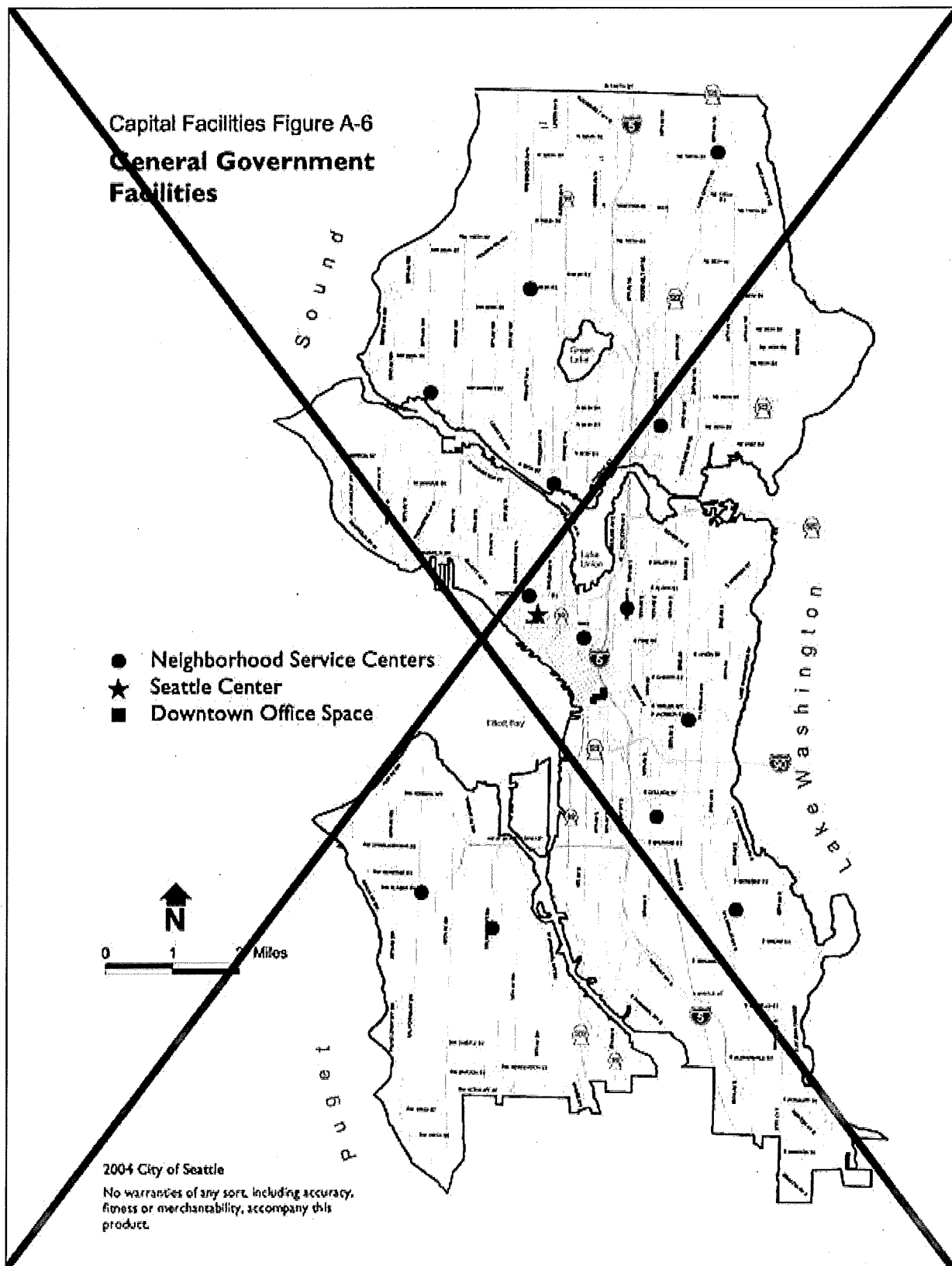
~~Seattle Center~~

~~There are 37 buildings on the 87-acre Seattle Center campus totally in excess of over 2.5 million square feet. These facilities serve more than 10 million visitors a year and present over 5,000 performances or events annually. The campus meeting, performance, educational, exhibition, sports, recreational, gathering spaces and open space are dedicated to meeting the cultural, artistic, educational, recreational, and entertainment needs of the region.~~

~~The Center is home to 12 theater spaces ranging in capacity from 100 seats in the Center House Theater to 2,800 at Marion Oliver McCaw Hall and totaling nearly 6,000 seats for theatrical performances. Sports facilities include the Key Arena with a capacity of 17,000 and Memorial Stadium with a capacity of 12,000 for field events. There are two schools on the campus — a ballet school and a public high school. There are 10 fountains on the grounds and approximately 39 acres of landscaped and green open space and pedestrian ways. There are also active outdoor spaces, including the Fun Forest amusements, a basketball court, and a skate park. Seattle Center's outdoor open spaces, gardens, and fountains are a major urban oasis for active or passive and individual or group enjoyment.~~

~~The Center owns and manages four surface parking lots and two parking garages totaling 3,517 spaces. The Seattle Center is also served by the Seattle Center Monorail between downtown and the Center. The Monorail carries more than 2 million riders a year over the mile-long route.~~

~~Notable buildings and facilities on the Seattle Center campus include: Center House; Key Arena; the Space Needle; Experience Music Project; Memorial Stadium; Pacific Science Center; McCaw Hall; Phelps Center and Ballet School; Seattle Children's Theatre; Bagley Wright Theatre; Intiman Theatre; Seattle Children's Museum; Fisher Pavilion; the Northwest Rooms; Mercer Arena; and the Seattle Center Pavilion.))~~



((public health

Public Health—Seattle & King County (Public Health) is a joint enterprise of the City of Seattle and King County and is responsible for the supervision and control of all public health and sanitation affairs in Seattle and King County. Public Health maintains a system of personal health, environmental health, health promotion and disease prevention services through 19 health centers/clinics and other service sites located in Seattle. These health facilities have a total capacity of 229,464 sq. ft. The capacity and ownership of individual facilities are listed below:

Health Facility	Size	Tenancy
Boeing Field	3,500 sq. ft.	Owned by King County
Central Area Community Health Care Center	3,298 sq. ft.	Lease
Columbia Health Center	28,094 sq. ft.	Own
Downtown Clinic and Downtown Environmental Health	23,378 sq. ft.	Lease
Harborview: STD Clinic	7,995 sq. ft.	Owned by King County
Harborview: Northwest Family Center	3,212 sq. ft.	Owned by King County
Harborview: Medical Examiner	15,868 sq. ft.	Owned by King County
Harborview: Public Health Laboratory	5,003 sq. ft.	Owned by King County
Harborview: TB Clinic	4,205 sq. ft.	Owned by King County
HIV/AIDS Prevention "Raven" Studies	3,000 sq. ft.	Lease
Housing for homeless people with TB	1,200 sq. ft.	Lease
Lake City Dental Clinic	2,000 sq. ft.	Lease
Needle Exchange	2,500 sq. ft.	Lease
North District Health Center	16,067 sq. ft.	Owned by King County
Parent and Child Health "Moms Plus"	7,200 sq. ft.	Lease
Rainier Beach Teen Clinic	800 sq. ft.	Lease
Vital Statistics	3,661 sq. ft.	Owned by King County

Health Facility	Size	Tenancy
Wells Fargo Center	77,483 sq. ft.	Lease
Yesler Building	21,000 sq. ft.	Owned by King County

Public Health facilities are shown in Capital Facilities Figure A-7.

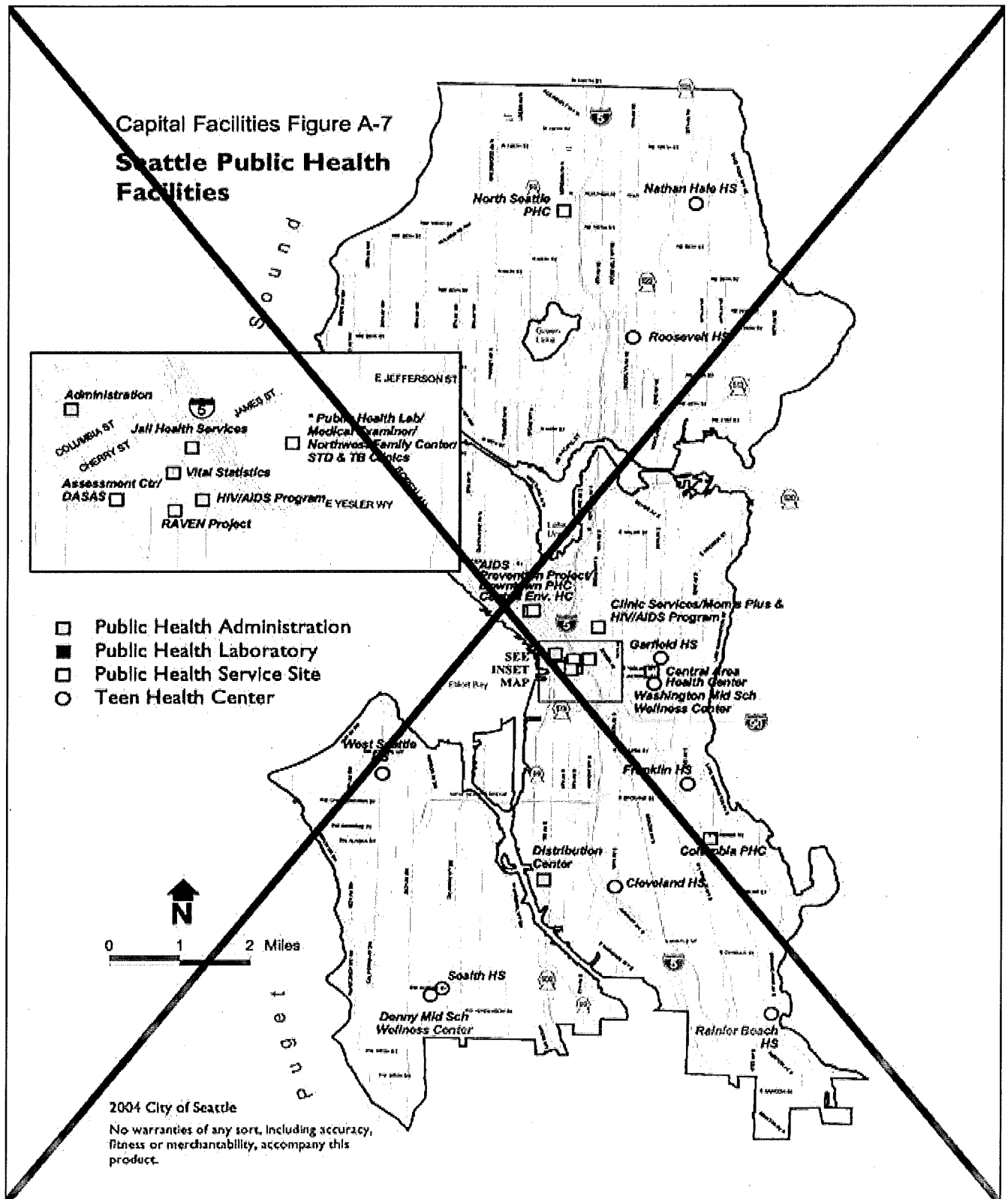
publicly-subsidized rental housing

As of May 2004, the City's Office of Housing database showed 20,277 affordable rental units with capital subsidies in Seattle. As of the end of 2003, 7,793 of these units were in 238 City-funded projects. The remaining units have capital subsidies from federal, state, or county programs but are not City-funded. The following table summarizes affordability of Seattle's subsidized rental housing stock:

**Rental Housing Units with Capital Subsidies,
by Affordability Level**

Affordable to Households at:	Number of Units
0-30% of MFI*	10,568
31-50% of MFI	6,230
51-80% of MFI	3,479
TOTAL	20,277

*MFI = median family income))



~~((C~~ Inventory of Facilities Serving Urban Centers & Villages

Following is an inventory of facilities that serve Urban Centers and Urban Villages. Facilities do not have to be located within the boundaries or potential boundaries of the Centers or Villages in order to serve those areas.

City facilities that are either designated City of Seattle Landmarks or historic resources (including parks that include one or more of these facilities) are identified in the lists of facilities for each urban center and village. "Historic resources" are at least 40 years old and have been reviewed by a historic preservation specialist; these resources may or may not be eligible for designation as landmarks.

urban centers & center villages

Downtown Urban Center

Some facilities serve the entire Urban Center. These facilities are listed first. Facilities specifically serving the Urban Center Villages are listed under each village below.

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 10	301 2nd Ave. S	EMS: 78% in 4 mins. Fire: 78% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co., Shift Commander, Aid Car, Hazmat Van
Fire Station	SFD 5‡	925 Alaskan Way	EMS: 78% in 4 mins. Fire: 80% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Fireboat
Fire Station	SFD 2*	2334 4th Ave.	EMS: 84% in 4 mins. Fire: 83% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co., Aid Car
Fire Station	SFD 25	1300 E Pine St.	EMS: 87% in 4 mins. Fire: 87% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co., Battalion, Aid Car, Power Unit, Hose Wagon
Police Station	West Precinct	810 Virginia St.	11.52 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 50,960 sq. ft., including 9-1-1 Center

* City landmark or located in City landmark/special review district

‡ City historic resource survey property

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Schools1	All 10 Middle Schools:		
	Denny	8402 30th Ave. SW	740 students
	Eckstein*	3003 NE 75th St.	852 students
	Hamilton	1610 N 41st St.	767 students
	Aki Kurose at Sharples	3928 S Graham St.	897 students
	Madison*	3429 45th Ave. SW	800 students
	McClure	1915 1st Ave. W	673 students
	Meany	301 21st Ave. E	852 students
	Mercer	1600 S Columbia	830 students
	Washington	2101 S Jackson St.	852 students
	Whitman	9201 15th Ave. NW	830 students
	All 11 High Schools:		
	Ballard	1418 NW 65th St.	1,600 students
	Cleveland*	5511 15th Ave. S	783 students
	Franklin*	3013 S Mt. Baker Blvd.	1,457 students
	Garfield*	400 23rd Ave.	1,240 students
	Nathan Hale	10750 30th Ave. NE	1,261 students
	Ingraham	1819 N 135th St.	1,261 students
	Rainier Beach	8815 Seward Park Ave. S	1,175 students
	Roosevelt*	1410 NE 66th St.	1,718 students
	Chief Sealth	2600 SW Thistle St.	1,066 students

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
	West Seattle*	3000 California Ave. SW	1,400 students
	The Center School	305 Harrison St.	300 students

~~† Note that public middle schools and high schools serve a citywide population, and are listed as serving each urban center and village.~~

~~* City of Seattle Landmarks~~

Belltown

Existing Households (HH):	3,972
Expected 6-yr. HH Growth:	1,777
Expected 20-yr. HH Growth:	6,500
Existing Jobs:	20,012
Expected 6-yr. Jobs Growth:	1,701
Expected 20-yr. Job Growth:	4,500
Land Area:	220 acres

The following facilities are in addition to those listed under the Urban Center, above:

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Library	Central Library	1000 4th Ave.	363,000 sq. ft.
Parks	Belltown Cottages*	2520 Elliott Ave.	0.2 acres
Parks	Myrtle Edwards Park	3130 Alaskan Way W	4.8 acres
Parks	Regrade Park	2251 3rd Ave.	0.3 acres
Parks	Tillicum Place	5th Ave. / Denny Way	0.04 acres
Parks	Denny Park	100 Dexter Ave.	4.8 acres
Parks	Victor Steinbrueck Park*	2001 Western Ave.	0.8 acres
P-Patch	Belltown P-Patch	2520 Elliott Ave.	0.1 acres: 36 plots

* City of Seattle Landmarks

Chinatown/International District

Existing Households (HH):	1,616
Expected 6 yr. HH Growth:	355
Expected 20 yr. HH Growth:	1,300
Existing Jobs:	3,999
Expected 6 yr. Jobs Growth:	1,060
Expected 20 yr. Job Growth:	2,800
Land Area:	171 acres

The following facilities are in addition to those listed under the Urban Center, above:

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Police Station	East Precinct	1519 12th Ave.	8.23 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 40,000 sq. ft.
Library	Central Library	1000 4th Ave.	363,000 sq. ft.
Parks	Hing Hay Park*	423 Maynard Ave. S	0.3 acres
Parks	International Children's Park*	700 S Lane St.	0.2 acres
Parks	Kobe Terrace*	221 6th Ave. S	1.0 acres
Parks	City Hall Park*	450 3rd Ave.	0.9 acres
Parks	Dr. Jose Rizal Park	1008 12th Ave. S	9.6 acres
Parks	East Duwamish Greenbelt	2799 12th Ave. S	88.8 acres
Parks	Harborview Park	778 Alder St.	3.6 acres
Parks	Sturgus Park	904 Sturgus Ave. S	2.2 acres

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Commercial Core

Existing Households (HH):	2,059
Expected 6-yr. HH Growth:	355
Expected 20-yr. HH Growth:	1,300
Existing Jobs:	107,490
Expected 6-yr. Jobs Growth:	10,216
Expected 20-yr. Job Growth:	27,000
Land Area:	276 acres

The following facilities are in addition to those listed under the Urban Center, above:

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Library	Central Library	1000 4th Avenue.	363,000 sq. ft.
Parks	Freeway Park	700 Seneca St.	5.2 acres
Parks	Piers 62 and 63	1951 Alaska Way	1.87 acres
Parks	Seattle Aquarium*	Pier 59	1.99 acres
Parks	Victor Steinbrueck Park*	2001 Western Ave.	0.8 acres
Parks	Waterfront Park	1301 Alaskan Way	4.8 acres
Parks	Westlake Park	401 Pine St.	0.1 acres
Parks	Boren Pike Pine Park	Boren Ave. / Pike St.	0.5 acres
Parks	City Hall Park*	450 3rd Ave.	0.9 acres
Parks	Kobe Terrace*	221 6th Ave. S	1.0 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Parks	Occidental Square*	Occidental Ave. S / S Main St.	0.6 acres
Parks	Pioneer Square*	100 Yesler Way	0.3 acres

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Denny Triangle

Existing Households (HH):	515
Expected 6 yr. HH Growth:	956
Expected 20 yr. HH Growth:	3,500
Existing Jobs:	19,346
Expected 6 yr. Jobs Growth:	8,930
Expected 20 yr. Job Growth:	23,600
Land Area:	143 acres

The following facilities are in addition to those listed under the Urban Center, above:

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Library	Central Library	1000 4th Ave.	363,000 sq. ft.
Parks	McGraw Square*	Stewart St./Westlake Ave. N	0.01 acres
Parks	Westlake Square	1900 Westlake Ave. N	0.01 acres
Parks	Boren-Pike-Pine Park	Boren Ave./Pike St	0.5 acres
Parks	Denny Park	100 Dexter Ave.	4.8 acres
Parks	Denny Playfield	Westlake Ave./Denny	1.8 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
		Way	
Parks	Freeway Park	700 Seneca St.	5.2 acres

*City of Seattle landmark

Pioneer Square

Existing Households (HH):	407
Expected 6 yr. HH Growth:	574
Expected 20 yr. HH Growth:	2,100
Existing Jobs:	12,897
Expected 6 yr. Jobs Growth:	1,817
Expected 20 yr. Job Growth:	4,800
Land Area:	142 acres

The following facilities are in addition to those listed under the Urban Center, above:

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Library	Central Library	1000 4th Ave.	363,000 sq. ft
Parks	City Hall Park*	450 3rd Ave.	0.9 acres
Parks	Occidental Square*	Occidental Ave. S/S Main St.	0.6 acres
Parks	Pioneer Square*	100 Yesler Way	0.3 acres
Parks	Prefontaine Place*	3rd Ave./ Yesler Way	0.1 acres
Parks	Union Station Square*	Jackson & 3rd Ave. S	0.03 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Community Garden	Danny Woo Garden*	6th Ave. S & S. Washington St.	

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Capitol Hill/First Hill Urban Center

Some facilities serve the entire Urban Center. These facilities are listed first. Facilities specifically serving the Urban Center Villages are listed under each village below.

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 25	1300 E Pine St.	EMS: 87% in 4 mins. Fire: 87% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co., Battalion, Aid Car, Power Unit, Hose Wagon
Fire Station	SFD 10*	301 2nd Ave. S	EMS: 78% in 4 mins. Fire: 78% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co., Shift Commander, Aid Car, Hazmat Van
Fire Station	SFD 22 ‡	901 E. Roanoke St.	EMS: 80% in 4 mins. Fire: 70% in 4 mins. Engine, Communications van
Fire Station	SFD 6 ‡	101 23rd Ave. S	EMS: 82% in 4 mins. Fire: 95% in 4 mins. Engine, Ladder
Police Station	East Precinct	1519 12th Ave.	8.23 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 40,000 sq. ft.
Schools	Lowell Elementary	1058 E Mercer St.	391 students
	All 10 Middle Schools		

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
	All 11 High Schools		

* City of Seattle Landmarks, or located in City landmark/special review district

‡ City historic resource survey properties

12th Avenue

Existing Households (HH):	1,366
Expected 6 yr. HH Growth:	147
Expected 20 yr. HH Growth:	1200
Existing Jobs:	3,463
Expected 6 yr. Jobs Growth:	454
Expected 20 yr. Job Growth:	1,200
Land Area:	160 acres

The following facilities are in addition to those listed under the Urban Center, above:

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Police Station	East Precinct	1519 12th Ave.	8.45 sq. mi. service area, 1994 population 82,265
Library	Central Library	1000 4th Ave.	363,000 sq. ft.
	Douglass Truth Branch*	2300 E Yesler Way	8,007 sq. ft.
Community Center	Yesler Playfield & Comm. Ctr.	903 Yesler Way	4,771 sq. ft., 1.7 ac (SHA property)
Parks	Spruce & Squire Park	156 Boren Ave.	0.28 acres
Parks	Spring Street	E Spring St./ 15th	0.3 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
	Mini Park	Ave.	
P Patch	Squire Park P-Patch	14th Ave. E E Fir St.	33 plots

*City of Seattle Landmarks

Capitol Hill

Existing Households (HH):	12,692
Expected 6-yr. HH Growth:	541
Expected 20-yr. HH Growth:	1,980
Existing Jobs:	7,314
Expected 6-yr. Jobs Growth:	1,135
Expected 20-yr. Job Growth:	3,000
Land Area:	397 acres

The following facilities are in addition to those listed under the Urban Center, below left:

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Police Station	East Precinct	1519 12th Ave.	8.45 sq. mi. service area, 1994 population 82,265
Library	Capitol Hill Branch	425 Harvard Ave. E	11,000 sq. ft
Parks	Bellevue Place	Bellevue Pl. E/ Bellevue Ave. E	1.4 acres
Parks	Belmont Place	Belmont Pl. E/ Belmont Ave. E	0.02 acres
Parks	Cal Anderson Park*	1635 11th Ave.	7.4 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Parks	McGilvra Place	E Madison St. / Pike St.	0.06 acres
Parks	Summit Place	Belmont Ave. E/ Bellevue Pl. E	0.02 acres
Parks	Tashkent Park	511 Boylston Ave.	0.5 acres
Parks	Thomas Street Mini Park	306 Bellevue Ave. E	0.25 acres
Parks	Volunteer Parkway	14th Ave. E, E Prospect St. to E Roy St.	2.5 acres
Parks	Williams Place	15th Ave. E/ E John St.	0.13 acres
Parks	Boren Pike Pine Park	Boren Ave./ Pike St.	0.5 acres
Parks	Miller Playfield	400 19th Ave. E	7.6 acres
Parks	Volunteer Park*	1247 15th Ave. E	48.3 acres
P-Patch	Thomas Street Gardens	1010 E. Thomas St.	35 plots

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First Hill

Existing Households (HH):	6,073
Expected 6-yr. HH Growth:	656
Expected 20-yr. HH Growth:	2,400
Existing Jobs:	15,063
Expected 6-yr. Jobs Growth:	2,308
Expected 20-yr. Job Growth:	6,100
Land Area:	228 acres

The following facilities are in addition to those listed under the Urban Center, left:

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Police Station	East Precinct	1519 12th Ave.	8.45 sq. mi. service area, 1994 population 82,265
Library	Central Library	1000 4th Ave.	363,000 sq. ft.
	Douglass Truth Branch*	2300 E. Yesler	8,008 sq. ft.
Community Center	Yesler Playfield & Comm. Ctr.	903 Yesler Way	4,771 sq. ft., 1.7 ac (SHA property)
Parks	Boren Place	Broadway/ Boren Ave. S	0.03 acres
Parks	Boylston Place	Broadway/ Boylston Ave. E	0.005 acres
Parks	First Hill Park	University St./ Minor Ave. E	0.2 acres
Parks	Freeway Park	700 Seneca St.	5.2 acres
Parks	Harborview Park	778 Alder St.	3.6 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Parks	Boren-Pike-Pine Park	Boren Ave./Pike St.	0.5 acres
Parks	Kobe Terrace*	221 6th Ave. S	1.0 acres
Parks	Spruce and Squire Park	156 Boren Ave.	0.28 acres
Community Center	Yesler Playfield & Comm. Ctr.	903 Yesler Way	4,771 sq. ft., 1.7 ac (SHA property)
Cultivating Communities P-Patch		8th Ave. S & S Washington St.	
Cultivating Communities P-Patch	Yesler Terrace Playground	10th Ave. S & S Main St.	12 plots

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Pike/Pine

Existing Households (HH):	2,495
Expected 6-yr. HH Growth:	169
Expected 20-yr. HH Growth:	620
Existing Jobs:	3,471
Expected 6-yr. Jobs Growth:	530
Expected 20-yr. Job Growth:	1,400
Land Area:	131 acres

The following facilities are in addition to those listed under the Urban Center, above:

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Police Station	East Precinct	1519 12th Ave.	8.45 sq. mi. service area, 1994 population 82,265
Library	Capitol Hill Branch	425 Harvard Ave. E.	11,000 sq. ft.
Library	Central Library	1000 4th Ave.	363,000 sq. ft.
Parks	Boren Pike-Pine Park	Boren Ave. / Pike St.	0.5 acres
Parks	Cal Anderson Park*	1635 11th Ave.	7.4 acres
Parks	Freeway Park	700 Seneca St.	5.2 acres

*City of Seattle Landmarks, or parks containing landmarks

University Community Urban Center

Some facilities serve the entire Urban Center. These facilities are listed first. Facilities specifically serving the Urban Center Villages are listed under each village below.

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 17‡	1050 NE 50th St.	EMS: 75% in 4 mins. Fire: 69% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co., , Battalion
Fire	SFD 38‡	5503 33rd	EMS: 77% in 4 mins. Fire: 72%

Station		Ave. NE	in 4 mins. Engine Co.
Police Station	North Precinct	10049 College Way North	32.12 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 16,779 sq. ft.
Schools	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
P-Patch	University Heights*	NE 50th St. & University Way NE	38 plots

*City of Seattle Landmarks

‡ City historic resource survey properties

Ravenna

Existing Households (HH):	1,057
Expected 6 yr. HH Growth:	132
Expected 20 yr. HH Growth:	480
Existing Jobs:	1,226
Expected 6 yr. Jobs Growth:	265
Expected 20 yr. Job Growth:	700
Land Area:	123 acres

The following facilities are in addition to those listed under the Urban Center, above:

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Library	University Branch*	5009 Roosevelt Way NE	8,140 sq. ft.
Library	Northeast Branch*	6801 35th Ave. NE	7,042 sq. ft.
Parks	Burke-Gilman Trail	8th Ave. NW to NE 145th St.	72.6 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Parks	Ravenna Boulevard	NE Ravenna Blvd, E Green Lake Way N/ 20th Ave. NE	7.5 acres
Parks	Ravenna Park ‡	5520 Ravenna Ave. NE	49.9 acres
P Patch	Ravenna P- Patch	5200 Ravenna Ave. NE	14 plots

‡ City historic resource survey properties

* City of Seattle Landmarks

University District NW

Existing Households (HH):	4,324
Expected 6 yr. HH Growth:	451
Expected 20 yr. HH Growth:	1,630
Existing Jobs:	8,625
Expected 6 yr. Jobs Growth:	1,135
Expected 20 yr. Job Growth:	3,000
Land Area:	348 acres

The following facilities are in addition to those listed under the Urban Center, above:

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Library	University Branch*	5009 Roosevelt Way NE	8,140 sq. ft.
Parks	17th Ave. NE Centerstrip	17th Ave. NE, NE 45th St. to NE Ravenna Blvd.	2.4 acres
Parks	Burke-Gilman Trail	8th Ave. NW to NE 145th St.	72.6 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Parks	Christie Park	NE 43rd St./9th Ave. NE	0.1 acres
Parks	University Playground‡	9th Ave. NE/NE 50th St.	2.7 acres
P-Patch	University District P-patch*	8th Ave. NE & NE 40th St.	65 plots

‡ City historic resource survey properties

* City of Seattle Landmarks

University Campus

Existing Households (HH):	6,295
Expected 6 yr. HH Growth:	0
Expected 20 yr. HH Growth:	0
Existing Jobs:	22,391
Expected 6 yr. Jobs Growth:	1,816
Expected 20 yr. Job Growth:	4,800
Land Area:	348 acres

The following facilities are in addition to those listed under the Urban Center, above:

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Library	University Branch*	5009 Roosevelt Way NE	8,140 sq. ft.
	University of Washington Library system	University of Washington	22,714 or .27 sq. ft./capita + .32 sq. ft./capita in citywide facilities
Parks	Burke-Gilman Trail	8th Ave. NW to NE 145th St.	72.6 acres
	North Passage Point Park	600 NE Northlake Way	0.8 acres
	17th Ave. NE Centerstrip	17th Ave. NE, NE 45th St. to NE Ravenna Blvd.	2.4 acres

* City of Seattle Landmarks

Northgate Urban Center

Existing Households (HH):	3,466
Expected 6 yr. HH Growth:	820
Expected 20 yr. HH Growth:	3,000
Existing Jobs:	8,913
Expected 6 yr. Jobs Growth:	2,341
Expected 20 yr. Job Growth:	9,300
Land Area:	411 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 31	1319 N Northgate Way	EMS: 77% in 4 mins. Fire: 91% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co., Medic Unit, Power Unit
Police Station	N Precinct	10049 College Way N	32.5 sq. mi. service area, 1990 population 207,827
Schools	Northgate Elementary	11725 1st Ave. NE	325 students
	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	Lake City Branch*	12501 28th Ave. NE	9,013 sq. ft.
Parks	Thornton Creek Park #6	5th Ave. NE/ NE 103rd St., Roosevelt Way NE / NE 107th St.	6.13 acres
Parks	Victory Creek Park	1059 Northgate Way	0.2 acres
Parks	Mineral Springs Park	10556 Meridian Ave. N	4 acres
P-Patch	Pinehurst P-Patch	12th Ave. NE & NE 115th St.	15 plots

* City of Seattle Landmarks

South Lake Union Urban Center

Existing Households (HH):	514
Expected 6 yr. HH Growth:	460
Expected 20 yr. HH Growth:	1,700
Existing Jobs:	19,018
Expected 6 yr. Jobs Growth:	1,133
Expected 20 yr. Job Growth:	4,500
Land Area:	340 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 2 *	2334 4th Ave.	EMS: 84% in 4 mins. Fire: 83% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co., Aid Car
Fire Station	SFD 22 ‡	901 E Roanoke St.	EMS: 80% in 4 mins. Fire: 70% in 4 mins. Engine, Communications van
Police Station	E Precinct	1519 12th Ave.	8.23 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 40,000 sq. ft.
Police Station	W Precinct	810 Virginia St.	11.52 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 50,960 sq. ft., including 9-1-1 Center
Schools	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	Capitol Hill Branch	425 Harvard Ave. E	11,000 sq. ft.
Library	Central Library	1000 4th Ave.	363,000 sq. ft.
Parks	Cascade Playground ‡	333 Pontius Ave. N	1.699 acres
Parks	Denny Park	Westlake Ave./	6.4 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
		Denny Way	
Parks	Denny Playfield	Westlake Ave./ Denny Way	1.82 acres
Parks	Eastlake Triangle	Eastlake Ave. E/ E Prospect St.	0.075 acres
Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Parks	Fairview Walkway	Fairview Ave. N/E Galer St.	0.5 acres
Parks	South Lake Union Parks	1000 Valley St.	6.2 acres
Parks	Bellevue Place	Bellevue Pl. E/Bellevue Ave. E	1.2 acres
Parks	NE Queen Anne Greenbelt	1920 Taylor Ave. N	9.4 acres
P-Patch	Cascade P-Patch	Minor Ave. N & Thomas St.	49 plots

‡ City historic resource survey properties

* City of Seattle Landmarks

Uptown Urban Center

Existing Households (HH):	3,268
Expected 6 yr. HH Growth:	359
Expected 20 yr. HH Growth:	1,312
Existing Jobs:	16,497
Expected 6 yr. Jobs Growth:	834
Expected 20 yr. Job Growth:	3,300
Land Area:	297 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 8 ‡	110 Lee St.	EMS: 88% in 4 mins. Fire: 95% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co.
Fire Station	SFD 2 *	2334 4th Ave.	EMS: 84% in 4 mins. Fire: 83% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co., Aid Car
Police Station	W Precinct	810 Virginia St.	11.52 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 50,960 sq. ft., including 9-1-1 Center
Schools	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	Queen Anne Branch*	400 W Garfield	7,931 sq. ft.
Library	Central Library	1000 4th Ave.	363,000 sq. ft.
Community Center	Queen Anne Community Center	1901 1st Ave. W	15,337 sq. ft., includes pool
Parks	Kinnear Park*	899 W Olympic Pl.	14.1 acres
Parks	Bhy Kracke	1215 5th Ave. N	1.5 acres
Parks	Kerry Park	211 W Highland Dr.	0.3 acres
Parks	Myrtle Edwards Park	3130 Alaskan Way W	4.8 acres
Parks	Northeast Queen Anne Greenbelt	1920 Taylor Ave. N	9.4 acres
Parks	SW Queen Anne Greenbelt	W Howe St./12th Ave. W	12.5 acres
Parks	Ward Springs Park	Ward St. & 4th Ave. N	0.3 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
P-Patch	Interbay	15th W & W Wheeler St.	184 plots

‡ City historic resource survey properties

* City of Seattle Landmarks or parks containing landmarks

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Ballard

Existing Households (HH):	4,447
Expected 6-yr. HH Growth:	410
Expected 20-yr. HH Growth:	1,520
Existing Jobs:	4,292
Expected 6-yr. Jobs Growth:	931
Expected 20-yr. Job Growth:	3,700
Land Area:	425 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 18	1521 NW Market St.	EMS: 67% in 4 mins. Fire: 69% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co., Medic Unit, Hose Wagon, Battalion
Police	N-Precinct	10049 College Way N	32.12 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 16,779 sq. ft.
Schools	Adams Elementary	6110 28th Ave. NW	450 students

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
	Whittier Elementary	1320 NW 75th St.	445 students
	Loyal Heights Elementary	2511 NW 80th St.	310 students
	North Beach Elementary	9018 24th Ave. NW	349 students
	Salmon Bay K-8 at Monroe	1810 NW 65th St.	599 students
	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	Ballard Branch	5711 24th Ave. NW	7,296 sq. ft.
Community Center	Ballard Community Center	6020 28th Ave. NW	
Parks	Ballard Playground	2644 NW 60th St.	3.4 acres
Parks	Bergen Place	5420 22nd Ave. NW	0.2 acres
Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Parks	Marvins Garden*	22nd Ave. NW/ Ballard Ave. NW	0.1 acres
Parks	17th Ave NW and NW 63rd St	17th Ave. NW & NW 63rd St.	0.7 acres
Parks	Ballard Swimming Pool	1471 NW 67th St	1.4 acres
Parks	Gilman Playground	923 NW 54th St.	3.9 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
P-Patch	Greg's Garden	14th Ave. NW & NW 54th St.	20 plots
Parks	Thyme Patch	NW 58th St. & 28th Ave. NW	16 plots

* City of Seattle Landmark

Broadview-Bitter Lake-Haller Lake

Existing Households (HH):	2,468
Expected 6 yr. HH Growth:	340
Expected 20 yr. HH Growth:	1,260
Existing Jobs:	3,289
Expected 6 yr. Jobs Growth:	705
Expected 20 yr. Job Growth:	2,800
Land Area:	359 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 24	401 N 130th St.	EMS: 78% in 4 mins. Fire: 68% in 4 mins. Engine Co.
Police	N Precinct	10049 College Way N.	32.04 sq. mi. service area, 1990 population 228,659
Schools	Broadview-Thomson Elementary	13052 Greenwood Ave. N	575 students
	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Library	Broadview Branch	12755 Greenwood Ave. N	8,161 sq. ft.
Community Center	Bitter Lake Community Center	13040 Greenwood Ave. N	
Parks	Bitterlake Playfield	13035 Linden Ave. N	7.5 acres
P Patch	Haller Lake P Patch	13045 1st Ave. NE	52 plots

Fremont

Existing Households (HH):	3,844
Expected 6-yr. HH Growth:	222
Expected 20-yr. HH Growth:	820
Existing Jobs:	4,776
Expected 6-yr. Jobs Growth:	428
Expected 20-yr. Job Growth:	1,700
Land Area:	215 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 9 +	3829 Linden Ave. N	EMS: 82% in 4 mins. Fire: 82% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Air Supply
Police Station	N Precin	10049 College	32.12 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 16,779

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
	et	Way N	sq. ft.
Schools	B. F. Day Elementary*	3921 Linden Ave. N	400 students
	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	Fremont Branch*	731 N 35th St.	6,060 sq. ft.
Park	Burke-Gilman Trail	3rd Ave. NW to NE 145th St.	72.6 acres
	Fremont Canal Park	199 N Canal St.	0.7 acres
	B.F Day Playground*	4020 Fremont Ave. N	2.4 acres
P-Patch	Fremont P-Patch	N 39th St. & Woodland Park Ave. N	29 plots

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North

Existing Households (HH):	2,815
Expected 6-yr. HH Growth:	379
Expected 20-yr. HH Growth:	1,400
Existing Jobs:	1,556
Expected 6-yr. Jobs Growth:	730
Expected 20-yr. Job Growth:	2,900
Land Area:	142 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 39 ‡	12705 30th Ave. NE	EMS: 78% in 4 mins. Fire: 77% in 4 mins. Engine Co.
Police Station	N Precinct	10049 College Way N	32.12 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 16,779 sq. ft.
Schools ¹	Olympic Hills Elementary	13018 20th Ave. NE	257 students
	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	Lake City Branch*	12501 28th Ave. NE	9,013 sq. ft.
Parks	Albert Davis Park	12526 27th Ave. NE	1.19 acres
Parks	Lake City Memorial Triangle	31st Ave. NE/ Lake City Way	0.005 acres
Parks	Lake City Mini Park ‡	Lake City Way/NE 125th St.	0.2 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Parks	Lake City Playground	2750 NE 125th St.	2.8 acres
Parks	Homewood Park	11725 Lake City Way NE	1.0 acre
Parks	Thornton Creek Natural Area	Multiple sites	2.0 acres

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North Rainier

Existing Households (HH):	2,131
Expected 6 yr. HH Growth:	324
Expected 20 yr. HH Growth:	1,200
Existing Jobs:	—
Expected 6 yr. Jobs Growth:	—
Expected 20 yr. Job Growth:	—
Land Area:	453 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 30‡	2931 Mt. Baker Blvd. W	EMS: 83% in 4 mins. Fire: 77% in 4 mins. Engine Co.
Police Station	S Precinct	3001 S Myrtle St.	15.48 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 13,688 sq. ft.

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Schools	Muir Elementary	3301 S Horton St.	450 students
	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	Beacon Hill Branch	2519 15th Ave. S	3,327 sq. ft.
Library	Douglass Truth Branch*	2300 E Yesler Way	8,007 sq. ft.
Library	Columbia Branch*	4721 Rainier Ave. S	5,838 sq. ft.
Parks	Amy Yee Tennis Center	2000 MLK Jr. Way S	8.5 acres
Parks	Atlantic Street Park	S Atlantic St. / Rainier Ave. S	0.1 acres
Parks	Benvenuto Viewpoint	1401 23rd Ave. S	1.67 acres
Parks	Bradner Gardens Park	1722 Bradner Pl. S	1.6 acres
Parks	Cheasty Boulevard*	Cheasty Boulevard S/S Della St.	2.0 acres
Parks	Cheasty Greenspace	Cheasty Boulevard S/S Della St.	43.4 acres
Parks	Colman Playground	1800 Lake Washington Blvd. S	24.3 acres
Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Parks	I-90 Lid	Hiawatha Pl. S & S Bush Pl. to the I-90 Bridge Trail	2.311 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Parks	MLK Jr. Memorial	2200 MLK Jr. Way	4.3 acres
Parks	Mount Baker Blvd.	S Mount Baker Blvd. S McClellan St. /Rainier Ave. S	3.6 acres
Parks	Sam Smith Park	23rd Ave. S & S Atlantic St. (I-90 lid)	15.2 acres
Parks	Taejon Park	1144 Sturgus Ave. S	2.0 acres
Parks	York Playground	3327 34th Ave. S	0.687 acres
Parks	College Street Park	S College St./ 29th Ave. S	0.4 acres
Parks	Colman Park	1800 Lake Washington Blvd S	2.0 acres
Parks	Horton Hill Corridor	S Horton St/36th Ave./37th Pl. S	0.3 acres
Parks	Hunter Boulevard	Hunter Blvd. S, S Hanford St. to S Spokane St.	1.1 acres
Parks	Judge Charles M. Stokes Overlook	S Judkins St./20th Ave S	5.2 acres
Parks	Judkins Park and Playfield	2150 S Norman St.	11.7 acres
P-Patch	Estelle Street P-Patch	3400 Rainier Ave. S	20 plots
P-Patch	Courtland PL. P-Patch	36th Ave. S & S Spokane St.	26 plots
P-Patch	Bradner Park Gardens	29th Ave. S & S Grand St.	61 plots
P-Patch	Colman	3098 S Grand St.	53 plots

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
	P-Patch		
P-Patch	Cultivating Communities: Hillside	MLK Jr. Way S & S McClellan S	20 plots

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West Seattle Junction

Existing Households (HH):	1,995
Expected 6-yr. HH Growth:	297
Expected 20-yr. HH Growth:	1,100
Existing Jobs:	4,308
Expected 6-yr. Jobs Growth:	579
Expected 20-yr. Job Growth:	2,300
Land Area:	226 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 32	3715 SW Alaska St.	EMS: 70% in 4 mins. Fire: 75% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co., Medic unit
Fire Station	SFD 36	3600 23rd Ave. SW	EMS: 75% in 4 mins. Fire: 67% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Marine Response Van
Police Station	SW Precinct	2300 SW Webster St.	19.39 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 28,150 sq. ft.
Schools	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	West Seattle Branch*	2306 42nd Ave. SW	8,178 sq. ft.
Parks	Fauntleroy Place	3951 SW Barton St.	0.098 acres
	Camp Long‡	5200 35th Ave. SW	55.6 acres
	West Seattle Golf Course‡	4600 35th Ave. SW	154 acres
P-Patch	Delridge	5078 25th SW	39 plots

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23rd & Jackson

Existing Households (HH):	3,360
Expected 6-yr. HH Growth:	243
Expected 20-yr. HH Growth:	900
Existing Jobs:	--
Expected 6-yr. Jobs Growth:	--
Expected 20-yr. Job Growth:	--
Land Area:	515 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 6 +	401 23rd Ave. S	EMS: 82% in 4 mins. Fire: 95% in 4 mins. Engine, Ladder
Police Station	E Precinct	1519 12th Ave.	8.23 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 40,000 sq. ft.
Schools	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	Douglass Truth Branch*	2300 E Yesler Way	8007 sq. ft., 1990 pop served 21,101, or .38 sq. ft./capita + .32 sq. ft./capita in citywide facilities
Community Center	Garfield Community Center	2323 E Cherry St.	
Community Center	Langston Hughes Cultural Arts Center*	104 17th Ave. S	

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Parks	Dr. Blanche Lavizzo Park	2100 S Jackson St.	2.0 acres
Parks	Garfield Playfield	23rd Ave./ E Cherry St.	9.4 acres
Parks	Gerber Park	MLK Jr. Way/ E Cherry St.	0.164 acres
Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Parks	Judge Charles M. Stokes Overlook	S Judkins St./ 20th Ave. S	0.308 acres
Parks	Judkins Park and Playfield	2150 S Norman St.	6.2 acres
Parks	Langston Hughes Cultural Arts	404 17th Ave. S	1.029 acres
Parks	Pratt Park	Yesler Way & 20th Ave. S	5.6 acres
Parks	Spruce Street Mini Park	460 21st Ave.	0.7 acres
Parks	Atlantic Street Park	S Atlantic St./Rainier Ave. S	0.7 acres
Parks	Benvenu	1401 23rd Ave. S	1.67 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
	to Viewpoint		
Parks	Colman Playgrou nd	1800 Lake Washington Blvd. S	2.8 acres
Parks	East Duwamis h Greenbel t	Carkeek Dr. S/S Burns St.	89.3 acres
Parks	Firehous e Mini Park	712 18th Ave.	0.3 acres
Parks	Flo Ware Park	28th Ave. S/S Jackson St.	0.5 acres
Parks	Frink Park	398 Lake Washington Blvd. S	17.3 acres
Parks	1-90 Lid	Hiawatha Pl. S and S Bush Pl. to the I-90 Bridge Trail	2.311 acres
Parks	Lewis Park	1120 15th Ave. S	1.8 acres
Parks	Nora's Woods	720 29th Ave.	0.3 acres
Parks	Plum Tree Park	1717 26th Ave.	0.3 acres
Parks	Powell Barnett Park	352 MLK Jr. Way	4.4 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Parks	Sam Smith Park	23rd Ave. S & S Atlantic St. (I-90 lid)	15.2 acres
Parks	Sturgus Park	904 Sturgus Ave. S	2.2 acres
Parks	Taejon Park	1144 Sturgus Ave. S	6.22 acres
P-Patch	Judkins P-Patch	24th Ave. S & S Norman St.	39 plots

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Admiral

Existing Households (HH):	829
Expected 6 yr. HH Growth:	92
Expected 20 yr. HH Growth:	340
Existing Jobs:	--
Expected 6 yr. Jobs Growth:	--
Expected 20 yr. Job Growth:	--
Land Area:	98 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD-29	2139 Ferry Ave. SW	EMS: 77% in 4 mins. Fire: 78% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Battalion

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Police Station	SW Precinct	2300 SW Webster St.	19.39 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 28,150 sq. ft.
Schools	LaFayette Elementary	2645 California Ave. SW	500 students
	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	West Seattle Branch*	2306 42nd Ave. SW	8,178 sq. ft.
Community Center	Hiawatha Community Center	2700 California Ave. SW	
Parks	California Place	California Ave SW / SW Hill St.	0.24 acres
Parks	Hiawatha Playfield*	2700 California Ave. SW	10.3 acres
Parks	Belvedere Viewpoint	3600 Admiral Way SW	1.7 acres
Parks	College Street Ravine	51st Ave. SW/SW College St.	2.2 acres
Parks	Duwamish Head Greenbelt	Harbor Ave SW/ Fairmount Ave. SW	59.8 acres
Parks	Fairmount Park	2627 39th Ave. SW	1.7 acres
Parks	Hamilton Viewpoint	1531 California Ave. SW	16.9 acres
Patch	Alki	2126 Alki SW	7 plots

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Aurora-Licton Springs

Existing Households (HH):	2,315
Expected 6-yr. HH Growth:	243
Expected 20-yr. HH Growth:	--
Existing Jobs:	--
Expected 6-yr. Jobs Growth:	--
Expected 20-yr. Job Growth:	--
Land Area:	327 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 31	1319 N Northgate Way	EMS: 77% in 4 mins. Fire: 92% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co., MedicUnit, Power unit.
Police Station	N Precinct	10049 College Way N	32.12 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 16,779 sq. ft.
Schools	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	Greenwood Branch	8016 Greenwood Ave. N	7,094 sq. ft.
Library	Greenlake Branch*	7364 E Greenlake Dr. N	8,690 sq. ft.
Parks	Licton Springs Park	9536 Ashworth Ave. N	7.6 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
	Greenwood Park	602 N 87th St.	2.2 acres
	Mineral Springs Park	1735 N. 107th St.	4 acres
P-Patch	Evanston P-Patch	Evanston Ave. N & N 102nd	42 plots

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Columbia City

Existing Households (HH):	1,659
Expected 6-yr. HH Growth:	200
Expected 20-yr. HH Growth:	740
Existing Jobs:	--
Expected 6-yr. Jobs Growth:	--
Expected 20-yr. Job Growth:	--
Land Area:	313 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 28 ‡	5968 Rainier Ave. S	EMS: 72% in 4 mins. Fire: 81% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co., Medic
Fire Station	SFD 30 ‡	2931 Mt. Baker Blvd. W	EMS: 83% in 4 mins. Fire: 77% in 4 mins.
Police Station	S Precinct	3001 S Myrtle St.	15.48 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 13,688 sq. ft.
Schools	ORCA at Columbia	3528 S Ferdinand St.	244 students
	All 10 Middle Schools		

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	Columbia Branch*	4721 Rainier Ave. S	5,838 sq. ft.
Community Center	Rainier Community Center	4600 38th Ave. S	
Parks	Columbia Park*	4721 Rainier Ave. S	2.1 acres
Parks	Genesee Park & Playfield	4316 S Genesee St.	57.7 acres
Parks	Rainier Playfield	3700 S Alaska St.	9.5 acres
Parks	Hitt's Hill Park	Renton Ave. S & S Brandon St.	3.1 acres
Parks	Brighton Playfield	6000 39th Ave. S	13.9 acres
Parks	Cheasty Blvd*	Cheasty Blvd. S./S. Della St.	19.3 acres
Parks	Cheasty Greenspace	Cheasty Blvd. S/S Della St.	46 acres
Parks	Cheasty Greenspace: Mt. View	Mt. View Dr. S & S Columbian Way	7.2 acres
Parks	Dearborn Park	2919 S Brandon St.	8.8 acres
Parks	Jefferson Park Golf Course	4051 Beacon Ave. S	120.7 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
P-Patch	Findlay P-Patch	4607 S. Lucile St.	35 plots
P-Patch	Rainier Vista P-Patches	4 locations: of S Genessee & MLK Jr. Way S	Various

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Crown Hill

Existing Households (HH):	950
Expected 6 yr. HH Growth:	84
Expected 20 yr. HH Growth:	310
Existing Jobs:	--
Expected 6 yr. Jobs Growth:	--
Expected 20 yr. Job Growth:	--
Land Area:	173 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 35‡	8729 15th Ave. NW	EMS: 77% in 4 mins. Fire: 84% in 4 mins. Engine Co.
Police Station	N Precinct	10049 College Way N	32.12 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 16,779 sq. ft.
Schools	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Library	Greenwood Branch	8016 Greenwood Ave. N	7,094 sq. ft.
Parks	Baker Park on Crown Hill	8347 14th Ave. NW	0.4 acres
Parks	Crown Hill Glen	8799 19th Ave. NW	0.4 acres
Parks	Loyal Heights Playfield	2101 NW 77th St.	6.7 acres
Parks	Soundview Playfield	1590 NW 90th St.	10.5 acres
P-Patch	Ballard P-Patch	25th Ave. NW & NW 85th	69 plots

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Eastlake

Existing Households (HH):	2,665
Expected 6 yr. HH Growth:	103
Expected 20 yr. HH Growth:	380
Existing Jobs:	--
Expected 6 yr. Jobs Growth:	--
Expected 20 yr. Job Growth:	--
Land Area:	200 acres

Facility	Name	Location	Capacity
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Type			
Fire Station	SFD 22 ‡	901 E Roanoke St.	EMS: 80% in 4 mins. Fire: 70% in 4 mins. Engine, Communications van
Police Station	E Precinct	1519 12th Ave.	8.23 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 40,000 sq. ft.
Schools	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	Capitol Hill Branch	425 Harvard Ave. E	11,001 sq. ft.
Library	Central	1000 4th Ave.	363,000 sq. ft.
Parks	Fairview Walkway	Fairview Ave. N / E Galer St.	0.5 acres
Parks	Fairview Park	2900 Fairview Ave. E	0.8 acres
Parks	Lynn Street Mini Park	E Lynn St. / Fairview Ave. E	0.15 acres
Parks	Roanoke Street Mini Park	950 E Roanoke St.	2.2 acres
Parks	Rogers Playground	Eastlake Ave. E / E Roanoke St.	1.9 acres
Parks	South Passage Point Park	3320 Fuhrman Ave. E	0.664 acres
Parks	Terry Pettus Park	E Newton St. / Fairview Ave. E	0.9 acres
P-Patch	Eastlake P-Patch	2900 Fairview Ave. E	29 plots

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Greenlake

Existing Households (HH):	1,485
Expected 6 yr. HH Growth:	108
Expected 20 yr. HH Growth:	400
Existing Jobs:	--
Expected 6 yr. Jobs Growth:	--
Expected 20 yr. Job Growth:	--
Land Area:	109 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 16†	6846 Oswego Pl. NE	EMS: 60% in 4 mins. Fire: 71% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Medic
Police Station	N Precinct	10049 College Way N	32.12 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 16,779 sq. ft.
Schools	Green Lk. Elementary	2400 N 65th St.	350 students
	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	Greenlake Branch*	7364 E Greenlake Dr. N	8,690 sq. ft.
Community Center	Green Lk. Community Center†	7201 E Green Lake Dr. N	
Parks	Ravenna Boulevard	NE Ravenna Blvd, East Green Lake Way N/20th Ave. NE	6.4 acres
Parks	Froula	7200 12th	2.7 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
	Playground	Ave. NE	
Parks	Green Lake Park ‡	7201 East Green Lake Dr. N	67.8 acres
Parks	NE 60th Str. Park	5th Ave. NE/ NE 60th St.	0.3 acres
P Patch	Green Lake	N 67th St. & Linden Ave. N	29 plots

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Greenwood-Phinney

Existing Households (HH):	1,315
Expected 6 yr. HH Growth:	95
Expected 20 yr. HH Growth:	350
Existing Jobs:	--
Expected 6 yr. Jobs Growth:	--
Expected 20 yr. Job Growth:	--
Land Area:	94 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 21‡	7304 Greenwood Ave. N	EMS: 85% in 4 mins. Fire: 80% in 4 mins. Engine Co. , MCI Van
Police Station	N Precinct	10049 College Way N	32.12 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 16,779 sq. ft.
Schools	Greenwood Elementary	144 NW 80th St.	250 students

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	Greenwood Branch	8016 Greenwood Ave. N	7,094 sq. ft
Parks	Greenwood Park	602 No 87th St.	2.2 acres
	Sandel Playground	9053 1st Ave. NW	3.7 acres
P-Patch	Greenwood P-Patch	343 NW 88th	16 plots

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Madison/Miller

Existing Households (HH):	1,643
Expected 6-yr. HH Growth:	108
Expected 20-yr. HH Growth:	400
Existing Jobs:	--
Expected 6-yr. Jobs Growth:	--
Expected 20-yr. Job Growth:	--
Land Area:	145 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 25	1300 E Pine St.	EMS: 87% in 4 mins. Fire: 87% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co., Battalion, Aid Car, Power Unit, Hose Wagon
Police	E Precinct	1519 12th Ave.	8.23 sq. mi. service area,

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Station			facility capacity 40,000 sq. ft.
Schools	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	Douglass-Truth Branch*	2300 E Yesler Way	8,007 sq. ft.
Library	Madrona-Sally Goldmark Branch ‡	1134 33rd Ave.	1,702 sq. ft.
Community Center	Miller Community Center	330 19th Ave. E	
Parks	Miller Triangle	E Thomas St./20th Ave. E	0.188 acres
	Pendleton Miller Playfield	400 19th Ave. E	7.6 acres
P-Patch	Republican P-Patch	503 20th Ave. E	13 plots
	Pelican Tea	19th Ave. E & E Mercer	Communal garden
	Mad P	30th Ave. E & E Mercer St.	15 plots
	Ida-Mia	E Madison St. & Lk. Washington Blvd. E	7 plots

~~MLK Jr. Way@Holly St.~~

Existing Households (HH):	1,064
Expected 6-yr. HH Growth:	217
Expected 20-yr. HH Growth:	800
Existing Jobs:	—
Expected 6-yr. Jobs Growth:	—
Expected 20-yr. Job Growth:	—
Land Area:	375 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 28‡	5968 Rainier Ave.	EMS: 72% in 4 mins. Fire: 81% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co., Medic Unit
Police Station	S Precinct	3001 S Myrtle St.	15.48 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 13,688 sq. ft.
Schools	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	New Holly Branch	7058 32nd Ave. S	3,847 sq. ft
Parks	37th Ave. South Park	3551 S Holly St.	5.8 acres
P-Patch	Holly Park Cultivating Communities	4 locations in Holly Park	30 plots
P-Patch	Morgan	42nd Ave. S & S Morgan	New

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Morgan Junction

Existing Households (HH):	1,643
Expected 6-yr. HH Growth:	108
Expected 20-yr. HH Growth:	400
Existing Jobs:	--
Expected 6-yr. Jobs Growth:	--
Expected 20-yr. Job Growth:	--
Land Area:	145 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 37 ‡	7300 35th Ave. SW	EMS: 68% in 4 mins. Fire 53% in 4 mins. Engine Co.
	SFD 32	3715 SW Alaska St.	EMS: 70% in 4 mins. Fire: 75% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co., Medic unit
Police Station	SW Precinct	2300 SW Webster St.	19.39 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 28,150 sq. ft.
Schools	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	Southwest Branch	9010 35th Ave. SW	7,557 sq. ft.
	West Seattle Branch	2306 42nd Ave. SW	8,178 sq. ft.
P-Patch	Lincoln Park ‡	Fauntleroy Way SW & SW Webster St.	New

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North Beacon

Existing Households (HH):	1,879
Expected 6-yr. HH Growth:	148
Expected 20-yr. HH Growth:	550
Existing Jobs:	--
Expected 6-yr. Jobs Growth:	--
Expected 20-yr. Job Growth:	--
Land Area:	131 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 13 ‡	3601 Beacon Ave. S	EMS: 83% in 4 mins. Fire: 80% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Battalion
Police Station	S Precinct	3001 S Myrtle St.	15.48 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 13,688 sq. ft.
Schools	Beacon Hill Elementary	2025 14th Ave. S	325 students
	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	Beacon Hill Branch	2519 15th Ave. S	3,327 sq. ft.
Parks	Beacon Hill Playground ‡	1902 13th Ave. S	3.0 acres
Parks	East Duwamish Greenbelt	Carkeek Dr. S / S Burns St.	79.8 acres
Parks	McClellan Place	S McClellan St. / 16th Ave. S	0.01 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Parks	Stevens Place	Beacon Ave. S/17th Ave. S	0.19 acres
Community Garden	El Centro de la Raza	2524 16th S.	
P-Patch	Beacon Bluff	S Massachusetts at 13th Ave. S	17 plots

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Rainier Beach

Existing Households (HH):	1,536
Expected 6-yr. HH Growth:	200
Expected 20-yr. HH Growth:	1,736
Existing Jobs:	--
Expected 6-yr. Jobs Growth:	--
Expected 20-yr. Job Growth:	--
Land Area:	250 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 33	9645 Renton Ave. S	EMS: 84% in 4 mins. Fire: 72% in 4 mins. Engine Co.
Police Station	S Precinct	3001 S Myrtle St.	15.48 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 13,688 sq. ft.
Schools	Dunlap Elementary*	8621 46th Ave. S	350 students
	Emerson Elementary*	9709 60th Ave. S	375 students
	Graham Hill Elementary	5149 S Graham St.	372 students
	Van Asselt Elementary	7201 Beacon Ave. S.	401 students
	Whitworth Elementary	5215 46th Ave. S.	330 students
	Wing Luke Elementary	3701 S Kenyon St.	290 students

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
	South Lake Alternative High School	8825 Rainier Ave. S.	151 students
	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	Rainier Beach Branch	9125 Rainier Ave. S	9,006 sq. ft.
Community Center	Rainier Beach Comm. Center	9125 Rainier Ave. S	1.405 acres
Parks	Fletcher Place	57th Ave. S/S Fletcher St.	0.062 acres
Parks	Rainier Beach Lake Cottage Park Tracts	8802 Rainier Ave. S	0.231 acres
Parks	Rainier Beach Playfield	8802 Rainier Ave. S	9.5 acres
Parks	Sturtevant Ravine	Sturtevant St. — between S. Roxbury St. & Rainier Ave. S	2.808 acres
P-Patch	Thistle P-Patch	8430 42nd Ave. S	156 plots

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Roosevelt

Existing Households (HH):	1,016
Expected 6-yr. HH Growth:	92
Expected 20-yr. HH Growth:	340
Existing Jobs:	--
Expected 6-yr. Jobs Growth:	--
Expected 20-yr. Job Growth:	--
Land Area:	158 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 16 ‡	6846 Oswego Pl. NE	EMS: 60% in 4 mins. Fire: 71% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Medic
Police Station	N Precinct	10049 College Way N	32.12 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 16,779 sq. ft.
Schools	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	Greenlake Branch*	7364 E Greenlake Dr. N	8,690 sq. ft.
Parks	Froula Playground	7200 12th Ave. NE	2.7 acres
P-Patch	Roosevelt	7012 12th Ave. NE	31 plots

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* City of Seattle Landmarks

South Park

Existing Households (HH):	1,037
Expected 6-yr. HH Growth:	95
Expected 20-yr. HH Growth:	350
Existing Jobs:	--
Expected 6-yr. Jobs Growth:	--
Expected 20-yr. Job Growth:	--
Land Area:	263 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 26	800 S Cloverdale St.	EMS: 70% in 4 mins. Fire: 66% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Air
Police Station	SW Precinct	2300 SW Webster St.	19.39 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 28,150 square feet
Schools	Concord Elementary*	723 S Concord St.	275 students
	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	High Point Branch	6302 35th Ave. (to be opened in 2004)	7,000 sq. ft.
Library	Southwest Branch	9010 35th Ave. SW	7,557 sq. ft.
Community Center	South Park Community Center	8319 8th Ave. S	
Parks	South Park	9100 8th Ave. S	1.0 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
	Meadow		
Parks	South Park Playground	738 S Sullivan St.	5.6 acres
P-Patch	South Park P-Patch	4th Ave. S & S. Director	34 plots

* City of Seattle Landmarks

Upper Queen Anne

Existing Households (HH):	1,115
Expected 6 yr. HH Growth:	81
Expected 20 yr. HH Growth:	300
Existing Jobs:	--
Expected 6 yr. Jobs Growth:	--
Expected 20 yr. Job Growth:	--
Land Area:	53 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 8 +	410 Lee St.	EMS: 88% in 4 mins. Fire: 95% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co.
Police Station	W Precinct	810 Virginia St.	11.52 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 50,960 sq. ft., including 911 Center
Schools	Coe Elementary	2424 7th Ave. W	321 students

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
	John Hay Elementary	201 Garfield St.	459 students
	Secondary BOG at Old Hay*	411 Boston St.	400-600 students
	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	Queen Anne Branch*	400 W Garfield St.	7,931 sq. ft.
P-Patch	Queen Anne P-Patch	3rd Ave. N & Lynn St.	65 plots
P-Patch	Queen Pea	5th Ave. N & Howe St.	34 plots

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Wallingford

Existing Households (HH):	2,245
Expected 6 yr. HH Growth:	54
Expected 20 yr. HH Growth:	200
Existing Jobs:	--
Expected 6 yr. Jobs Growth:	--
Expected 20 yr. Job Growth:	--
Land Area:	257 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 9 ‡	3829 Linden Ave. N	EMS: 82% in 4 mins. Fire: 82% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Air Supply
Fire Station	SFD 17 ‡	1050 NE 50th St.	EMS: 75% in 4 mins. Fire: 69% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co., Battalion
Police Station	N Precinct	10049 College Way. N	32.12 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 16,779 sq. ft.
Schools	B. F. Day Elementary*	3921 Linden Ave. N	400 students
	Bryant Elementary*	3311 NE 60th St.	483 students
	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	Wallingford-Branch	1501 N 45th St.	2,016 sq. ft.

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Parks	Meridian Playground	4649 Sunnyside Ave. N	6.5 acres
	Wallingford Playfield	4219 Wallingford Ave. N	4.5 acres
P-Patch	Good Shepherd P-Patch	4618 Bagley Ave. N & N 47th	43 plots

‡ City historic resource survey properties

* City of Seattle Landmark

Westwood-Highland Park

Existing Households (HH):	1,710
Expected 6-yr. HH Growth:	189
Expected 20-yr. HH Growth:	700
Existing Jobs:	--
Expected 6-yr. Jobs Growth:	--
Expected 20-yr. Job Growth:	--
Land Area:	276 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 11	1514 SW Holden St.	EMS: 82% in 4 mins. Fire: 81% in 4 mins. Engine Co.
Fire Station	SFD 37 ‡	7300 35th Ave. SW	EMS: 68% in 4 mins. Fire 53% in 4 mins. Engine Co.

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Police Station	Southwest Precinct	2300 SW Webster St.	19.39 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 28,150 sq. ft.
Schools	All 10 Middle Schools		
	All 11 High Schools		
Library	Southwest Branch	9010 35th Ave. SW	7557 sq. ft.
P-Patch	Longfellow Creek	25th Ave. SW & SW Thistle	New

‡ City historic resources

manufacturing/industrial centers

BINMIC

Existing Households (HH):	4,447
Expected 6 yr. HH Growth:	410
Expected 20 yr. HH Growth:	1,520
Existing Jobs:	4,292
Expected 6 yr. Jobs Growth:	934
Expected 20 yr. Job Growth:	3,700
Land Area:	425 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 2*	2334 4th Ave.	#2, 3.8 minute response time Engine Co., Ladder, Aid, Command
Fire Station	SFD 8‡	110 Lee St.	EMS: 88% in 4 mins. Fire: 95% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co.

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire Station	SFD 9‡	3829 Linden Ave. N	EMS: 82% in 4 mins. Fire: 82% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Air Supply
Fire Station	SFD 18	1521 NW Market St.	EMS: 67% in 4 mins. Fire: 69% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co., Medic Unit, Hose Wagon, Battalion
Fire Station	SFD 20‡	3205 13th Ave. W	EMS: 73% in 4 mins. Fire: 65% in 4 mins. Engine Co.
Police Station	W Precinct	810 Virginia St.	11.52 sq. mi. service area, facility capacity 50,960 sq. ft., including 911 Center

‡ City historic resource survey properties

* City of Seattle Landmarks

Greater Duwamish

Existing Households (HH):	469
Expected 6-yr. HH Growth:	--
Expected 20-yr. HH Growth:	--
Existing Jobs:	62,696
Expected 6-yr. Jobs Growth:	2,734
Expected 20-yr. Job Growth:	10,860
Land Area:	4,936 acres

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Fire	SFD 5 ‡	925 Alaska	EMS: 78% in 4 mins. Fire: 80% in

Facility Type	Name	Location	Capacity
Station		Way	4 mins. Engine Co., Fireboat
Fire Station	SFD 10*	301 2nd Ave. S	EMS: 78% in 4 mins. Fire: 78% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Ladder Co., Shift Commander, Aid Car, Hazmat Van
Fire Station	SFD 11	1514 SW Holden	EMS: 82% in 4 mins. Fire: 81% in 4 mins. Engine Co.
Fire Station	SFD 14 ‡	3224 4th Ave. S	EMS: 63% in 4 m;ins. Fire: 50% in 4 mins. Ladder Company, Aid Car, Rescue Unit
Fire Station	SFD 26	800 S Cloverdale St.	EMS: 70% in 4 mins. Fire: 66% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Air
Fire Station	SFD 27	1000 S Myrtle St.	EMS: 77% in 4 mins. Fire: 63% in 4 mins. Engine Co. USAR , MMST
Fire Station	SFD 29	9645 Renton Ave. S	EMS: 77% in 4 mins. Fire: 78% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Battalion
Fire Station	SFD 36	3600 23rd Ave. SW	EMS: 75% in 4 mins. Fire: 67% in 4 mins. Engine Co., Marine Response Van
Fire Stations	Combined capacity of these stations includes: 7 Engine Companies, 2 Ladder Companies, Shift Commander, Battalion Chief, Fireboat, 2 Aid Units, HazMat Van, , Marine Response Van, Heavy Rescue Equipment, Confine Space Equipment, Mobile Air Supply		
Police Station	SW Precinct	2300 SW Webster St.	19.39 sq. mi. service-area, facility capacity 28,150 sq. ft.

* City of Seattle Landmarks, or located in City landmark/special review district

‡ City historic resource survey properties

~~D — Potential Future
Discretionary Projects~~

~~Besides the facilities that are included in the City's Capital Improvement Program (CIP), there are a number of prospective capital projects that the City might undertake or fund in the future. They are listed below to provide a broad view of the City's potential future capital spending. Projects are not listed in any priority order. Funding for these projects is not yet identified, and no decisions have been made to go forward with funding these projects.~~

- ~~• African-American Heritage Museum*~~
- ~~• Aquarium Redevelopment~~
- ~~• Arboretum~~
- ~~• Blue Spruce Site Redevelopment
(Seattle Center)~~
- ~~• Broadband Wireless Project~~
- ~~• City Maintenance Facility Improvements~~
- ~~• Downtown Circulator~~
- ~~• Downtown Parks~~
- ~~• Homeless Day Center*~~
- ~~• Key Arena Enhancement Plan (Seattle Center)~~
- ~~• Kreielsheimer Property Development (Seattle Center)~~
- ~~• Memorial Stadium Relocation*~~
- ~~• Memorial Stadium Site Redevelopment (Seattle Center)~~
- ~~• Neighborhood Planning Capital Projects~~
- ~~• North Police Precinct Expansion~~
- ~~• Public Safety Building Block Redevelopment~~
- ~~• Redevelopment of 2nd/John St. & Warren Ave. N. Parking Lots (Seattle Center)~~
- ~~• Seattle Parks and Recreation Plan 2000
(potentially updated in 2005-2006)~~
- ~~• PC 1 Lot at Pike Place Market~~
- ~~• Sand Point Redevelopment~~
- ~~• Seattle Center 5th Avenue Parking Lot
Development~~
- ~~• Seattle Center Master Plan Updates~~
- ~~• Seattle Transit Initiative~~
- ~~• South Downtown Study Area Improvements~~
- ~~• South Lake Union Park Development~~
- ~~• South Lake Union Transportation
Improvements~~
- ~~• Southwest Harbor Project *~~
- ~~• Telecommunications Improvements~~

- ~~TransLake* (includes early action items)~~
- ~~Urban Trails Plan Implementation~~
- ~~Waterfront Plan~~
- ~~West Seattle Stadium~~
- ~~Zoo Parking Improvements~~

~~At the time of publication, projects with an * are owned or sponsored by another government agency or private organization. The City might participate in funding these projects.))~~

Capital Facilities Appendix

The following sections contain the inventory and anticipated needs for various capital facilities. Information for utilities, such as drinking water, drainage and sewer, solid waste, and electricity, is included in the Utilities Appendix. Information for transportation facilities is included in the Transportation Appendix.

A. Fire Department

inventory

The Seattle Fire Department (SFD) provides fire protection and emergency medical services throughout the City from 33 fire stations, marine facilities, and Harborview Medical Center. Headquarters for the department is located in a historic building in Pioneer Square. The department shares the Joint Training Facility with Seattle Public Utilities. Each station provides a full range of fire protective services including fire suppression, emergency medical, and rescue. Each station is equipped with at least one fire engine. Many stations include other equipment and special units. The Fire Department has 33 engine companies, 12 ladder truck companies, four fire boats, five aid units, eight paramedic units and other specialized units including heavy rescue, hazardous materials, and tunnel rescue that provide a broad range of emergency services. Information on existing fire facilities is shown in Capital Facilities Figure A-1 and A-2.

planning goals

The Department evaluates emergency medical capabilities and staffing or equipment additions and institutes operation changes each year as a part of the budget process. State law requires that fire departments report yearly on established emergency response standards. The Seattle Fire Department reports response time for fire response and emergency medical services (EMS), which includes basic life support (BLS) and advance life support (ALS). SFD response standards are:

- Call Processing Time: 60 seconds for phone answered to first unit assigned, for 90% of calls.

- Fire Response Time: Arrival within 4 minutes for first arriving engine at a fire for 90% of calls, and arrival within 8 minutes of the full first alarm assignment of 15 fire fighters, for 90% of calls
- Basic Life Support: Arrival within 4 minutes of the first medical unit with 2 EMT, for 90% of calls.
- Advanced Life Support: Arrival within 8 minutes with 8 minutes, for 90% of calls

Response time is influenced directly by the availability of fire personnel, equipment, traffic conditions, and the number and location of fire stations. Firefighter and equipment requirements indirectly affect station requirements.

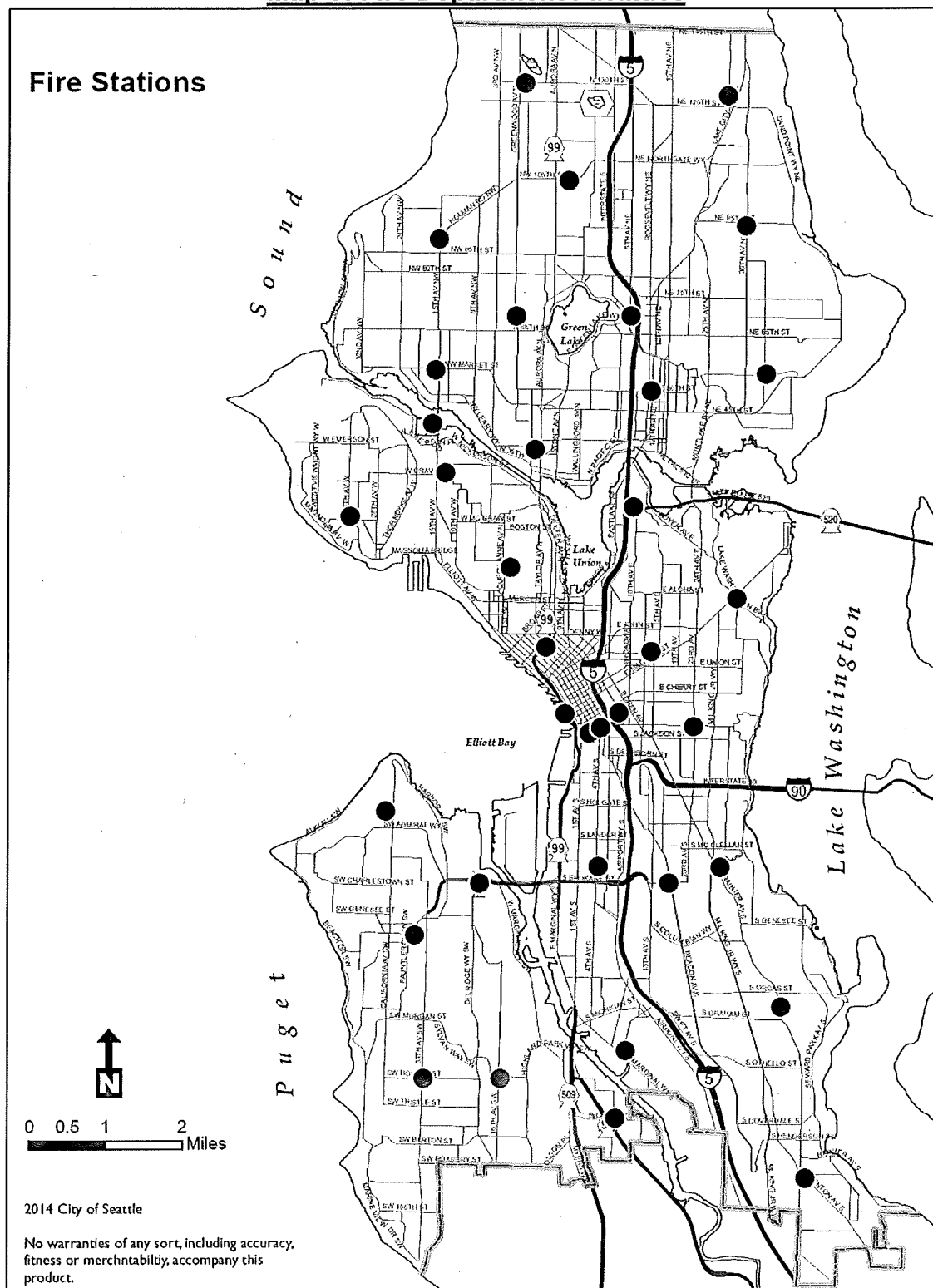
The City plans for asset preservation through a capital maintenance program. Minor and major capital facility projects are included in the City's six-year Capital improvement program.

forecast of future needs

The City has added capacity and renovated or replaced many of the fire stations in the past ten years as part of the 2003 Fire Facilities levy, which provided about \$167 million to upgrade, renovate or replace 32 neighborhood fire stations, construct a new training facility and upgrade the Department's Fire Alarm Center among other things. The new facilities have been built with excess physical capacity.

The City anticipates it will need to replace Fire Station No. 3 and the Fire Marshall office, and replace or expand the commissary and fire garage, as well as continue maintenance on the remaining existing buildings. To support existing operations, a new fire administration building and expanded training facilities are needed. To support the SFD's desired goal of timely emergency response in all areas of the city, a new South Lake Union fire station and a freshwater marine fire suppression facility are desired under existing conditions.

Capital Facilities Figure A-1 Map of Fire Department Facilities



**Capital Facilities Figure A-2
 Table of Fire Department Facilities**

<u>Facility Name</u> (* indicates a historic building)	<u>Year Built/updated</u>	<u>Building Square feet</u>	<u>Area Served</u>	<u>Address</u>
<u>Headquarters*</u>	<u>1908</u>	<u>55,952</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>301 2nd Ave. S</u>
<u>Fire Station 2*</u>	<u>1922</u> <u>2010</u>	<u>37,740</u>	<u>Belltown</u>	<u>2334 4th Ave.</u>
<u>Fire Station 3</u>	<u>1960</u>	<u>2,760</u>	<u>Ballard</u>	<u>1735 W Thurman</u>
<u>Fire Station 5*</u>	<u>1963</u> <u>2016</u>	<u>5,688</u>	<u>Waterfront</u>	<u>925 Alaskan Way</u>
<u>Fire Station 6</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>11,003</u>	<u>Central District</u>	<u>405 Martin Luther King Jr. Way S</u>
<u>Fire Station 8</u>	<u>1964</u> <u>2013</u>	<u>5,450</u>	<u>Queen Anne</u>	<u>110 Lee St.</u>
<u>Fire Station 9</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>8,804</u>	<u>Fremont</u>	<u>3829 Linden Ave. N</u>
<u>Fire Station 10</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>61,156</u>	<u>International District</u>	<u>400 S Washington St.</u>
<u>Fire Alarm Control</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>Portion of FS10</u>	<u>City wide</u>	<u>105 5th Ave. S</u>
<u>Fire Station 11</u>	<u>1971</u> <u>2015</u>	<u>5,610</u>	<u>Highland Park</u>	<u>1514 SW Holden St.</u>
<u>Fire Station 13*</u>	<u>1928</u> <u>2012</u>	<u>4,329</u>	<u>Beacon Hill</u>	<u>3601 Beacon Ave. S</u>
<u>Fire Station 14*</u>	<u>1927</u> <u>2013</u>	<u>16,831</u>	<u>SoDo District</u>	<u>3224 4th Ave. S</u>
<u>Fire Station 16*</u>	<u>1927</u> <u>2013</u>	<u>3,995</u>	<u>Green Lake</u>	<u>6846 Oswego Pl. NE</u>
<u>Fire Station 17*</u>	<u>1929</u> <u>2010</u>	<u>23,537</u>	<u>University</u>	<u>1020 NE 50th St.</u>
<u>Fire Station 18</u>	<u>1974</u> <u>2015</u>	<u>16,624</u>	<u>Ballard</u>	<u>1521 NW Market St.</u>
<u>Fire Station 20</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>6,229</u>	<u>Inter bay</u>	<u>2800 15th Ave. W</u>
<u>Fire Station 21</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>8,783</u>	<u>Greenwood</u>	<u>7304 Greenwood Ave. N</u>
<u>Fire Station 22</u>	<u>1965</u> <u>2016</u>	<u>4,110</u>	<u>Roanoke</u>	<u>901 E Roanoke St.</u>
<u>Fire Station 24</u>	<u>1977</u> <u>2014</u>	<u>3,630</u>	<u>Bitter Lake</u>	<u>401 N 130TH St.</u>
<u>Fire Station 25</u>	<u>1969</u> <u>2014</u>	<u>20,824</u>	<u>Capitol Hill</u>	<u>1300 E Pine St.</u>

<u>Facility Name</u> (* indicates a historic building)	<u>Year Built/updated</u>	<u>Building Square feett</u>	<u>Area Served</u>	<u>Address</u>
<u>Fire Station 26</u>	<u>1970</u> <u>2014</u>	<u>5,960</u>	<u>South park</u>	<u>800 S Cloverdale St.</u>
<u>Fire Station 27</u>	<u>1970</u> <u>2014</u>	<u>5,960</u>	<u>Georgetown</u>	<u>1000 S Myrtle St.</u>
<u>Fire Station 28</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>13,638</u>	<u>Rainer Valley</u>	<u>5968 Rainer Ave. S</u>
<u>Fire Station 29</u>	<u>1970</u> <u>2014</u>	<u>5,049</u>	<u>Admiral District</u>	<u>2139 Ferry Ave. SW</u>
<u>Fire Station 30</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>9,100</u>	<u>Mount Baker</u>	<u>2931 S Mount Baker Blvd.</u>
<u>Fire Station. 31</u>	<u>1974</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>12,452</u>	<u>Northgate</u>	<u>1319 N Northgate Way</u>
<u>Fire Station 32</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>6,646</u>	<u>West Seattle</u>	<u>3715 SW Alaska St.</u>
<u>Fire Station 33</u>	<u>1971</u> <u>2010</u>	<u>5,061</u>	<u>Rainer Beach</u>	<u>9645 Renton Ave. S</u>
<u>Fire Station 34</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>4,625</u>	<u>Madison Park</u>	<u>633 32nd Ave. E</u>
<u>Fire Station 35</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>11,532</u>	<u>Crown Hill</u>	<u>8729 15th Ave. NW</u>
<u>Fire Station 36</u>	<u>1971</u> <u>2014</u>	<u>4,676</u>	<u>Delridge/ Harbor Island</u>	<u>3600 23rd Ave. SW</u>
<u>Fire Station 37</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>9,000</u>	<u>West Seattle/ High point</u>	<u>7700 35th Ave. SW</u>
<u>Fire Station 38</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>8,700</u>	<u>Hawthorne Hills</u>	<u>4004 NE 55th St.</u>
<u>Fire Station 39</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>9,593</u>	<u>Lake City</u>	<u>2806 NE 127th St.</u>
<u>Fire Station 40</u>	<u>1965</u> <u>2013</u>	<u>6,500</u>	<u>Wedgewood</u>	<u>9401 35th Ave. NE</u>
<u>Fire Station 41</u>	<u>1936</u> <u>2010</u>	<u>6,146</u>	<u>Magnolia</u>	<u>2416 34th Ave. W</u>
<u>Fire Marshall</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>9,462</u>	<u>Downtown</u>	<u>220 3rd Ave. S</u>
<u>Training Facility</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>53,402</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>9401 Myers Way S</u>
<u>Commissary</u>	<u>1985</u>	<u>37,606</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>3601 21nd Ave. S</u>
<u>Fire Garage</u>	<u>1975</u>	<u>15,000</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>815 Dearborn St.</u>
<u>Harbor View Medical Center</u>		<u>1,000</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>325 9th Ave.</u>
<u>South Lake Union Station</u>			<u>South Lake Union</u>	<u>Not Determined</u>

B. Police Department

inventory

The Seattle Police Department currently provides law enforcement patrol services to the city from five precincts and the Harbor Patrol Unit which covers 59 square miles of waterways. The SPD also provides for parking and traffic enforcement as well as specialized units including SWAT, gang unit, mounted patrol, and canine. Information on these precincts and facilities is shown in Capital Facilities Figures A-3 and A-4.

planning goals

Uniform patrol law enforcement services are generally allocated based on workload, time, and location. The exact location of facilities is usually not critical to the provision of uniform patrol services since police officers are on patrol in the various sectors and calls for service are dispatched by radio. The location of facilities can be important because the distance traveled at shift change time impacts the availability of officers and because locations can enhance interaction with the community. Because of the many, changing factors that affect staffing and space objectives of police departments, there are no universally accepted planning goals for the location and distribution of police facilities.

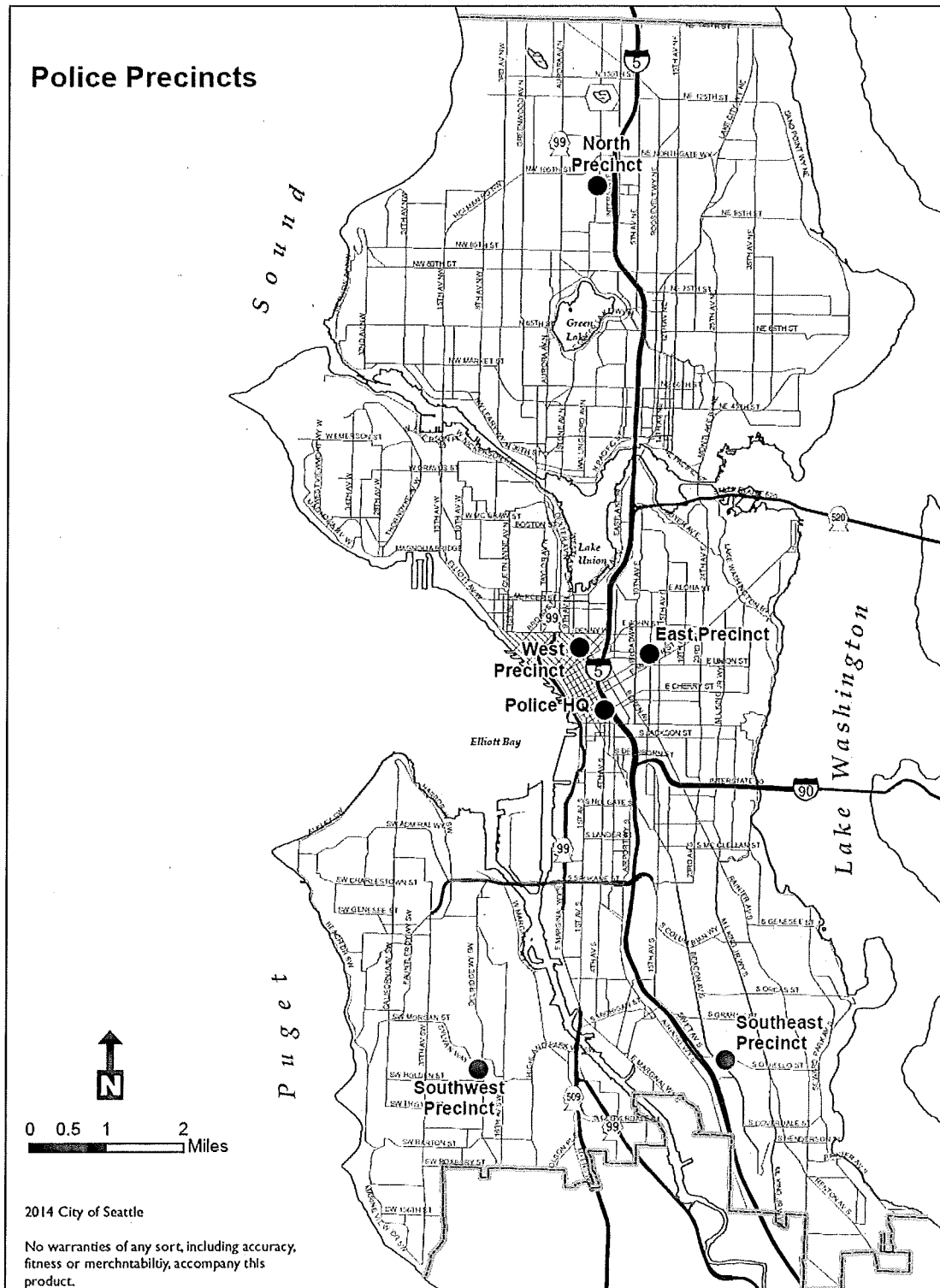
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forecast of future needs

The City is expected to maintain, replace, or expand some police facilities as shown in Capital Facilities Figure A-4. To support existing police operations citywide, SPD expects that it may upgrade, expand, or replace Harbor Patrol, rifle range, and training facilities. The existing North Precinct is currently overcrowded and does not meet the needs of precinct personnel; therefore, a new consolidated facility is proposed to be built. The City has purchased property for a new North Precinct. In the next 20 year period, the City may also elect to build its own correctional facility, rather than to continue leasing space from King County at its jail.

Capital Facilities Figure A-3

Map of Current Police Department Facilities



**Capital Facilities Figure A-4
 Table of Police Department Facilities**

<u>Facility Name</u>	<u>Year Built/updated</u>	<u>Size in square feet</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Area served</u>	<u>Address</u>
<u>Police Headquarters</u>	<u>2002</u>		<u>Police Headquarters shares Justice Center building</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>610 5th Ave.</u>
<u>Justice Center</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>310,490</u>	<u>Justice Center includes municipal courts</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>600 5th Ave.</u>
<u>Professional Accountability</u>	<u>1970</u>	<u>6,300</u>	<u>Leased space in Pacific Building</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>712 3rd Ave.</u>
<u>North Precinct</u>	<u>1984</u>	<u>16,434</u>	<u>Serves the area north of the Ship Canal to the City limits</u>	<u>Northgate</u>	<u>10049 College Way N</u>
<u>Emergency Operations Center/ 911 Call center</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>61,156</u>	<u>Shared facility with Fire Alarm Center and FS 10</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>400 S Washington St.</u>
<u>North Precinct Annex</u>	<u>1983</u>	<u>4,474</u>	<u>Leased office space</u>	<u>Northgate</u>	<u>10303 Meridian Ave. N</u>
<u>West Precinct</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>50,960</u>	<u>Serves Queen Anne, Magnolia, the downtown core, and the area west of I-5</u>	<u>Downtown</u>	<u>810 Virginia St.</u>
<u>West Precinct Garage</u>	<u>1948</u>	<u>53,336</u>	<u>Condo garage located in adjacent building</u>	<u>Capitol Hill</u>	<u>2021 9th Ave.</u>
<u>East Precinct</u>	<u>1926 1985</u>	<u>61,580</u>	<u>Serves the area north of I-90 to the Ship Canal and east of I-5, Eastlake Community</u>	<u>East Precinct</u>	<u>1519 12th Ave.</u>
<u>East Precinct Garage</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>29,058</u>	<u>Garage located under 12th Avenue Arts building</u>	<u>Capitol Hill</u>	<u>1624 12th Ave.</u>
<u>South Precinct</u>	<u>1983</u>	<u>13,688</u>	<u>Serves area south of I-90 to City limits and west of Duwamish</u>	<u>Beacon Hill</u>	<u>3001 S Myrtle St.</u>
<u>South West Precinct</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>28,531</u>	<u>Serves West Seattle and Duwamish Industrial area</u>	<u>Delridge</u>	<u>2300 SW Webster</u>
<u>Mounted Patrol</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>39,041</u>	<u>12 full time horse stalls and related equipment</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>9200 8th Ave. SW</u>
<u>Police Training Center</u>			<u>Practice range is an open air range.</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>11026 E Marginal Way S</u>

<u>Facility Name</u>	<u>Year Built/updated</u>	<u>Size in square feet</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Area served</u>	<u>Address</u>
<u>K-9 Kennel</u>		<u>6,464</u>	<u>Houses 6 dogs and 2 pups and related equipment and supplies.</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>11026 E Marginal Way S</u>
<u>SPD Parking Enforcement</u>		<u>10,268</u>	<u>Office and Warehouse (leased)</u>	<u>Northwest</u>	<u>1330 N 131st St.</u>
<u>Harbor Patrol</u>	<u>1928 1986</u>	<u>3,706</u>	<u>Offices, shops, docks and maintenance buildings</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>1717 Northlake Pl.</u>
<u>Warehouse</u>		<u>5,400</u>	<u>Vehicle storage</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>923 S Bay S</u>
<u>Police Support Facility</u>	<u>1985</u>	<u>145,158</u>	<u>Airport Way Center Police Support Facility</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>2203 Airport Way S</u>
<u>Warehouse</u>		<u>21,800</u>	<u>Storage</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>4735 E Marginal Way S</u>
<u>Correctional Facilities</u>	<u>NA</u>		<u>City leases space from King County Jail</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	

C. Parks and Recreation

inventory

Seattle Parks and Recreation (Parks) manages a 6,200-acre park system, including 465 parks and extensive natural areas. Parks provides athletic fields, tennis courts, play areas, specialty gardens, and more than 25 miles of boulevards and 120 miles of trails. The system comprises about 11% of the City of Seattle's land area. Parks also manages many facilities, including community centers, swimming pools, environmental education centers, small craft centers, golf courses, an outdoor stadium, skateparks, and more. Parks and open areas owned by the City and their capacities are summarized below in Capital Facilities Figures A-5 through A-7.

Capital Facilities Figure A-5

Table of Parks by Type

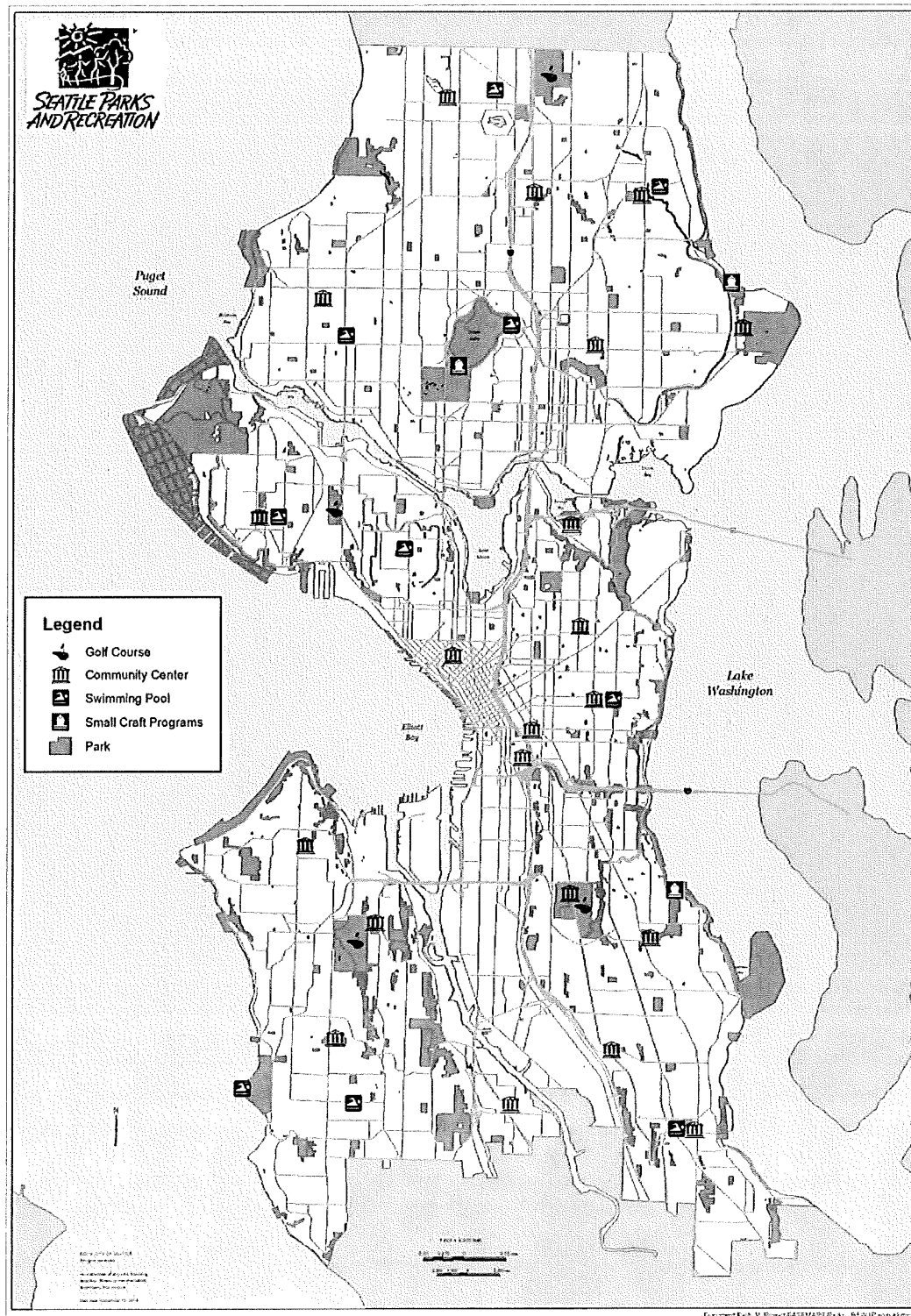
<u>Park Type</u>	<u>Size of Facility</u>
<u>Boulevards/Green Streets/Greenways</u>	<u>348 acres</u>
<u>Community Parks</u>	<u>606 acres</u>
<u>Downtown Parks</u>	<u>23 acres</u>
<u>Greenbelts/Natural Areas</u>	<u>1,285 acres</u>

<u>Park Type</u>	<u>Size of Facility</u>
<u>Mini Parks/Pocket Parks</u>	<u>58 acres</u>
<u>Neighborhood Parks</u>	<u>717 acres</u>
<u>Regional Parks/Large Urban Parks</u>	<u>1,446 acres</u>
<u>Special-Use Parks/Specialty Gardens</u>	<u>1,366 acres</u>

Capital Facilities Figure A-6
Table of Recreational Facilities by Type

<u>Number</u>	<u>Facility Type</u>
<u>26</u>	<u>Community Centers</u>
<u>10</u>	<u>Swimming pools, including 2 outdoor pools</u>
<u>32</u>	<u>Wading Pools and Spray Parks</u>
<u>1</u>	<u>Aquarium</u>
<u>1</u>	<u>Zoo, including 45 major exhibits, 145 buildings and structures on 92 acres</u>
<u>1</u>	<u>Stadium</u>
<u>1</u>	<u>Indoor tennis center</u>
<u>144</u>	<u>Outdoor tennis courts, 17 of which have lighting, plus two multi-use courts for dodgeball, bike polo and roller hockey</u>
<u>207</u>	<u>Athletic fields, including 19 sites with synthetic fields and lighting</u>
<u>11</u>	<u>Skateparks, comprised of district parks, skatespots and skatedots</u>
<u>4</u>	<u>Golf courses, including 3 driving ranges and 1 pitch/putt facility</u>
<u>2</u>	<u>Rowing, Sailing, and Small Craft Centers</u>
<u>4</u>	<u>Environmental Learning Centers</u>
<u>6</u>	<u>Performing and visual art facilities</u>
<u>54</u>	<u>Landmarked buildings (there is some overlap with other categories, since this category includes some Community Centers, the Asian Art Museum, concessions, a bathhouse and other structures)</u>
<u>118</u>	<u>Comfort stations</u>
<u>40</u>	<u>Rentable Picnic shelters</u>
<u>20</u>	<u>Administrative offices and headquarters</u>
<u>2</u>	<u>Museums</u>
<u>5</u>	<u>Amphitheaters</u>
<u>90</u>	<u>Miscellaneous – storage, maintenance, warehouses</u>

Capital Facilities Figure A-7
Map of Parks and Recreation Facilities



forecast of future needs

The City of Seattle has a robust citywide park system which is available and accessible for use by all of the City's residents. To enhance Seattle's quality of life, the City seeks to add parks and open space to the City's system as additional amenities for all of the City's residents. To that end, the City continues to fund Park's acquisition with the primary goals of:

1. pursuing usable open space acquisition in areas where the acreage and distribution of parks is lowest on a per capita basis. These are mostly found within urban centers and villages; and
2. acquiring properties that can complete or expand existing parks.

Parks acquisitions are opportunity-driven, but are informed by UV 46 and Urban Village Appendix Figures A-1 and A-2. Additions to the park facilities would enhance the City's quality of life. However, such additions are not necessary to accommodate new households in urban centers or citywide.

Planned investments in the maintenance of existing facilities are provided in the Capital Improvement Program and are updated on an annual basis according to asset management priorities and available funds.

D. General Government

inventory

The Department of Finance and Administrative Services provides facility management and planning for general government facilities. These facilities include vehicle repair shops, office space, warehouses, communication facilities, social services facilities, and the animal shelter. The City also owns property which is leased to social service organizations. Capital Facilities Figures A-8 and A-9 inventory existing General Government capital facilities.

planning goals

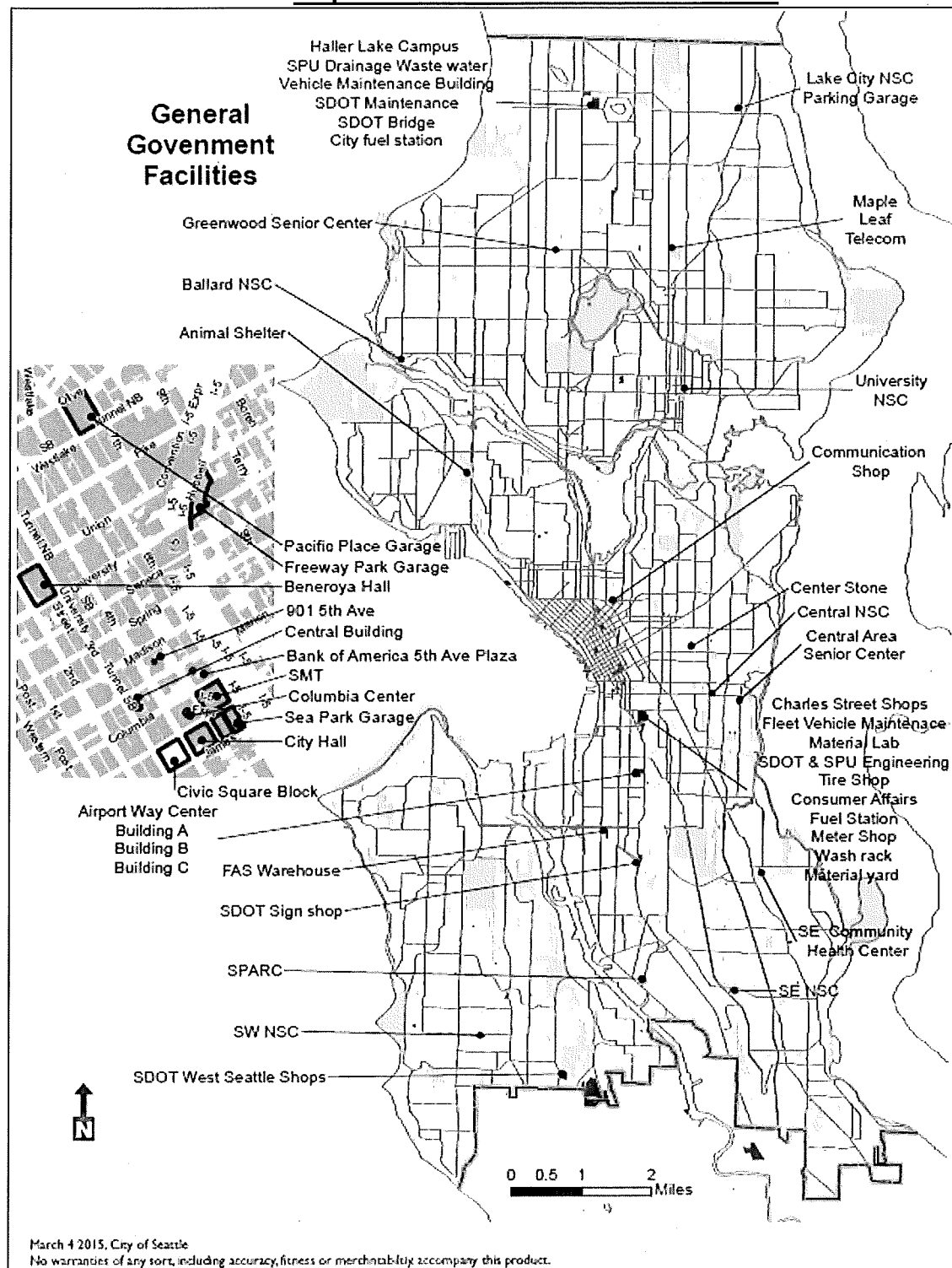
The City does not have general planning goals for general government facilities, which are instead driven by the needs of specific departments and programs. These governmental facilities are not related or necessary for future growth. The City plans for asset preservation through a capital maintenance program. Minor and major capital facility projects are programed in the City's six year Capital improvement program.

forecast of future needs

The Department of Finance and Administrative Services Department has identified a need for expanded facilities that support vehicle maintenance and department operations over the 20 year planning horizon. Additional warehouse and office space may be needed as the City grows, however, this need will be driven primarily by budget revenue and departmental priorities. Additional space needs can be accommodated through leasing as well as building new space. General facilities that support citywide

functions such as the Animal Shelter and Consumer Affairs are in need of new and expanded facilities to enhance the quality of life in the community.

Capital Facilities Figure A-8 Map of General Government Facilities



**Capital Facilities Figure A-9
 Table of General Government Facilities**

<u>Facility Name</u>	<u>Year Built/ update d</u>	<u>Size in square feet</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Area Served</u>	<u>Address</u>
<u>SMT Municipal Tower</u>	<u>1989</u>	<u>1,223,577</u>	<u>Seattle Municipal Tower</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>700 5th Ave.</u>
<u>SMT \</u> <u>Parking Garage</u>	<u>1989</u>	<u>193,891</u>	<u>Municipal Tower Parking</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>700 5th Ave.</u>
<u>City Hall</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>153,502</u>	<u>Council, Mayor, and City Attorney offices</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>600 4th Ave.</u>
<u>Sea Park Garage</u>	<u>1993</u>	<u>213,346</u>	<u>Parking garage for City Campus</u>	<u>Downtown</u>	<u>609 6th Ave.</u>
<u>Leased Office</u>		<u>9,294</u>	<u>Columbia Center</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>400 4th Ave.</u>
<u>Leased Office</u>		<u>28,523</u>	<u>Central Building</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>810 3rd Ave.</u>
<u>Leased Office</u>		<u>42,578</u>	<u>Bank of America Building 5th Ave Plaza</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>800 5th Ave.</u>
<u>Leased Office</u>		<u>28,721</u>	<u>901 5th Ave Building</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>901 5th Ave.</u>
<u>Leased Office</u>		<u>6,800</u>	<u>Pacific Building</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>720 3rd Ave.</u>
<u>FAS Warehouse</u>		<u>21,898</u>	<u>Records and surplus</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>3807 2nd Ave.</u>
<u>Airport Way Center Bldg. A</u>	<u>1944 1981</u>	<u>102,075</u>	<u>Office Building</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>2203 Airport Way S</u>
<u>Airport Way Center Bldg. B</u>	<u>1985</u>	<u>16,800</u>	<u>FAS shop space</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>2203 Airport Way S</u>
<u>Airport Way Center Bldg. D</u>	<u>1985</u>	<u>22,803</u>	<u>FAS paint shops</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>2203 Airport Way S</u>
<u>Seattle Animal Shelter</u>	<u>1981</u>	<u>1,567</u>	<u>Animal Shelter and spay and neuter clinic</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>2189 15th Ave. W</u>
<u>West Seattle Shops</u>	<u>1956</u>	<u>5,122</u>	<u>SDOT Street Maintenance</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>9200 8th Ave. SW</u>
	<u>1980</u>	<u>1,200</u>	<u>SDOT Urban Forestry trailer</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>9200 8th Ave. SW</u>

<u>Haller Lake Campus</u>	<u>1975</u>	<u>2,436</u>	<u>SPU Drainage Waste Water buildings</u>	<u>North</u>	<u>12600 Stone Ave. N</u>
	<u>1958</u>	<u>24,588</u>	<u>Vehicle Maintenance Building A</u>	<u>North</u>	<u>12555 Ashworth Ave. N</u>
	<u>1998</u>	<u>5,979</u>	<u>SPU Hazardous waste buildings</u>	<u>North</u>	<u>12550 Stone Ave. N</u>
	<u>1996</u>	<u>6,7250</u>	<u>SDOT Street Maintenance Building B</u>	<u>North</u>	<u>12599 Ashworth Ave. N</u>
	<u>1973</u>	<u>3,640</u>	<u>SDOT equipment storage</u>	<u>North</u>	<u>12535 Ashworth Ave. N</u>
	<u>1973</u>	<u>3,724</u>	<u>SDOT Bridge maintenance and paint shop buildings</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>1328 & 1324 N 125th St.</u>
	<u>1975</u>	<u>1,991</u>	<u>Fuel Station</u>	<u>North</u>	<u>12600 Stone Ave. N</u>
<u>Charles Street Campus</u>	<u>1950</u> <u>2008</u>	<u>67,356</u>	<u>Fleet Vehicle Maintenance</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>805 Charles St.</u>
	<u>1973</u>	<u>7,400</u>	<u>Materials Testing Lab (SPU)</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>707 S Plummer</u>
	<u>1974</u>	<u>21,315</u>	<u>SPU and SDOT Engineering</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>714 Charles St.</u>
	<u>1967</u>	<u>5,450</u>	<u>Fleet Tire Shop</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>814 8th Ave. S</u>
	<u>1950</u>	<u>1,624</u>	<u>Weights and Measures</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>805 Charles St.</u>
		<u>2,000</u>	<u>Equipment wash rack</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>1011 8th Ave. S</u>
	<u>1994</u>	<u>200</u>	<u>Fuel Station</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>1040 7th Ave. S</u>
	<u>1967</u>	<u>22,058</u>	<u>Meter Shop, Bridges</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>1010 8th Ave.</u>
	<u>1960</u>	<u>20,000</u>	<u>Material Yard</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>717 S Plummer St.</u>
	<u>1960</u>	<u>185,046</u>	<u>Yard and Parking</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>1099 S Airport Way</u>
<u>SDOT Sign shop</u>	<u>1960</u> <u>1970</u>	<u>45,036</u>	<u>SDOT Sign Shop</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>4200 Airport Way S</u>
<u>DOIT Com. Shop</u>	<u>1951</u>	<u>4,964</u>	<u>Communications Shop</u>	<u>Denny Triangle</u>	<u>1933 Minor Ave.</u>
<u>NE Telecom building</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>6,00</u>	<u>Communications building</u>	<u>Northeast</u>	<u>8526 Roosevelt Way NE</u>
<u>Ballard Service Center</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>3,100</u>	<u>Neighborhood Service Center</u>	<u>Ballard</u>	<u>5604 22nd Ave. NW</u>
<u>Lake City Service Center and garage</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>12,409</u>	<u>Neighborhood Service Center and parking garage</u>	<u>Lake City</u>	<u>12525 and 12509 28th Ave. NE</u>
<u>Central Service Center</u>	<u>1980</u>	<u>2,235</u>	<u>Central Area Service Center</u>	<u>Central</u>	<u>2301 S Jackson St.</u>

<u>SW Service Center</u>	<u>1975</u>	<u>400</u>	<u>Neighborhood Service Center</u>	<u>Junction</u>	<u>2801 SW Thistle St.</u>
<u>SE Service Center</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>1,500</u>	<u>SE Neighborhood Services Center</u>	<u>Southeast</u>	<u>3815 S Othello St.</u>
<u>University Service Center</u>		<u>1,400</u>	<u>University Neighborhood Service Center</u>	<u>University</u>	<u>4534 University</u>
<u>Pacific place Garage</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>526,850</u>	<u>Condo ownership of garage portion of Pacific Place</u>	<u>Downtown</u>	<u>600 Pine St.</u>
<u>Freeway Park Garage</u>	<u>1975</u>	<u>63,750</u>	<u>Leased to Washington State Convention Center</u>	<u>Downtown</u>	<u>609 9th Ave.</u>
<u>Central Area Senior Center</u>	<u>1959</u>	<u>9,478</u>	<u>Central Area Senior Center</u>	<u>Central</u>	<u>500 30th Ave. S</u>
<u>Greenwood Senior Center</u>	<u>1950</u>	<u>9,587</u>	<u>Green wood Senior center</u>	<u>Greenwood</u>	<u>525 N 85th St.</u>
<u>Northwest Senior Center</u>	<u>1950</u>	<u>8,400</u>	<u>Northwest Senior Center</u>	<u>Ballard</u>	<u>5431 32nd Ave. NW</u>
<u>Center Stone</u>	<u>1908</u>	<u>15,360</u>	<u>Lease to social services agency</u>	<u>Central</u>	<u>722 18th Ave.</u>
<u>SPARC</u>	<u>1919</u>	<u>5,848</u>	<u>South Park Community Center</u>	<u>South Park</u>	<u>8201 10th Ave. S</u>
<u>Benaroya Hall</u>			<u>Ground Lease</u>	<u>Citywide</u>	<u>200 University</u>

E. Public Library

inventory

The Seattle Public Library (SPL) operates the Central Downtown Library, 26 neighborhood libraries, and a fleet of four book mobiles. The State-funded Washington Talking Book and Braille Library (WTBBL) is also administered by the SPL. The SPL rents space for three of the facilities it does not own. Information on library facilities is shown in Capital Facilities Figures A-10 and A-11.

planning goals

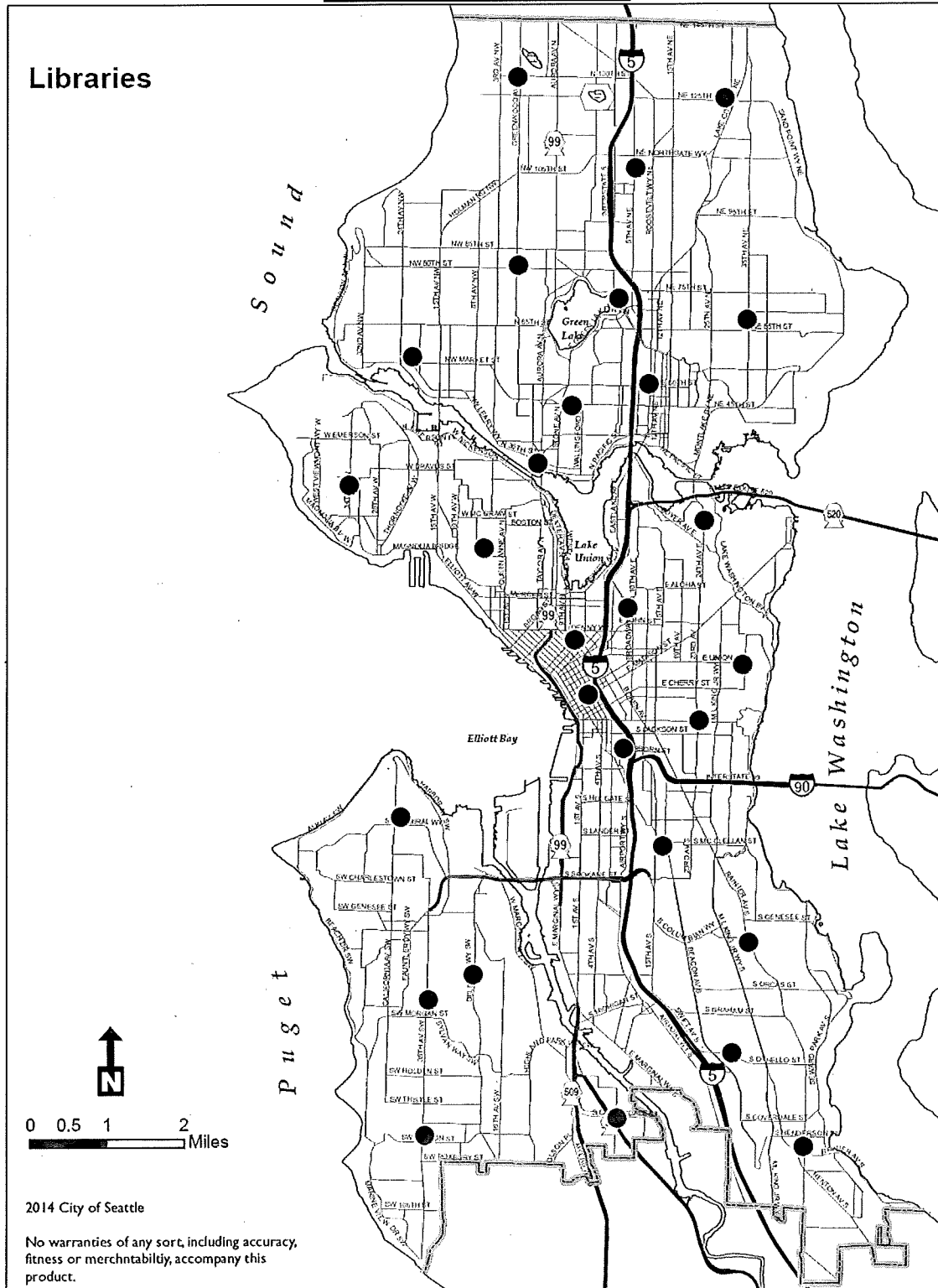
In 2009, SPL completed a decade of building renewal and expansion. The voter-approved "Libraries for All" capital program renovated or replaced all 22 branches that were in the system as of 1998, added four new branch libraries, and built the new Central Library. The expansion also allowed for an increase in the number of public access computers, large community meeting areas, and study rooms. The focus now shifts from buildings to services as was adopted in the 2011 Library Strategic Plan.

forecast of future needs

The Seattle Public Library will need maintenance and support facilities to support the existing library facilities.

Capital Facilities Figure A-10

Map of Library Facilities



Capital Facilities Figure A-11

Table of Library Facilities

<u>Branch Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Square footage</u>
<u>Ballard</u>	<u>5711 24th Ave. NW</u>	<u>7,296</u>
<u>Beacon Hill</u>	<u>2519 15th Ave. S</u>	<u>10,800</u>
<u>Broadview</u>	<u>12755 Greenwood Ave. N</u>	<u>8,405</u>
<u>Capitol Hill</u>	<u>425 Harvard Ave. E</u>	<u>11,615</u>
<u>Central</u>	<u>1000 4th Ave.</u>	<u>363,000</u>
<u>Columbia*</u>	<u>4721 Rainier Ave. S</u>	<u>12,420</u>
<u>Delridge</u>	<u>5423 Delridge Way SW</u>	<u>5,600</u>
<u>Douglass-Truth*</u>	<u>2300 E Yesler</u>	<u>8,008</u>
<u>Fremont*</u>	<u>731 N 35th St.</u>	<u>6,060</u>
<u>Green Lake*</u>	<u>7364 E Green Lake Dr. N</u>	<u>8,090</u>
<u>Greenwood</u>	<u>8016 Greenwood Ave. N</u>	<u>7,085</u>
<u>High Point</u>	<u>6302 35th Ave. SW</u>	<u>7,000</u>
<u>Lake City*</u>	<u>12501 28th Ave. NE</u>	<u>9,013</u>
<u>Madrona-Sally Goldmark‡</u>	<u>1134 33rd Ave.</u>	<u>1,701</u>
<u>Magnolia*</u>	<u>2801 34th Ave. W</u>	<u>5,859</u>
<u>Mobile Services</u>	<u>2025 9th Ave.</u>	<u>5,056</u>
<u>Montlake</u>	<u>2300 24th Ave. E</u>	<u>1,574</u>
<u>New Holly</u>	<u>7058 32nd Ave. S</u>	<u>4,000</u>
<u>Northeast*</u>	<u>6801 35th Ave. NE</u>	<u>15,000</u>
<u>Queen Anne*</u>	<u>400 W Garfield St.</u>	<u>7,931</u>
<u>Rainier Beach</u>	<u>9125 Rainier Ave. S</u>	<u>15,000</u>
<u>Southwest</u>	<u>9010 35th Ave. SW</u>	<u>7,557</u>
<u>University*</u>	<u>5009 Roosevelt Way NE</u>	<u>8,104</u>
<u>Wallingford</u>	<u>1501 N 45th St.</u>	<u>2,000</u>
<u>Wash. Talking Book and Braille Library‡</u>	<u>2021 9th Ave.</u>	<u>10,000</u>
<u>West Seattle*</u>	<u>2306 42nd Ave. SW</u>	<u>8,970</u>

*City of Seattle Landmark or located in City landmark/special review district

‡ City historic resource survey properties

F. Seattle Center

Inventory (see Figure A-12)

Seattle Center serves as an extraordinary arts, civic, and public family gathering place for our region, located on a 74-acre campus in the middle of the Seattle urban core. The more than 30 cultural, educational, sports and entertainment resident organizations at Seattle Center, together with a broad range of public and community programs, offer 5,000 events attracting 12 million visits each year. Seattle Center's Purpose is "to create exceptional events, experiences, and environments that delight and inspire the human spirit to build stronger communities". Activities at Seattle Center generate \$1.15 billion in business activity and \$387 million in labor income annually.

The Center is home to 12 theater spaces ranging in capacity from 200 seats in the Center Theatre to 2,900 at Marion Oliver McCaw Hall and totaling nearly 6,000 seats for theatrical performances. Sports facilities include the Key Arena with a capacity of 17,000 and Memorial Stadium with a capacity of 12,000 for field events. There are three schools on the campus – a ballet school, a school for 3-D animation and gaming, and a public high school. There are 10 fountains on the grounds and approximately 40 acres of landscaped and green open space and pedestrian ways. There are also active outdoor spaces, including a children's playground and a skate park. Seattle Center's outdoor open spaces, gardens, and fountains are a major urban oasis for active or passive and individual or group enjoyment.

The Center owns and manages two surface parking lots and three parking garages totaling more than 3,500 spaces. The Seattle Center is also served by multiple King County/METRO bus routes and also the Seattle Center Monorail which runs between downtown and Seattle Center. The Monorail carries more than 2 million riders a year over a 0.9 mile route.

Notable buildings and facilities on the Seattle Center campus include: Seattle Center Armory; Key Arena; the Space Needle; International Fountain; Chihuly Garden and Glass; Experience Music Project; Memorial Stadium; Pacific Science Center; KCTS; McCaw Hall; Phelps Center and Ballet School; Seattle Children's Theatre; Seattle Repertory Theatre; Cornish Playhouse ; Seattle Children's Museum; Fisher Pavilion; SIFF Film Center; The VERA Project; Pottery Northwest; the Northwest Rooms; Center Playground; Mercer Arena; and the Seattle Center Pavilion.

**Capital Facilities Figure A-12
 Table of Seattle Center Facilities**

<u>Facility</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Size in Square Feet</u>
<u>Armory (formerly Center House)</u>	<u>305 Harrison St.</u>	<u>278,500</u>
<u>Blue Spruce</u>	<u>158 Thomas St.</u>	<u>14,036</u>
<u>Central Plant</u>	<u>324 Republican St.</u>	<u>10,072</u>
<u>Chihuly Garden and Glass</u>	<u>305 Harrison St.</u>	<u>30,000</u>
<u>EMP</u>	<u>200 2nd Ave. N</u>	<u>283,324</u>
<u>Exhibition Hall</u>	<u>225 Mercer</u>	<u>52,000</u>
<u>Fifth Ave N Garage</u>	<u>516 Harrison St.</u>	<u>356,390</u>
<u>First Ave N Garage</u>	<u>220 First Ave. N</u>	<u>173,000</u>
<u>Fisher Pavilion</u>	<u>200 Thomas St.</u>	<u>21,018</u>
<u>International Fountain</u>		<u>122,000</u>
<u>International Fountain Pavilion</u>	<u>2nd Ave. N & Republican</u>	<u>4,681</u>
<u>KCTS</u>	<u>401 Mercer St.</u>	
<u>Key Arena</u>	<u>334 First Ave. N</u>	<u>368,000</u>
<u>Kobe Bellhouse</u>		<u>600</u>
<u>Maintenance Shop – Leased (5.5 Building)</u>	<u>621 2nd Ave. N</u>	<u>30,720</u>
<u>Marion Oliver McCaw Hall</u>	<u>321 Mercer St.</u>	<u>295,000</u>
<u>Memorial Stadium</u>		<u>238,920</u>
<u>Memorial Stadium Parking Lot</u>		<u>101,489</u>
<u>Mercer Arena</u>	<u>363 Mercer St.</u>	<u>108,000</u>
<u>Mercer Street Garage</u>	<u>300 Mercer St.</u>	<u>511,424</u>
<u>Monorail Office and Gift Shop</u>	<u>370 Thomas St.</u>	<u>4,592</u>
<u>Monorail Terminal</u>		<u>19,563</u>
<u>Mural Stage</u>		<u>3,200</u>
<u>NASA Building</u>	<u>102 Thomas St.</u>	<u>8,400</u>
<u>Next 50 Pavilion</u>		<u>5,285</u>
<u>Northwest Rooms</u>	<u>354 First Ave. N</u>	<u>35,240</u>
<u>Pacific Science Center</u>		<u>141,681</u>
<u>Park Place</u>	<u>232 First Ave. N</u>	<u>7,200</u>
<u>Phelps Center/Pacific NW Ballet</u>	<u>225 Mercer St.</u>	<u>49,680</u>
<u>Playhouse Theatre (w/out courtyard)</u>	<u>201 Mercer St.</u>	<u>33,424</u>
<u>Playhouse Theatre Rehearsal Hall</u>		<u>4,333</u>
<u>Pottery Northwest</u>	<u>226 First Ave. N</u>	<u>7,200</u>
<u>Restroom Pavilion</u>	<u>303 2nd Ave. N.</u>	<u>1,219</u>
<u>Seattle Center Pavilion</u>		<u>7,580</u>
<u>Seattle Center Skatepark</u>		<u>18,825</u>
<u>Seattle Center Warehouse (under N. Stadium Stands)</u>	<u>369 Republican St.</u>	<u>20,774</u>
<u>Seattle Children's Theatre</u>	<u>240 Thomas St.</u>	<u>46,300</u>

<u>Facility</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Size in Square Feet</u>
<u>Seattle Children's Theatre Tech Pavilion</u>		<u>29,112</u>
<u>Seattle Repertory Theatre</u>	<u>151 Mercer St.</u>	<u>65,000</u>
<u>SIFF (Seattle International Film Festival)</u>		<u>11,776</u>
<u>Space Needle</u>		<u>4,400</u>
<u>VERA</u>		<u>9,536</u>
<u>West Court Building</u>	<u>312 First Ave. North</u>	<u>10,596</u>

G. Public Schools

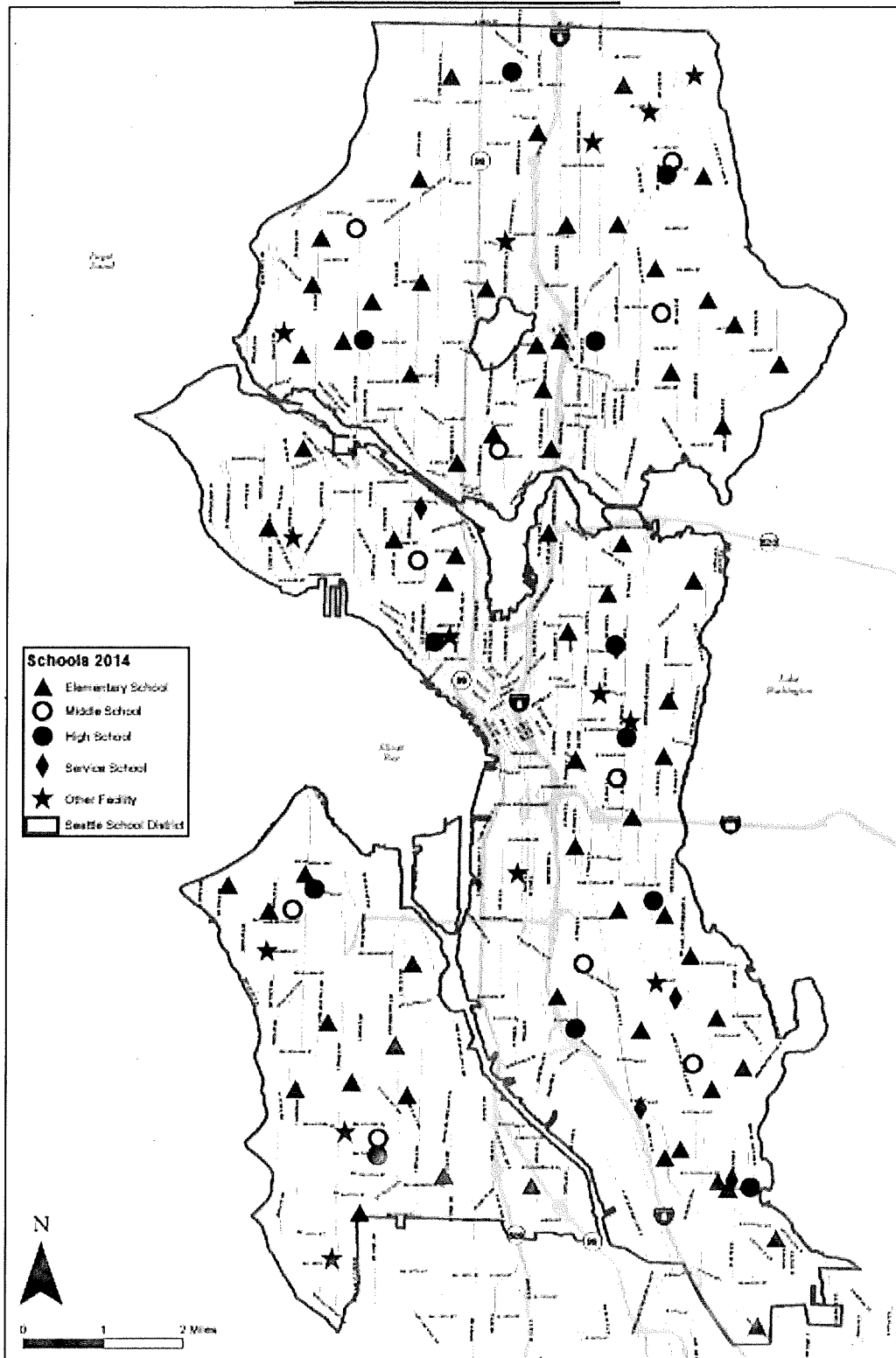
inventory

Seattle Public Schools include 12 high schools, 9 middle schools, 10 K-8 schools, and 57 elementary schools. In addition, Seattle Public Schools has a number of closed or vacated schools sites that could potentially be reactivated as well as various athletic, administrative, and support buildings. All in all, the District owns 119 schools and sites. School locations are shown in Capital Facilities Figure A-14.

planning goals

Capital Facility planning is driven by projected student population as well as curriculum goals, educational specification (including class room size and types of room facilities need), and the need for facilities to address specialized needs of specific students and administration of the district overall. The goals are detailed in the Seattle Public School's Facilities Master Plan which is updated periodically (most recently in 2012) and has a ten year time horizon.

Capital Facilities Figure A-13
Public School Locations



forecast of future needs

The School District's Facilities Master Plan (FMP) provides planning information for a period of 10 years, to school year 2021 including detailed analysis of needs by individual school service area. Overall, student enrollment is projected to grow to over 57,000 students by 2022. This would exceed the estimated 2012 capacity of approximately 51,700.

The Building Excellence (BEX) IV levy provides the funding necessary to address existing capacity needs through 2021. It includes the following projects, which along with portable classrooms, are anticipated to accommodate the projected students population:

- Fairmount Park Elementary improvements
- Schmitz Park Elementary replacement
- North East School development (new school)
- Jane Addams K-8 replacement
- Olympic Hills Elementary replacement
- Wilson Pacific K-8 development (new school)
- Loyal Heights Elementary addition
- Arbor Heights Elementary replacement
- Queen Anne Elementary addition
- Wing Luke Elementary replacement
- Bagley Elementary addition
- Meany Middle reconfiguration
- Mann High addition
- World School modernization
- Lincoln High modernization
- Interim downtown elementary school
- Support of various interim schools

Seattle Public Schools does not forecast student populations beyond a 10-year horizon due to the challenges of predicting demographic trends over a longer period and the historic lack of relationship between population and employment numbers and student population (since 1960 the student population has fallen by half while overall population and employment have grown).

The Seattle Public School District is currently planning for their BEX V levy, which is planned to start in 2021 and run for 6 years. This levy will seek to make investments to ensure that sufficient capacity is available in the future.

H. Public Health

Public Health – Seattle & King County (Public Health) is a joint enterprise of the City of Seattle and King County and is responsible for the supervision and control of all public health and sanitation affairs in Seattle and King County. Public Health maintains a system of personal health, environmental health, health promotion, and disease prevention services through health centers/clinics and other service sites located in Seattle. The capacity and ownership of individual facilities are listed below.

Capital Facilities Figure A-14

Table of Public Health Facilities

<u>Health Facility</u>	<u>Size in Square Feet</u>	<u>Tenancy</u>
<u>Chinook Building (Administration)</u>	<u>114,839</u>	<u>Owned</u>
<u>Columbia Health Center</u>	<u>28,094</u>	<u>Owned</u>
<u>Downtown Clinic</u>	<u>25,497</u>	<u>Lease</u>
<u>Harborview: STD Clinic</u>	<u>13,197</u>	<u>Owned by King County</u>
<u>Harborview: Medical Examiner</u>	<u>34,147</u>	<u>Owned by King County</u>
<u>Harborview: Public Health Laboratory</u>	<u>5,003</u>	<u>Owned by King County</u>
<u>Harborview: TB Clinic</u>	<u>4,205</u>	<u>Owned by King County</u>
<u>Lake City Dental Clinic</u>	<u>3,370</u>	<u>Lease</u>
<u>North District Health Center*</u>	<u>16,067</u>	<u>Owned by King County</u>
<u>Rainier Beach Teen Clinic</u>	<u>800</u>	<u>Lease</u>

* Scheduled for demolition in 2016

I Facilities Serving Urban Centers

Following is an inventory of facilities that serve Urban Centers. Facilities do not have to be located within the boundaries or potential boundaries of the Centers or Villages in order to serve those areas.

Downtown Urban Center

<u>Facility Type</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>
<u>Fire Station</u>	<u>Headquarters</u>	<u>301 2nd Ave. S</u>
<u>Fire Station</u>	<u>Fire Station 5</u>	<u>925 Alaskan Way</u>
<u>Fire Station</u>	<u>Fire Station 2</u>	<u>2334 4th Ave.</u>
<u>Fire Station</u>	<u>Fire Station 25</u>	<u>1300 E Pine St.</u>
<u>Police Station</u>	<u>East Precinct</u>	<u>1519 12th Ave.</u>
<u>Library</u>	<u>Central Library</u>	<u>1000 4th Ave.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Alaskan Way Blvd</u>	<u>Alaskan Way Blvd.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Bell Street Boulevard</u>	<u>Bell Street Blvd. from 1st Ave. to 5th Ave.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Belltown Cottages</u>	<u>2520 Elliott Ave.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Boren-Pike-Pine Park</u>	<u>Boren Ave. & Pike St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>City Hall Park</u>	<u>450 3rd Ave.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Denny Park</u>	<u>100 Dexter Ave.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Denny Playfield</u>	<u>Westlake Ave. & Denny Way</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Dr. Jose Rizal Park</u>	<u>1008 12th Ave. S</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>East Duwamish Greenbelt</u>	<u>2799 12th Ave. S</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Freeway Park</u>	<u>700 Seneca St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Harborview Park</u>	<u>778 Alder St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Hing Hay Park</u>	<u>423 Maynard Ave. S</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>International Children's Park</u>	<u>700 S Lane St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Kobe Terrace</u>	<u>221 6th Ave. S</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>McGraw Square</u>	<u>Stewart St. & Westlake Ave. N</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Myrtle Edwards Park</u>	<u>3130 Alaskan Way W</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Occidental Square</u>	<u>Occidental Ave. S & S Main St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Plymouth Pillars Park</u>	<u>Boren Ave. & Pike St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Piers 62 and 63</u>	<u>1951 Alaska Way</u>

<u>Facility Type</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Pioneer Square</u>	<u>100 Yesler Way</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Prefontaine Place</u>	<u>3rd Ave. & Yesler Way</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Regrade Park</u>	<u>2251 3rd Ave.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Seattle Aquarium</u>	<u>Pier 59</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Seattle Center</u>	<u>Denny Way and Republican St. from 1st Ave. N to 5th Ave. N</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Sturgus Park</u>	<u>904 Sturgus Ave. S</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Tillicum Place</u>	<u>5th Ave. & Denny Way</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Union Station Square</u>	<u>Jackson & 3rd Ave. S</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Victor Steinbrueck Park</u>	<u>2001 Western Ave.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Waterfront Park</u>	<u>1301 Alaskan Way</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Westlake Park</u>	<u>401 Pine St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Westlake Square</u>	<u>1900 Westlake Ave. N</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Yesler Terrace Community Center grounds</u>	<u>Yesler Way and Broadway Ave.</u>
<u>Schools</u>	<u>Gatzert and Lowell Elementary Schools</u>	
	<u>McClure and Washington Middle Schools</u>	
	<u>Garfield High School</u>	

Overall, fire, police, library facilities, parks and schools are sufficient to accommodate expected 20 year growth.

A replacement of the Fire Department's headquarters building is expected for reasons other than as a result of development (the SFD headquarters is located in the urban center).

The City may seek to increase park space in the urban center to meet desired goals. While additions to the park facilities would enhance the City's quality of life, such additions are not necessary to accommodate new households in urban centers or citywide.

Some of the schools serving this urban center are projected to exceed their capacity, given existing attendance area boundaries. Given that Seattle Public Schools has planned investments to meet citywide capacity needs, capacity issues could potentially be solved by modifying attendance area boundaries or allowing more students to transfer to other schools. Seattle Public Schools is also evaluating the creation of a

downtown elementary school. This school could help create a local school option as well as assist with capacity issues.

First Hill/Capitol Hill Urban Center

<u>Facility Type</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>
<u>Fire Station</u>	<u>Fire Station 25</u>	<u>1300 E Pine St.</u>
<u>Fire Station</u>	<u>Fire Station 10</u>	<u>301 2nd Ave. S</u>
<u>Fire Station</u>	<u>Fire Station 22</u>	<u>901 E Roanoke St.</u>
<u>Fire Station</u>	<u>Fire Station 6</u>	<u>101 23rd Ave. S</u>
<u>Library</u>	<u>Capitol Hill Branch</u>	<u>425 Harvard Ave. E</u>
<u>Library</u>	<u>Central Library</u>	<u>1000 4th Ave.</u>
<u>Library</u>	<u>Douglass Truth Branch</u>	<u>2300 E Yesler Way</u>
<u>Community Center</u>	<u>Yesler Playfield & Community Center</u>	<u>903 Yesler Way</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>12th and E James Court Park</u>	<u>12th Ave. and E James St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Bellevue Place</u>	<u>Bellevue Pl. E & Bellevue Ave. E</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Belmont Place</u>	<u>Belmont Pl. E & Belmont Ave. E</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Boren Place</u>	<u>Broadway & Boren Ave. S</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Boren-Pike-Pine Park</u>	<u>Boren Ave. & Pike St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Boylston Place</u>	<u>Broadway Ave. & Boylston Ave. E</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Cal Anderson Park</u>	<u>1635 11th Ave.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Federal & Republican</u>	<u>Federal Ave. & Republican St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>First Hill Park</u>	<u>University St. & Minor Ave. E</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Freeway Park</u>	<u>700 Seneca St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Harborview Park</u>	<u>778 Alder St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Horiuchi Park</u>	<u>156 Boren Ave.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Kobe Terrace</u>	<u>221 6th Ave. S</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>McGilvra Place</u>	<u>E Madison St. & Pike St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Miller Playfield</u>	<u>400 19th Ave. E</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Plymouth Pillars</u>	<u>Boren Ave. & Pike St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Seven Hills</u>	<u>1514 E Howell St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Spring Street Mini Park</u>	<u>E Spring St. & 15th Ave.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Spruce & Squire Park</u>	<u>156 Boren Ave.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Summit Place</u>	<u>Belmont Ave. E & Bellevue Pl. E</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Tashkent Park</u>	<u>511 Boylston Ave.</u>

<u>Facility Type</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Thomas Street Mini Park</u>	<u>306 Bellevue Ave. E</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Volunteer Park</u>	<u>1247 15th Ave. E</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Volunteer Parkway</u>	<u>14th Ave. E from E Prospect St. to E Roy St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Williams Place</u>	<u>15th Ave. E & E John St.</u>
<u>Police Station</u>	<u>East Precinct</u>	<u>1519 12th Ave.</u>
<u>Schools</u>	<u>Gatzert, Lowell, Madrona, and Stevens Elementary Schools</u>	
	<u>Meany and Washington Middle Schools</u>	
	<u>Garfield High School</u>	

Overall, fire, police, library facilities, parks and schools are sufficient to accommodate expected 20 year growth.

The City may seek to increase park space in the urban center to meet desired goals. While additions to the park facilities would enhance the City's quality of life, such additions are not necessary to accommodate new households in urban centers or citywide.

Some of the schools serving this urban center are projected to exceed their capacity, given existing attendance area boundaries. Meany Middle School is proposed to be reconfigured to accommodate more students. Given that Seattle Public Schools has planned investments to meet citywide capacity needs, capacity issues could potentially be solved by the Meany reconfiguration and modifying attendance area boundaries or allowing more students to transfer to other schools. Seattle Public Schools is also evaluating the creation of a downtown elementary school. This school could help create a local school option as well as assisting with capacity issues.

University Community Urban Center

<u>Facility Type</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>
<u>Fire Station</u>	<u>SFD 17</u>	<u>1050 NE 50th St.</u>
<u>Fire Station</u>	<u>SFD 38</u>	<u>5503 33rd Ave. NE</u>
<u>Library</u>	<u>Northeast Branch</u>	<u>6801 35th Ave. NE</u>
<u>Library</u>	<u>University Branch</u>	<u>5009 Roosevelt Way NE</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>17th Ave NE Centerstrip</u>	<u>17th Ave. NE from NE 45th St. to NE Ravenna Blvd.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Burke-Gilman Trail</u>	<u>8th Ave. NW to NE 145th St.</u>

<u>Facility Type</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Christie Park</u>	<u>NE 43rd St. & 9th Ave. NE</u>
	<u>Cowen Park</u>	<u>5849 15th Ave. NE</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>North Passage Point Park</u>	<u>600 NE Northlake Way</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Ravenna Boulevard</u>	<u>NE Ravenna Blvd. from E Green Lake Way N to 20th Ave. NE</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Ravenna Park</u>	<u>5520 Ravenna Ave. NE</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>University Heights</u>	<u>University Way NE and NE 50th St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>University Playground</u>	<u>9th Ave. NE & NE 50th St.</u>
<u>Police Station</u>	<u>North Precinct</u>	<u>10049 College Way N</u>
<u>Schools</u>	<u>Greenlake and Bryant Elementary Schools</u>	
	<u>Eckstein and Hamilton Middle Schools</u>	
	<u>Roosevelt High School</u>	

Overall, fire, police, library facilities, parks and schools are sufficient to accommodate expected 20 year growth. Construction of a new north precinct is planned to deal with existing overcrowding.

Some of the schools serving this urban center are projected to exceed their capacity given existing attendance area boundaries. Given that Seattle Public Schools has planned investments to meet citywide capacity needs, capacity issues could potentially be solved by modifying attendance area boundaries or allowing more students to transfer to other schools.

Northgate Urban Center

<u>Facility Type</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>
<u>Fire Station</u>	<u>Fire Station 31</u>	<u>1319 N Northgate Way</u>
<u>Police Station</u>	<u>North Precinct</u>	<u>10049 College Way N</u>
<u>Schools</u>	<u>Olympic View Elementary</u>	
	<u>Jane Addams Middle School</u>	
	<u>Nathan Hale High School</u>	
<u>Library</u>	<u>Lake City Branch</u>	<u>12501 28th Ave. NE</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Hubbard Homestead Park</u>	<u>11203 5th Ave. NE</u>

<u>Parks</u>	<u>Mineral Springs Park</u>	<u>10556 Meridian Ave. N</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Northgate Park</u>	<u>10510 5th Ave. NE</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Thornton Creek Park #6</u>	<u>5th Ave. NE & NE 103rd St. & Roosevelt Way NE & NE 107th St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Victory Creek Park</u>	<u>1059 Northgate Way</u>

Overall, fire, police, library facilities, parks and schools are sufficient to accommodate expected 20 year growth. Construction of a new north precinct is planned to deal with existing overcrowding.

Some of the schools serving this urban center are projected to exceed their capacity given existing attendance area boundaries. Seattle Public Schools is developing a new Wilson Pacific Elementary school nearby this area. While the school is not planned to serve this urban center directly, its development will directly increase local capacity. Given that Seattle Public Schools has planned investments to meet citywide capacity needs, capacity issues could potentially be solved by modifying attendance area boundaries or allowing more students to transfer to other schools.

South Lake Union Urban Center

<u>Facility Type</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>
<u>Fire Station</u>	<u>Fire Station 2</u>	<u>2334 4th Ave.</u>
<u>Fire Station</u>	<u>Fire Station 22</u>	<u>901 E Roanoke St.</u>
<u>Police Station</u>	<u>East Precinct</u>	<u>1519 12th Ave.</u>
<u>Police Station</u>	<u>West Precinct</u>	<u>810 Virginia St.</u>
<u>Library</u>	<u>Capitol Hill Branch</u>	<u>425 Harvard Ave. E</u>
<u>Library</u>	<u>Central Library</u>	<u>1000 4th Ave.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Cascade Playground</u>	<u>333 Pontius Ave. N</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Denny Park</u>	<u>Westlake Ave. & Denny Way</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Denny Playfield</u>	<u>Westlake Ave. & Denny Way</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Eastlake Triangle</u>	<u>Eastlake Ave. E & E Prospect St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Fairview Walkway</u>	<u>Fairview Ave. N & E Galer St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>South Lake Union Parks</u>	<u>1000 Valley St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Bellevue Place</u>	<u>Bellevue Pl. E & Bellevue</u>

		<u>Ave. E</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>NE Queen Anne Greenbelt</u>	<u>1920 Taylor Ave. N</u>
<u>Schools</u>	<u>Lowell Elementary School</u>	
	<u>McClure Middle School</u>	
	<u>Garfield and Ballard High Schools</u>	

Overall, fire, police, library facilities, parks and schools are sufficient to accommodate expected 20 year growth. To support the SFD's desired goal of timely emergency response in all areas of the city, a new South Lake Union fire station is needed under existing conditions.

Some of the schools serving this urban center are projected to exceed their capacity given existing attendance area boundaries. Given that Seattle Public Schools has planned investments to meet citywide capacity needs, capacity issues could potentially be solved by modifying attendance area boundaries or allowing more students to transfer to other schools. Seattle Public Schools is also evaluating the creation of a downtown elementary school. This school could help create a local school option as well as assisting with capacity issues.

Uptown Urban Center

<u>Facility Type</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>
<u>Fire Station</u>	<u>Fire Station 8</u>	<u>110 Lee St.</u>
<u>Fire Station</u>	<u>Fire Station 2</u>	<u>2334 4th Ave.</u>
<u>Police Station</u>	<u>West Precinct</u>	<u>810 Virginia St.</u>
<u>Library</u>	<u>Queen Anne Branch</u>	<u>400 W Garfield</u>
<u>Library</u>	<u>Central Library</u>	<u>1000 4th Ave.</u>
<u>Community Center</u>	<u>Queen Anne Community Center</u>	<u>1901 1st Ave. W</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Alaskan Way Blvd</u>	<u>Alaskan Way Blvd</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Counterbalance Park</u>	<u>Queen Anne Ave. N & Roy St.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Elliot Bay Park</u>	<u>Pier 86</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Kinnear Park</u>	<u>899 W Olympic Pl.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Bhy Kracke</u>	<u>1215 5th Ave. N</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Kerry Park</u>	<u>211 W Highland Dr.</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Myrtle Edwards Park</u>	<u>3130 Alaskan Way W</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Northeast Queen Anne</u>	<u>1920 Taylor Ave. N</u>

	<u>Greenbelt</u>	
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Seattle Center</u>	<u>Denny Way and Republican St. from 1st Ave. N to 5th Ave. N</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>SW Queen Anne Greenbelt</u>	<u>W Howe St. & 12th Ave. W</u>
<u>Parks</u>	<u>Ward Springs Park</u>	<u>Ward St. & 4th Ave. N</u>
<u>Schools</u>	<u>Hay Elementary School</u>	
	<u>McClure Middle School</u>	
	<u>Ballard High School</u>	

Overall, fire, police, library facilities, parks and schools are sufficient to accommodate expected 20 year growth.

Some of the schools serving this urban center are projected to exceed their capacity given existing attendance area boundaries. Given that Seattle Public Schools has planned investments to meet citywide capacity needs, capacity issues could potentially be solved by modifying attendance area boundaries or allowing more students to transfer to other schools. Seattle Public Schools is also evaluating the creation of a downtown elementary school. This school could help create a local school option as well as assisting with capacity issues.

J. Potential Future Discretionary Projects

Besides the facilities that are included in the City's Capital Improvement Program (CIP), there are a number of prospective capital projects that the City might undertake or fund in the future. They are listed below to provide a broad view of the City's potential future capital spending. Projects are not listed in any priority order. Funding for these projects may not yet be identified and decisions may not yet have been made to go forward with funding these projects.

fire:

South Lake Union Fire Station development

Freshwater Marine Station relocation

Fire Administration Building relocation

Fire Marshall's Office relocation

Warehouse Space replacement

Training Facilities expansion

police

North Police Precinct replacement

Harbor Patrol Building replacement

Parking Enforcement facilities

Police Training Center

Municipal Correctional Facility

Airport Way Center parking expansion

general facilities

City building maintenance facilities upgrades

City vehicle maintenance facilities replacement

Animal Shelter replacement

Weights and Measures building replacement

Communications Shop relocation

Consumer Protection Division facility upgrades

Office space consolidation

Social Services facilities

Civic Square development

Energy efficiency improvements

Urban Forestry facilities expansion

Roadway Structures facility consolidation

Street Maintenance facility improvements

Streetcar Maintenance facility improvements

King Street Station improvements

BNSF property acquisition at SDOT sign shop

Material storage facilities

Seattle Center

Blue Spruce site redevelopment

Memorial Stadium relocation*

Memorial Stadium site redevelopment

Key Arena enhancement

North Parking Lots redevelopment

parks

Seattle Aquarium Master Plan implementation

Washington Park Arboretum improvements

Downtown parks improvements

Warren G Magnuson Park building and site improvements

Seattle Park District implementation

Regional and Neighborhood park improvements

Waterfront improvements

library

Facility shops relocation

At the time of publication, projects with an * are owned or sponsored by another government agency or private organization. The City might participate in funding these projects.

Attachment 14 Utilities Appendix

Utilities Appendix

~~((A—Inventory of City Utilities, Capacity Information & Future Facility Needs~~

~~Seattle City Light~~

~~Seattle City Light (SCL) is the City-owned electric utility serving approximately 131 square miles, including all of Seattle and some portions of King County north and south of Seattle city limits.~~

~~Seattle City Light: inventory~~

~~SCL generates between 56 percent and 75 percent of the energy that it sells to retail customers from its own facilities. This percent share varies with water conditions because all SCL-owned resources are hydroelectric. The largest facilities are the Boundary Project, on the Pend Oreille River in northeast Washington, and the Skagit Project, which consists of three hydroelectric dams (Ross, Diablo and Gorge) on the Skagit River. The Newhalem Hydroelectric Plant, located on Newhalem Creek, was built in 1921 to supply power to the Skagit Project. It was modernized in 1970 and produces a small amount of energy. The Cedar Falls Dam on the Cedar River and the South Fork Tolt Dam on the South Fork Tolt River are also smaller generating facilities owned by SCL. In addition to these power sources, SCL purchases power from the Bonneville Power Administration (BPA), including firm amounts under the Block Product and a share in the output from the Federal System (Slice Product), which depends on water conditions. SCL also holds firm power purchase contracts with a number of other suppliers in the Pacific Northwest. These contracts include power generated from hydroelectric sources, including a combined-cycle combustion turbine (Klamath Falls in Oregon) and a share in the State Line Wind Project located in Southeast Washington and Northeast Oregon. (See Utilities Figure A-1.)~~

~~SCL owns and maintains approximately 657 miles of transmission lines which carry power from the Skagit and Cedar Falls generating facilities to 14 principal substations. SCL is dependent on other transmission line owners, i.e., the Bonneville Power Administration (BPA), to bring power from its Boundary Dam hydroelectric plant and from other contracted resources, to serve its load in Seattle. The transmission grid interconnection with other utilities also provides additional reliability to meet load requirements. Power is distributed from SCL's principal substations via high voltage feeder lines to numerous smaller distribution substations and pole transformers which reduce voltage to required levels for customers. SCL owns and maintains 2,428 circuit miles of distribution lines within Seattle that deliver power from the 14 principal substations to approximately 365,200 customers. (See Utilities Figure A-2).~~

~~Seattle City Light: existing capacity~~

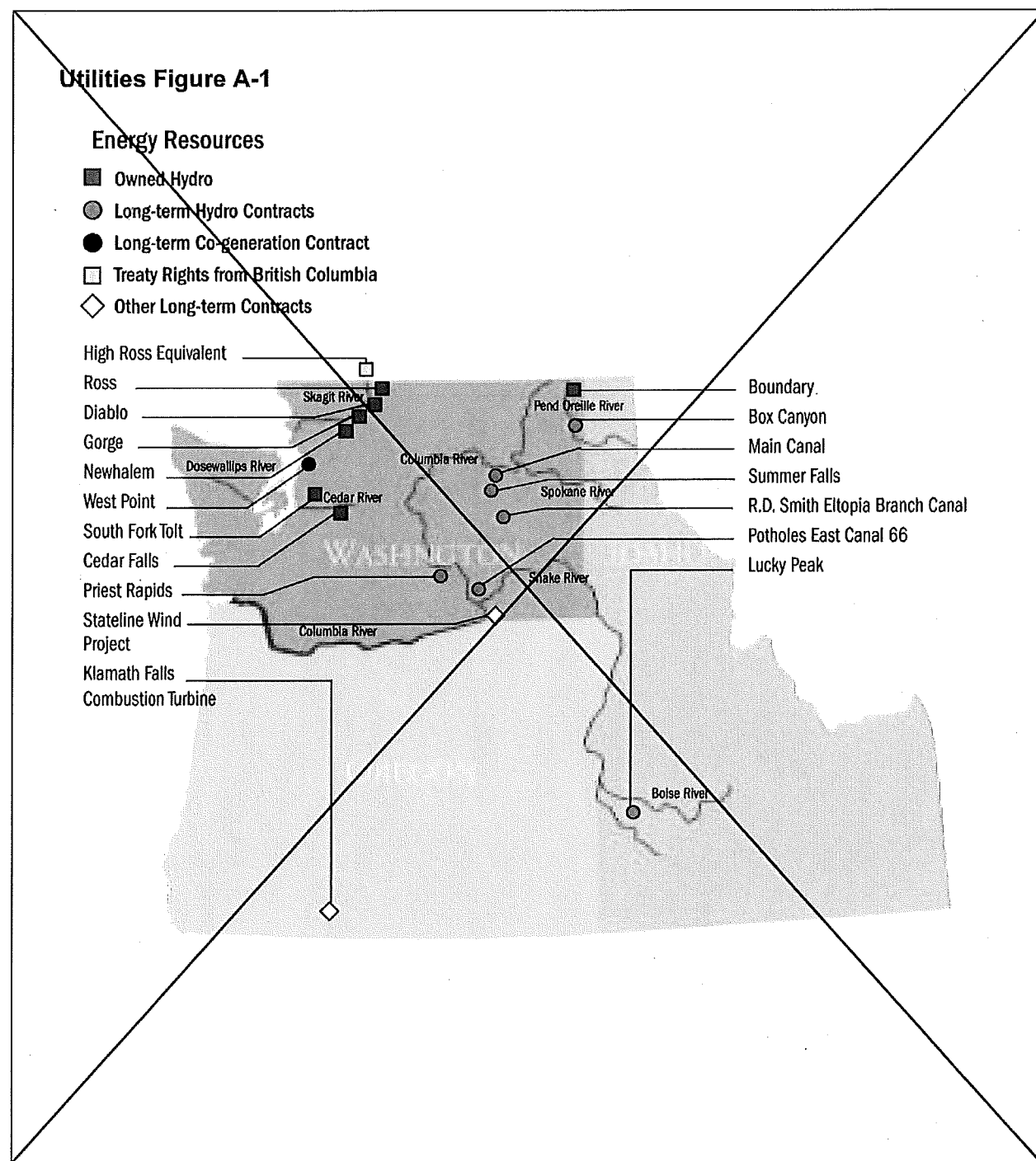
~~SCL's current generation capability (owned and contracted) is adequate to serve existing customers. Because of the nature of City Light's hydroelectric system, the utility is not presently constrained by its ability to meet peak loads (typically referred to as capacity). At times, the system may be constrained in its ability to carry load over periods of heavy load hours (6 a.m. to 10 p.m.) during the winter. On an average monthly basis, City Light currently has sufficient resources to meet expected customer load in the next few years, even under serious drought conditions.~~

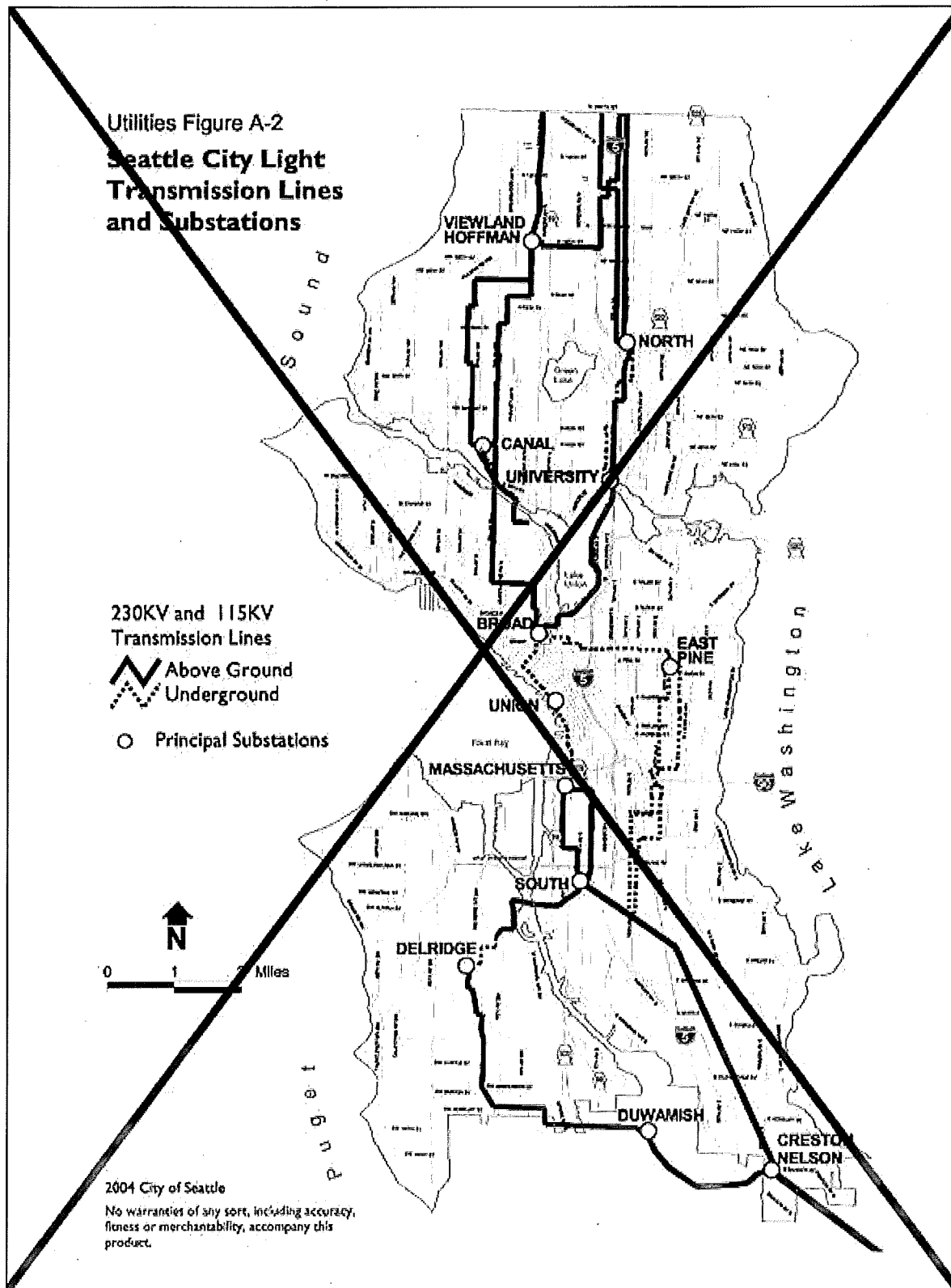
~~SCL sells on the wholesale energy markets the energy it does not need to meet customer load. The utility also buys energy in the wholesale markets to enhance the value of its resource portfolio and to meet occasional short-term energy deficits.~~

~~Seattle City Light: anticipated future facilities~~

~~City Light's current contract with BPA extends through the end of September 2011 and includes an increase in the firm amount of power purchased effective in October 2006. The utility has committed to meet its load growth through 2011 with conservation and renewable resources and is on target to achieve this goal. Given projected customer load growth, no significant resource addition is anticipated until 2005 or 2006.~~

~~For the transmission and distribution components of SCL's system, projected growth will be accommodated by planned transmission and distribution capacity additions. The addition of a transformer at the Bothell Substation in Snohomish County will serve the principal substations from the Snohomish County line to the Lake Washington Ship Canal. Within the Comprehensive Plan's 20-year timeframe a new principal substation will be necessary downtown, with an underground transmission line connection to the South substation. Capacity would also be expanded at the North, Duwamish, Shoreline, University and Creston substations. New substations also may be built in the next five to twenty years at Interbay, in the SODO area and in South Lake Union, depending on load growth projections and emerging real construction. Substations in the Northeast and Northwest parts of the City may also be built in the 20-year period. City Light owns properties for the Interbay, NE and NW substations.))~~





((Seattle Public Utilities (water utility)

Seattle Public Utilities (SPU) provides water service to customers of Seattle and portions of King County. In addition, SPU sells wholesale water to more than two dozen suburban water districts, municipalities, and nonprofit water associations ("purveyors") which serve retail water customers in most of the urban areas in north, east, and south King County, and a small part of southwest Snohomish County. (See Utilities Figure A-3). SPU operates under an Operator's Certificate granted by the State Department of Health. Information about the certificate and the water system can be found in Seattle's Water System Plan.

Seattle Public Utilities: inventory

SPU supplies drinking water from two major water supply sources, the Cedar River Watershed and the South Fork of the Tolt River Watershed, and a small amount of water from the Highline Well Field. The Cedar River of the Tolt River watersheds are in the Cascade Mountains, while the Highline Well Field is located north of Seattle Tacoma International Airport. Transmission pipelines carry the water to various reservoirs, standpipes, and tanks for further distribution. (See Utilities Figure A-4)

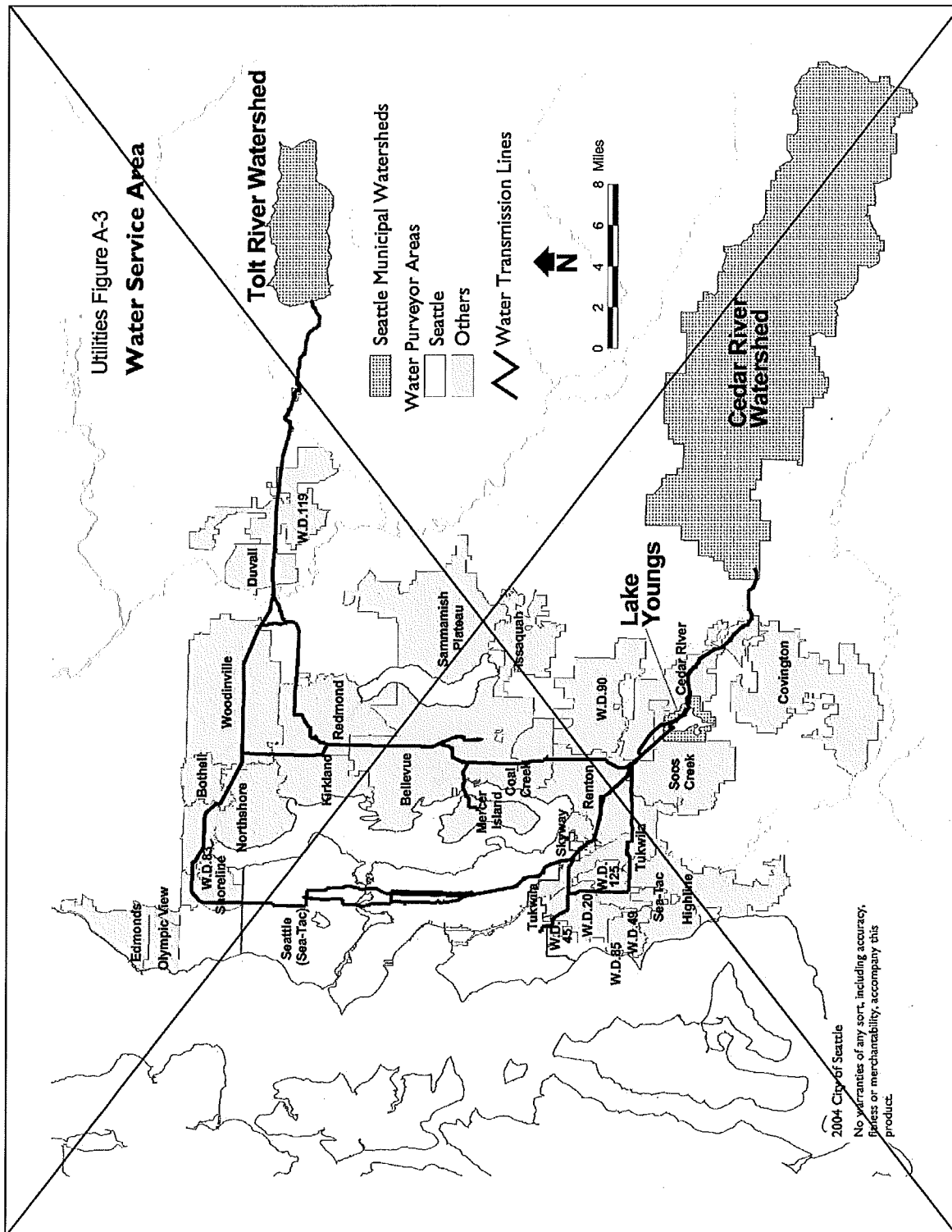
Seattle Public Utilities: existing capacity

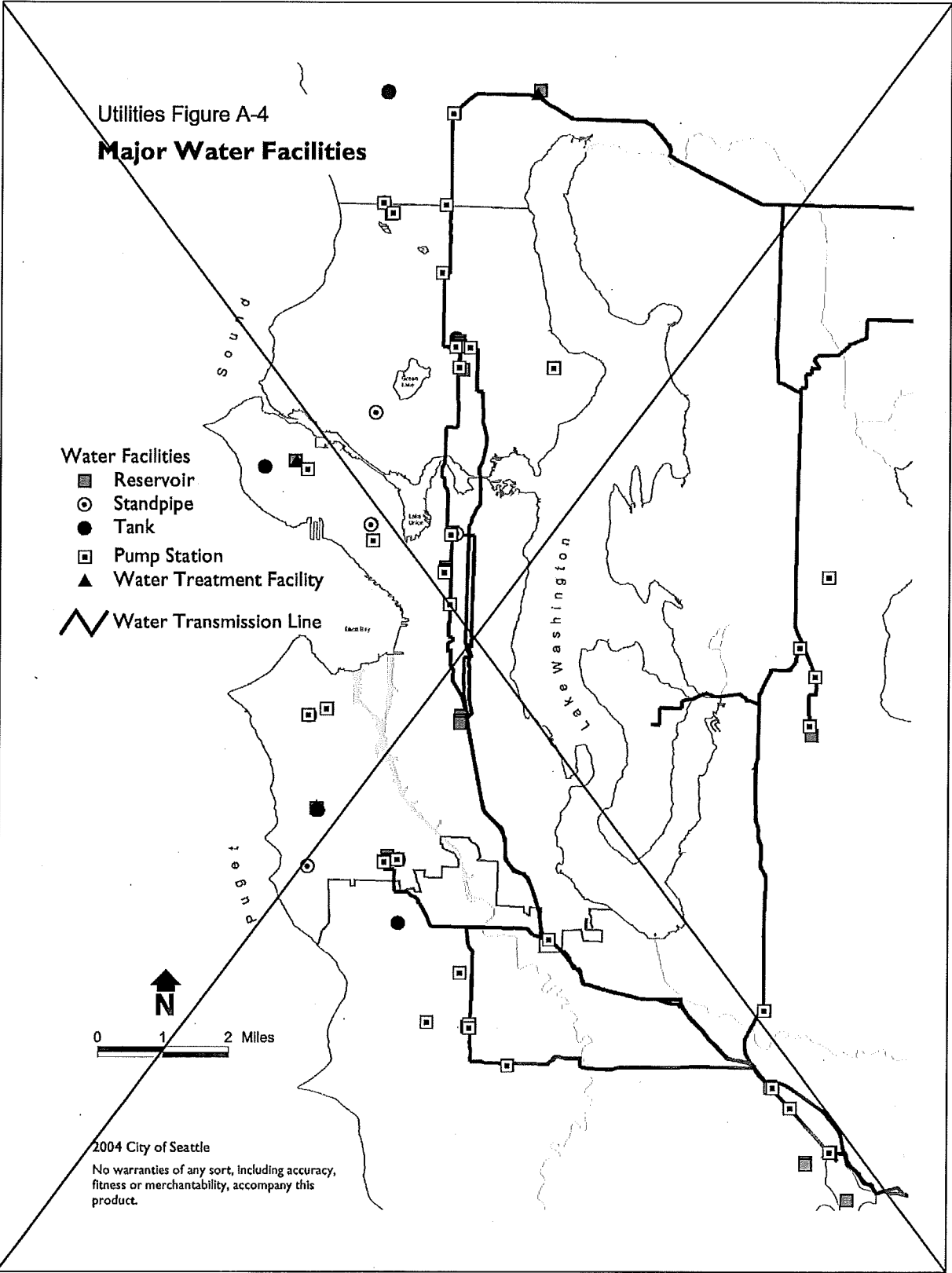
SPU's service area extends beyond the City's boundaries, making it impossible to assign for in-city service capacity figures to the supply sources and transmission lines. Snowpack, temperature and precipitation in the watershed areas are important natural factors that determine when and how much runoff will fill the reservoirs. Also affecting SPU's water supply is the environmental impact of the dams on the stream flows. Tribes and business, environmental, recreational and fisheries groups all have interests in the level of water in the streams. The 50-year Cedar River Watershed Habitat Conservation Plan provides certainty for the City of Seattle's drinking water supply and protects and restores fish and wildlife habitats. In addition, the City recently completed a new treatment facility on the Tolt source that adds supply capacity. A new treatment facility on the Cedar source will be come online in 2004 that will improve drinking water quality. Under these current circumstances, SPU expects water supply to be adequate to serve the City's existing and forecast population for at least the next 20 years.

Distribution and storage facilities that serve Seattle residents have adequate capacity to serve the city. There are, however, a few areas that have substandard mains or experience low water pressure.

Low pressure areas include the higher elevations and other scattered locations in Maple Leaf (Maple Leaf Tank), Phinney Ridge (Woodland Park Standpipe), and Queen Anne Hill (Queen Anne Standpipe). These areas are all located near standpipe or/tanks and, therefore, receive water at or below the current design standard of 30 pounds per square inch (psi).

SPU is currently applying an asset management assessment to determine which pipelines would be replaced using the funds available in the six-year CIP.))





~~((Seattle Public Utilities: anticipated
future facilities~~

~~Most of the new households to be added within the city will be in multifamily units, which have a much lower per capita water demand than single family households.~~

~~The major impact of the growth envisioned by the Comprehensive Plan on the City's water facilities will be in the distribution system. Rehabilitation and improvements to the existing distribution system will be needed to support growth over the 20 year life of the Plan. SPU will work with developers to be sure needed infrastructure is in place for the development. Most of the time, developers finance the necessary distribution facilities.~~

~~Seattle Public Utilities:
drainage & wastewater~~

~~SPU is charged with managing drainage, surface runoff, and sewer systems to meet public safety, water quality, and resource protection goals. SPU's service area covers the City of Seattle.~~

~~Seattle Public Utilities: inventory~~

~~Although a few small areas are still served by septic systems, almost all areas of the city are served by sanitary sewers. Three types of drainage and waste water systems are used in Seattle: combined sanitary/storm water sewer, partially separated sanitary/storm water sewer, and separate sanitary and storm water sewer systems. The SPU system collects residential, commercial, and industrial wastewater and delivers it to interceptor lines operated by the regional sewage treatment agency (King County). The sewage is then treated at the West Point Sewage Treatment Plant before being discharged into Puget Sound. Two other plants, Alki and Carkeek, have been converted to treat wet weather overflows only. (See Utilities Figure A-5).~~

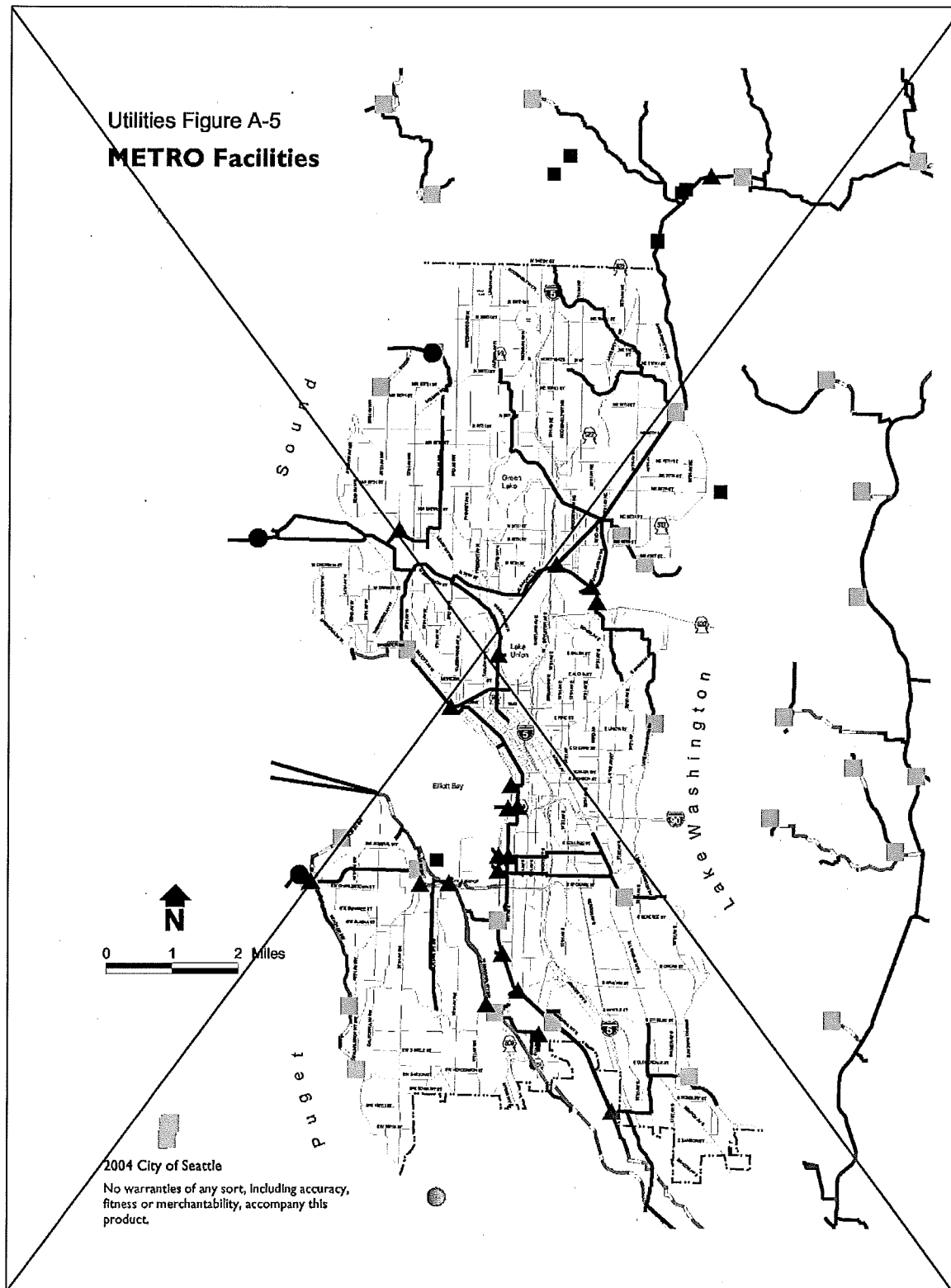
~~Seattle Public Utilities: existing capacity~~

~~**City Drainage and Wastewater System:** The capacity of the wastewater system in some areas is limited when peak stormwater flows enter the combined systems. During or following intense or prolonged periods of rainfall, some of the systems cannot accommodate the combined runoff and sanitary sewage flows, resulting in combined sewer overflows (CSOs) being discharged into area waters. CSOs occur in both the regional and the City systems. Seattle's CSO Control Plan, adopted in 1988, and updated in 2001, addresses specific storage and separation projects to control CSOs and describes costs and schedules in a 20 year timeframe. SPU has already completed improvements to 69 of the 83 CSO locations and by the year 2006, Seattle will have reduced CSO volumes by at least 79 percent. Funding for these improvements is included in the Department's six-year GIP.~~

~~Seattle Public Utilities:
regional wastewater treatment system~~

~~The West Point Treatment Plant is a secondary treatment facility, with a capacity of 133 million gallons per day (MGD), monthly average flow. It is designed to handle a peak flow capacity of 440 MGD, with 300 MGD receiving secondary treatment and the remainder primary treatment.~~

~~The West Point Treatment Plant serves 1.3 million people including residents of Seattle, King County north of Seattle, and South Snohomish County.))~~



~~((Seattle Public Utilities:
anticipated future facilities~~

~~**City Facilities:** Generally, the drainage and wastewater facilities in Seattle have been planned and sized to serve the maximum or build-out conditions under zoning at the time and will be adequate to serve the level of increased growth proposed in the Plan. The capacity of the wastewater system is limited in confined areas of the city, where there have been historic hydraulic and system backup problems. These problems are being addressed through developer-funded facility upgrades and by Seattle Public Utilities' CIP.~~

~~**Regional Facilities:** Under King County's Regional Wastewater Services Plan, a third treatment plant is planned to be added in South Snohomish or North King County by about 2010 to handle the region's growth.~~

~~Seattle Public Utilities (solid waste)~~

~~SPU contracts with private firms for the collection of residential solid waste, recyclables, and yard waste and commercial solid waste within the city; collection of commercial recyclables is handled by the private sector, SPU provides for disposal of all solid waste generated within the city through a long-term contract with Waste Management Incorporated.~~

~~Seattle Public Utilities: inventory~~

~~The solid waste transfer system consists of four transfer stations. The two City-owned transfer stations receive residential and commercial solid waste, while the two privately-owned transfer stations receive both commercial and other solid waste from within and outside the city of Seattle. Refuse is compacted into containers which are trucked to the Argo Intermodal Facility; from there, the containers are loaded onto trains for long-haul transport to a landfill owned and operated by Waste Management Incorporated in Gilliam County, Oregon. Most recyclable materials are handled by two privately-owned facilities. The City of Seattle also owns and operates two household hazardous waste facilities. (See Utilities Figure A-6 for their location).~~

~~Seattle Public Utilities:
existing capacity~~

~~1. **Solid Waste Collection and Transfer Facility Capacity:**~~

~~SPU's North and South Recycling and Disposal Stations (RDS) were designed in the 1960's for the transfer of solid waste, not for the current solid waste management strategy involving separation of recyclable materials. They were designed to handle 1,000 tons of solid waste per day (or 365,000 tons per year). In 2002, approximately 280,000 tons of solid waste were disposed of through the City's two transfer stations as well as more than 63,000 tons of yard waste, 2,000 tons of wood waste, 600 tons of metal appliances and more than 32,000 tons of other recyclables, totaling about 349,000 tons per year.~~

~~SPU is currently evaluating options for increasing the RDS's capacity to handle future self-haul and contractor trips and tons at the transfer stations as part of a comprehensive Solid Waste Facilities Master Plan that will be completed in 2003.~~

~~A portion of the collected commercial solid waste generated in the City is delivered to the two privately-owned transfer stations. These two facilities handle refuse as well as construction and demolition debris and other wastes from both inside and outside Seattle. In 1999, the two private stations handled 225,000 tons of solid waste from the City of Seattle. In recent years, Waste Management Incorporated has also built a new station for separated construction debris. The two private transfer facilities have the capability to handle 300,000-400,000 tons of waste per year including waste from Seattle's businesses. These facilities are located in the South Park area near the City's South Recycling and Disposal Station and south of downtown on South Lander Street.~~

~~Intermodal container loading capacity at Argo Yard is limited and the demand to process other domestic and international cargo through this yard is expected to increase.~~

~~2. Recycling Processing Facilities:~~

~~Two private "material recovery facilities" (MRFs) serve as the processing and transfer facilities for most of the recyclable materials collected from in-City residents and businesses. These facilities are Recycle Seattle and Recycle America and they process and transfer a large proportion of the 320,000 tons of residential and commercial recyclable material that was collected through the City's solid waste system in 2000. Recycle America is located in the South Park area, near the City's South Recycling and Disposal Station, and Recycle Seattle is south of downtown on South Lander Street.~~

~~3. Disposal Facilities:~~

~~Waste is compacted at the transfer stations into containers that are trucked to the Argo rail yard and loaded onto a train for long haul shipment to a landfill in Oregon. Presently, approximately 60 containers per day (each holding 25-28 tons), five days a week, are trucked to the railhead. The train to the landfill operates five times per week, with about 100 containers per trip. Waste containers from King, Snohomish, Island, San Juan, and Whatcom counties are also added to the train. Seattle and Washington Waste Systems (WWS) have a contract extending through March 31, 2028, and the terms of the contract are more than adequate to handle the additional waste volumes generated by projected growth.~~

**Seattle Public Utilities:
anticipated future facilities**

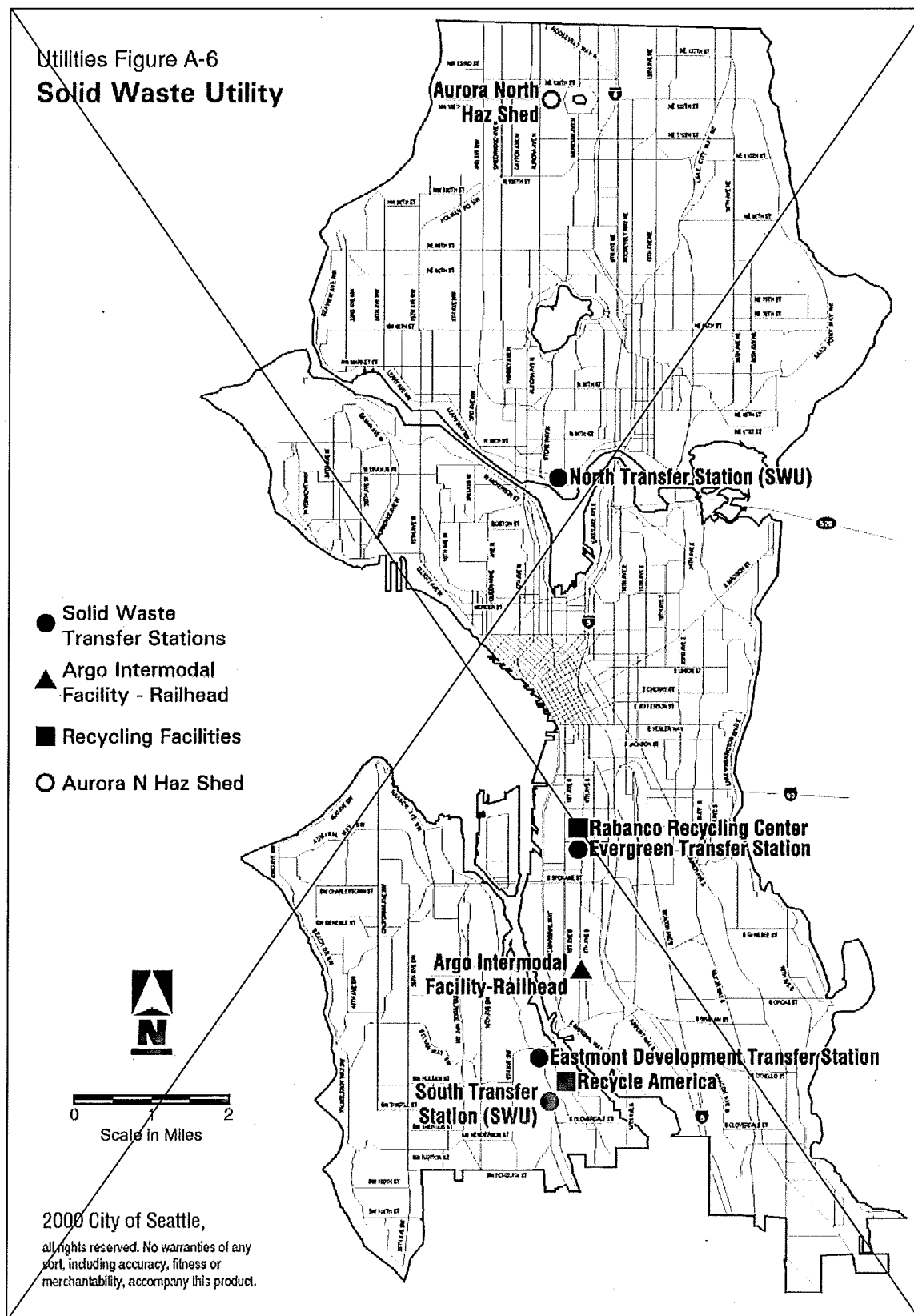
~~The region's landfill capacity is large enough to last for at least the next 40-80 years. Private transfer stations have the capacity to handle projected solid waste tonnages, but SPU transfer facilities will need modifications if they are to adequately handle projected customer visits and to divert waste to effectively contribute to the City's waste reduction and recycling goals. Although the overall amount of waste generated in the city will increase with projected residential and employment growth, the percentage of waste that will be directed to disposal is expected to decrease because waste diversion through recycling is expected to increase. Seattle has adopted the goal of recycling 60 percent of its overall waste by 2008.~~

~~Residential waste is anticipated to comprise a decreasing share of the future combined waste stream. Commercial waste is projected to comprise a larger share of Seattle's waste stream in the future. Increased commercial sector waste disposal needs and an increased demand for recycling contractor services will be handled by private contractors and facilities. Representatives from both private transfer stations have indicated that the increased amount of waste can be handled within the existing facilities.~~

~~The two private materials processing facilities will handle a major share of the increase in volumes of recyclable material that will occur with projected growth. These businesses are dealing with services and markets at a regional level, so the specific impacts of increased Seattle tonnage are difficult to predict.~~

~~It is anticipated that the two City-owned transfer stations will be demolished and rebuilt to accommodate projected customer demand and diversion goals.~~

~~It is also anticipated that a new City-owned waste receiving and compaction station will be built in conjunction with an intermodal loading station. This intermodal solid waste transfer facility will eliminate the need to load containers at the existing Argo Yard.))~~



~~((B—Description & Inventory of
Investor-Owned Utilities
Serving Seattle~~

~~Puget Sound Energy~~

~~Puget Sound Energy (PSE) is an investor-owned electric and natural gas utility serving more than 1.2 million customers in 11 Western Washington counties. In the Seattle area, PSE only provides natural gas service. PSE's distribution of natural gas involves system pressure regulation and the development and maintenance of a network of gas mains to serve the utility's customers.~~

~~PSE is supplied by Northwest Pipeline Corporation, a natural gas wholesaler with interstate pipeline facilities extending from Canada to New Mexico. Two underground transmission lines branch off from the pipeline to serve more than 116,000 natural gas customers in the Seattle area.~~

~~QWEST Communications~~

~~QWEST Communications (QWEST) is the telephone company subsidiary of QWEST, Incorporated—one of the seven regional holding companies resulting from the divestiture of AT&T. QWEST is the principal provider of local telephone and related services in Seattle.~~

~~Of the 11 central switching offices (COs) serving Seattle, 10 are located within the city limits. For local exchange, the COs switch calls in and between the line exchange groupings (these groupings are addressed uniquely by an area code and the first three digits of a phone number). For long distance, the COs switch calls and mediate between the long distance network and the local originating/terminating network. Due to advances in technology, additional capacity is easily and quickly added to the system.~~

~~Four main cable routes emanate from each CO, running north, south, east, and west. Connected to these main feeder routes are branch feeder routes which support thousands of local loops providing dial tone service to individual subscribers. The COs are connected by inter-exchange trunk lines that may be aerial or buried, and copper or fiber optic line.~~

~~cellular communications~~

~~Seattle is served numerous cellular telephone companies, the largest of which include AT&T Wireless, Cingular, Sprint PCS, T-Mobile and Verizon Wireless. Cellular telephones are radios which send and receive signals from low power, ultra high frequency antennas positioned at several cellular communication ("cell") sites. The "cellular" name is derived from the manner in which coverage is provided by the cell sites. Each cell site has a signal radius, or coverage area, of only a few miles (depending upon terrain and capacity demand for service). As a cellular telephone user~~

~~passes from one cell to the next, the call is transferred to an available channel at an adjacent cell site.~~

~~The cellular phone industry is extremely volatile, so any comprehensive listing of providers or cell sites would be obsolete upon printing. There are over 500 cell sites within the city of Seattle. Ownership of the sites changes as companies enter and leave the market.~~

~~cable television~~

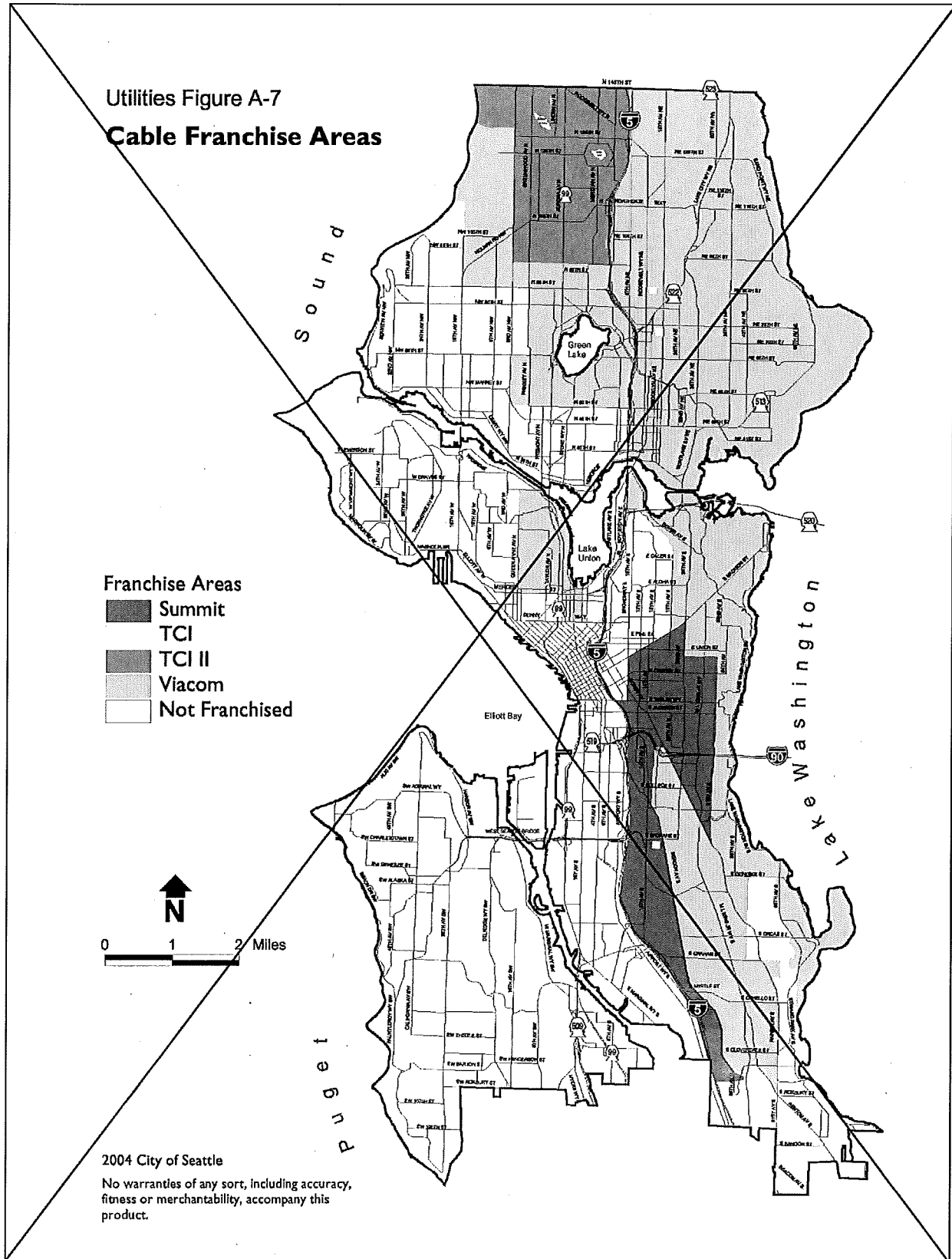
~~Two cable communications companies hold City franchises for serving Seattle residents, Comcast and Millennium Digital Media. (See Utilities Figure A-7.) The City is currently in the franchise renewal period with Comcast whose franchise expires on January 20, 2006. Millennium Digital Media's franchise expires on March 1, 2008.~~

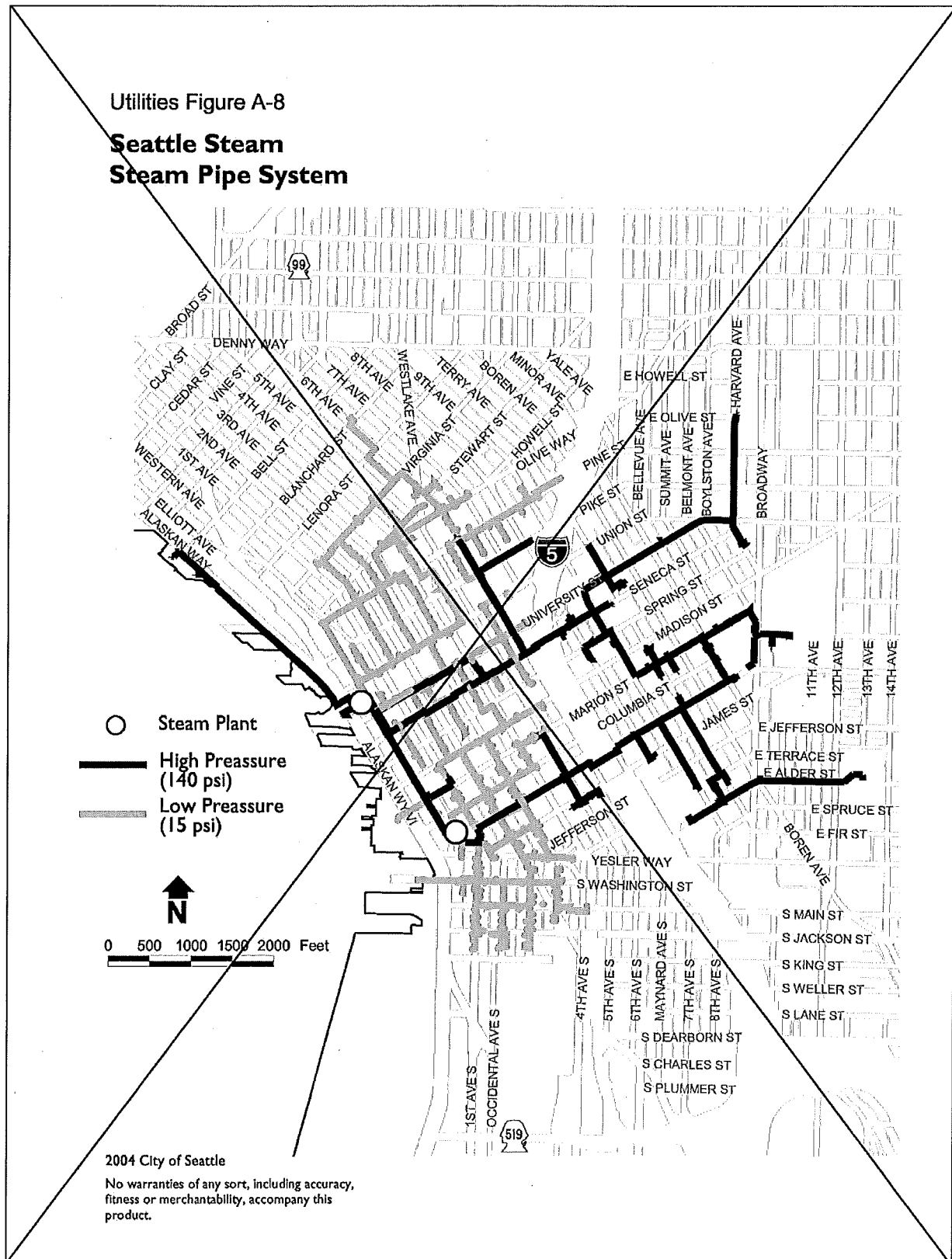
~~One of the primary components of a cable system is the head end site—an electronic control center where the information signal is processed for distribution through the cable system. This signal can be received off a hard line (cable), a satellite dish, microwave antennae, and/or a TV antenna. Comcast has two primary head end sites in the Seattle area. It's cable system passes 264,744 Seattle homes and serves 139,445 households. Comcast has 2,311 Aerial plant miles and 412 Underground plant miles in Seattle (includes both fiber and coaxial cable). Millennium has one head end site in Seattle, along with 155 miles of coaxial cable and 3,240 miles of fiber optic cable serving 14,998 households out of 51,463 homes passed.~~

~~Seattle Steam~~

~~Seattle Steam is a district heating utility franchised by the City. Its service area encompasses roughly a square-mile area of the Central Business District, extending from Blanchard Street to King Street and from the waterfront to 14th Avenue, crossing over First Hill. (See Utilities Figure A-8.) The company provides steam to commercial, residential, and institutional customers for space and hot water heating, along with other uses.~~

~~Two steam-generating plants supply the network. The primary plant is located on Western Avenue at University Street. The secondary plant is located on Western Avenue near Yesler Way—the site of the original plant built in 1893. Total steam generation capacity is 750,000 pounds per hour, with boilers designed to burn either natural gas or residual oil. The network of insulated steel pipe encompasses a total length of over 18 miles beneath city streets and currently serves 220 customers.))~~





Utilities Appendix

A City Utilities: Inventory, Capacity and Future Needs Assessment

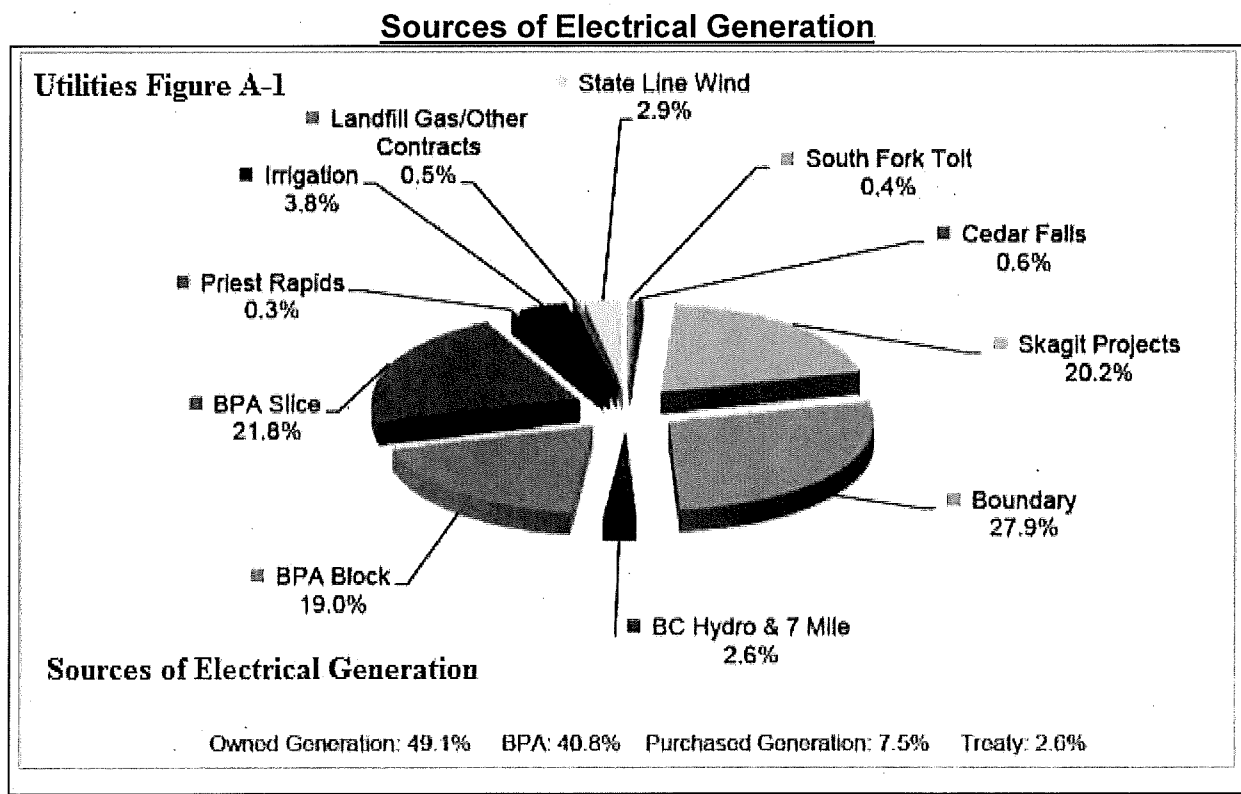
Seattle City Light: electricity

Seattle City Light (SCL) is the City-owned electric utility serving all of Seattle and some portions of other cities and unincorporated King County north and south of the city limits.

Seattle City Light: inventory & capacity

SCL supplies power from a portfolio of sources that includes self-generated assets and purchased power. SCL typically purchases 50% of all power delivered to its customers. Utilities Figure A-1 below shows the sources of power.

Utilities Figure A-1



The current resource portfolio includes SCL-owned generation resources; long-term contract resources supplemented with power exchange agreements, near-term purchases, and sales made in the wholesale power market; and conservation. City

Light-owned generation facilities include the Boundary Project, on the Pend Oreille River in northeast Washington, and the Skagit Project, which consists of three hydroelectric dams (Ross, Diablo and Gorge) on the Skagit River. The Newhalem Hydroelectric Plant on Newhalem Creek, the Cedar Falls Dam on the Cedar River, and the South Fork Tolt Dam on the South Fork Tolt River are also smaller generating facilities owned by SCL.

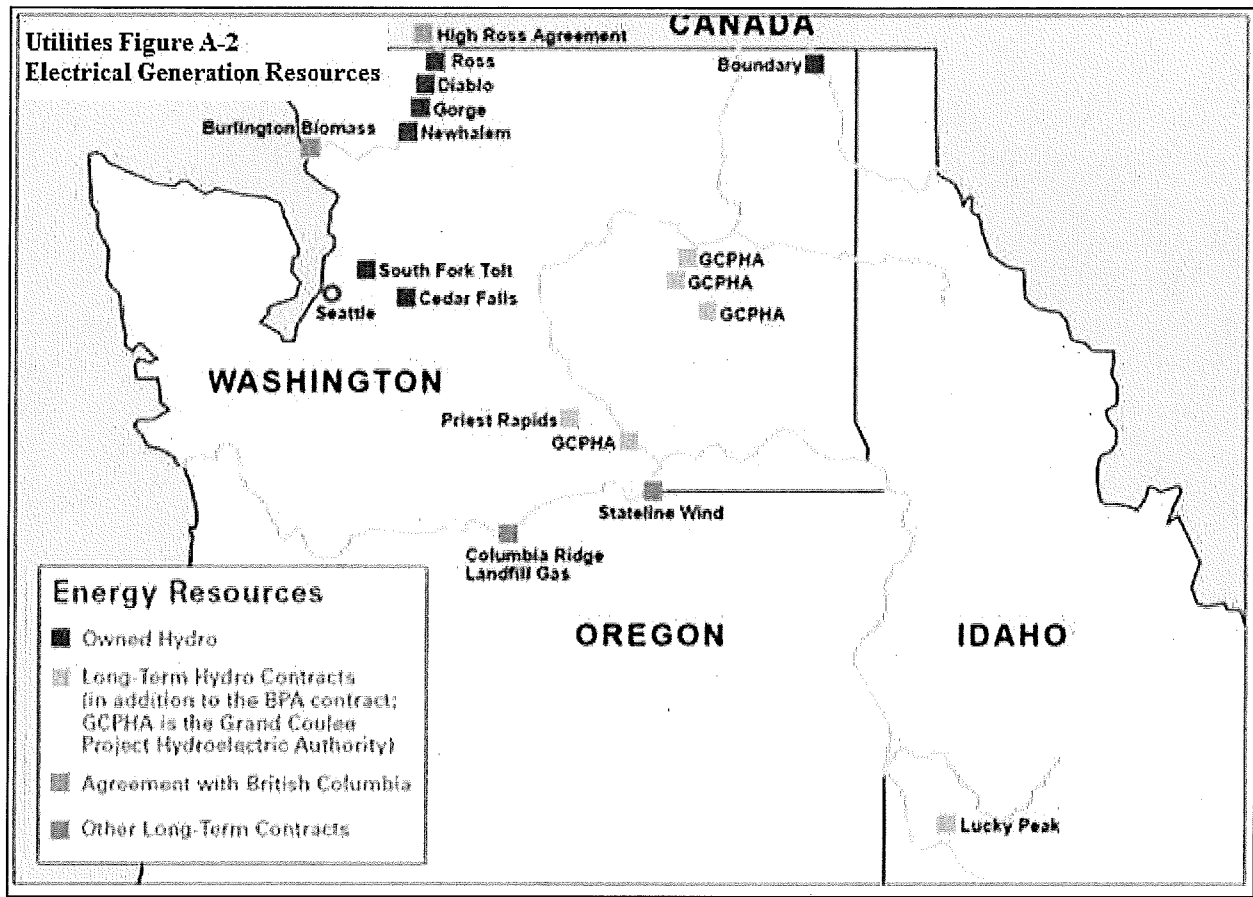
In addition to these power sources, SCL purchases power from a variety of other sources including:

- the Bonneville Power Administration (BPA), including firm amounts under the Block Product and a share in the output from the Federal System (Slice Product), which depends on water conditions
- British Columbia Hydro
- Lucy Peak, a hydro project located near Boise Idaho
- Priest Rapids, a hydro project within the Grant County Public Utility District
- Grand Coulee Project Hydroelectric Authority, a share in the State Line Wind Project located in Southeast Washington and Northeast Oregon
- Biomass and landfill gas through Burlington Biomass, Columbia Ridge Landfill Gas Project and King County West Point Wastewater Treatment Plant.

Under an exchange agreement with the Northern California Power Agency, City Light delivers energy to NCPA in the summer and in exchange NCPA delivers energy to City Light in the winter.

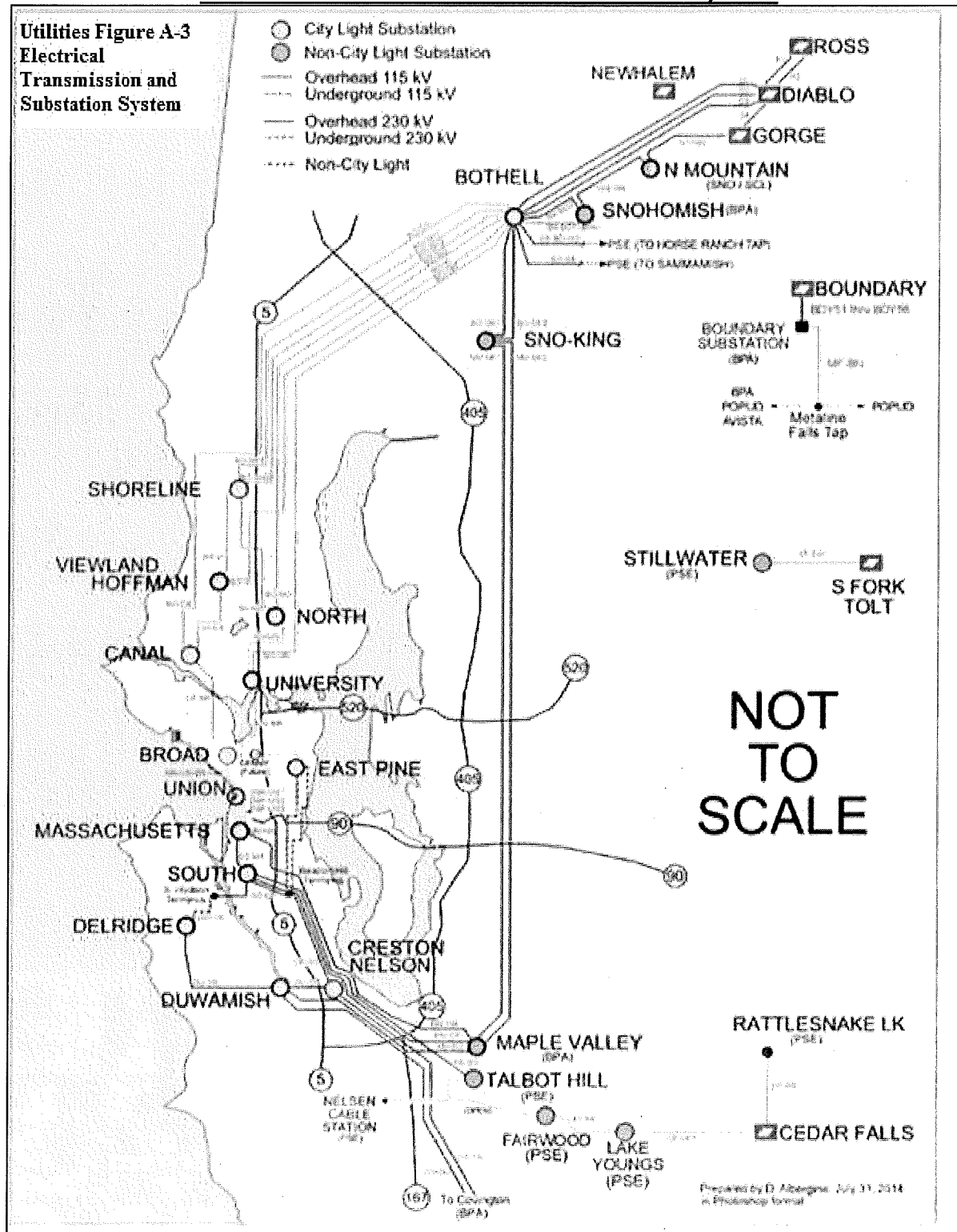
SCL owns and maintains approximately 657 miles of transmission lines which carry power from the Skagit and Cedar Falls generating facilities to 14 principal substations. SCL is dependent on other transmission line owners, i.e., the Bonneville Power Administration (BPA), to bring power from its Boundary Dam hydroelectric plant and from other contracted resources, to serve its load in Seattle. The transmission grid interconnection with other utilities also provides additional reliability to meet load requirements. Power is distributed from SCL's principal substations via high voltage feeder lines to numerous smaller distribution substations and pole transformers which reduce voltage to required levels for customers. SCL owns and maintains 2,428 circuit miles of distribution lines within Seattle that deliver power from the 14 principal substations to approximately 365,200 customers (See Utilities Figure A-2 and A-3).

Utilities Figure A-2
Electrical Generation Resources



Utilities Figure A-3

Electrical Transmission and Substation System



SCL's current generation capability (owned and contracted) is adequate to serve existing customers. Because of the nature of City Light's hydroelectric system, the utility is not presently constrained by its ability to meet peak loads (typically referred to as capacity). At times, the system may be constrained in its ability to carry load over periods of heavy load hours (6 a.m. to 10 p.m.) during the winter. On an average monthly basis, City Light currently has sufficient resources to meet expected customer load in the next few years, even under serious drought conditions.

SCL sells on the wholesale energy markets the energy it does not need to meet customer load. The utility also buys energy in the wholesale markets to enhance the value of its resource portfolio and to meet occasional short-term energy deficits.

Seattle City Light: future needs assessment

New resources will be needed to meet load growth and to comply with I-937 over the next 20 years. The timing of resource acquisition depends on the rate of load growth, hydro volatility, together with the I-937 schedule for acquiring renewable resources and/or renewable energy credits.

For the transmission and distribution components of SCL's system, projected growth will be accommodated by planned transmission and distribution capacity additions. The addition of a downtown substation is being permitted to meet the load growth in the Denny Triangle and South Lake Union.

Capacity would also be expanded at the North, Duwamish, Shoreline, University and Creston substations. New substations also may be built in the next five to twenty years in Interbay, SODO, and the Highline area, depending on load growth projections and emerging real construction. Substations in the Northeast and Northwest parts of the City may also be built in the 20-year period. City Light owns properties for the Interbay, Northeast, and Northwest substations.

Seattle Public Utilities: drinking water

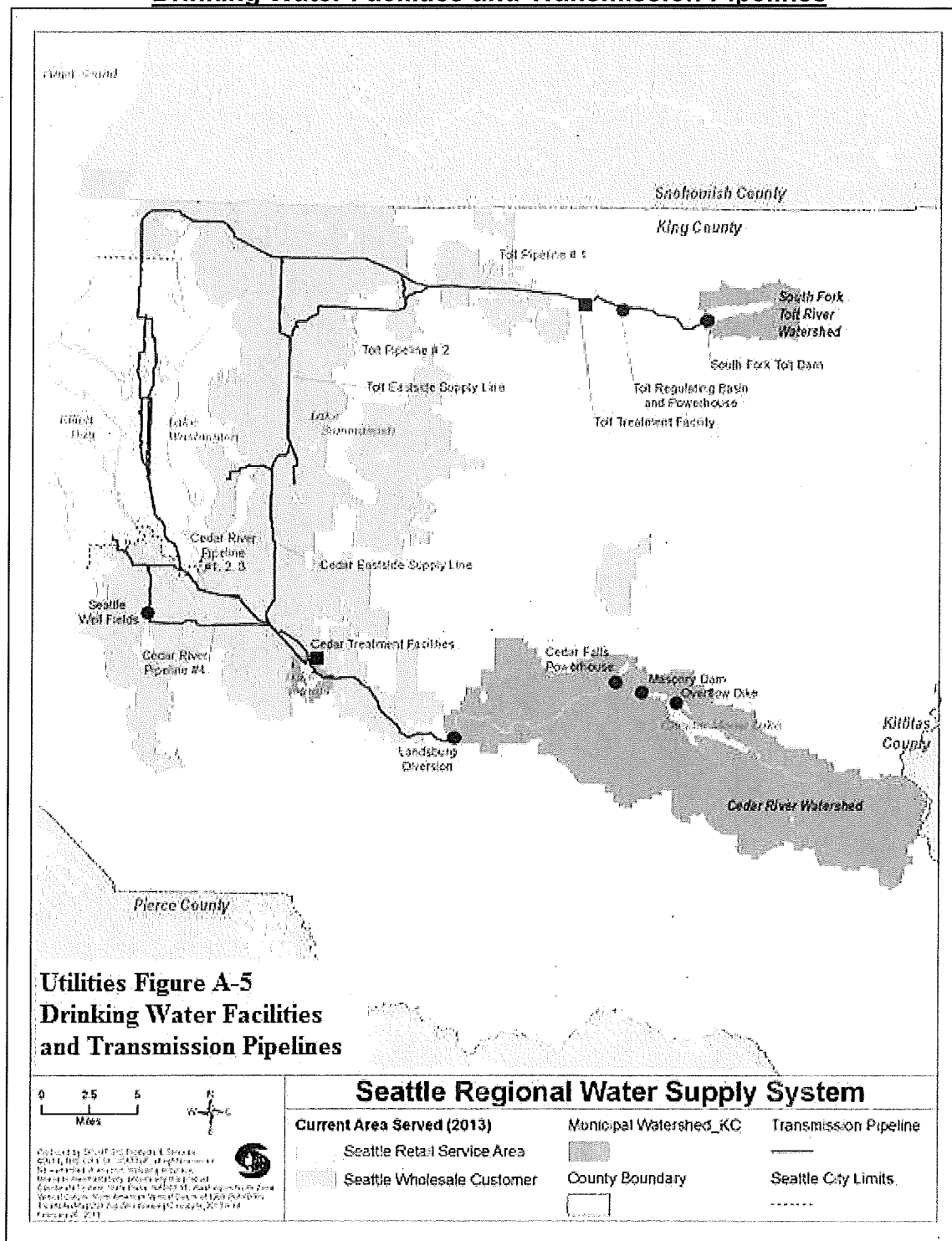
Seattle Public Utilities (SPU) provides drinking water to a service area population of 1.3 million within the greater Seattle metropolitan region of King County and portions of southern Snohomish County. SPU provides retail water service to customers in the City of Seattle, and portions of the cities of Shoreline, Lake Forest Park and Burien, as well as portions of unincorporated King County south of the City of Seattle. SPU also provides retail water service to Shorewood Apartments on Mercer Island and Seattle Tacoma International Airport. In addition, SPU sells wholesale water to 19 municipalities and special purpose districts, plus Cascade Water Alliance, who in turn provide the water to their own retail customers (See Utilities Figure A-4). SPU operates under an annual Operating Permit issued by the Washington State Department of Health. More information about the water system can be found in Seattle's latest Water System Plan.

Seattle Public Utilities: inventory & capacity

SPU supplies drinking water from two major water supply sources, the Cedar River Watershed and the South Fork of the Tolt River Watershed, both on the western slopes of the Cascade Mountains. In addition, a small amount of water from Seattle Well Fields, which are located north of Seattle Tacoma International Airport, is available to provide drought and emergency supply. In total, these sources can supply up to 172 million gallons of water per day on an average annual basis. Water from these sources is treated to meet drinking water quality regulations. The treated water is then delivered to Seattle retail and wholesale customers through a network of approximately 1,880 miles of transmission and distribution system pipelines, 400 million gallons of treated water storage facilities (reservoirs, tanks and standpipes), and 31 pump stations. System-wide treatment and transmission capacity is 310 million gallons per day (See Utilities Figure A-4).

Utilities Figure A-5

Drinking Water Facilities and Transmission Pipelines



Seattle Public Utilities: future needs assessment

SPU expects water supply to be adequate to serve the City's existing and forecast population for at least the next 20 years. This assessment considered an analysis of future climate change impacts on both supply and demand. That analysis indicated that, although available supply could be reduced by as much as 4 percent in 2025 and 6 percent in 2050 under the warmest climate change scenario analyzed, this reduced supply would still exceed climate-impacted demands in those time periods.

One reason for this outlook is the anticipated continued reduction in per capita water use in SPU's service area. Total water use in SPU's regional water system declined by 15% from 2000 to 2013 while the population served has grown by 30%. The regional water conservation program administered by SPU for the Saving Water Partnership – a collaborative program run by Seattle and 18 of SPU's wholesale customers – has been a contributor to this reduction in water use. For the 2013-2018 period, the Saving Water Partnership has set a goal to reduce per capita water use from current levels so that total average annual retail water use of members of the Saving Water Partnership is less than 105 million gallons per day despite forecasted population growth.

Distribution and storage facilities that serve Seattle residents and businesses have adequate capacity to serve the city. There are, however, a few areas where SPU's water system has hydrants that cannot provide fire flows to existing buildings as required under current codes for new buildings. This can be caused by a combination of factors including pipes with small diameters or areas with low water pressure due to older design standards, or pipes whose interiors have been reduced by deposits. There are also areas that were originally built to now-obsolete fire codes. Depending on the location and type of development, parts of SPU's water distribution system may need to be upgraded to meet current fire flow standards for the planned development. Additionally, there are also parts of the retail service area in which water mains need to be extended to serve a particular parcel. SPU will work with developers to have needed water infrastructure in place for the development.

In addition to the distribution system improvements needed to support new development, investments are needed to replace aging infrastructure that has reached the end of its economic life. SPU is currently applying an asset management assessment to determine which facilities would be replaced using the funds available in the six-year CIP instead of being repaired.

Seattle Public Utilities: drainage & sewer

Seattle Public Utilities is charged with managing drainage and sewer systems to meet public safety, water quality, and resource protection goals. SPU's drainage and sewer service area covers the City of Seattle. King County is responsible for operating the sewage treatment plants that treat all City of Seattle sewage as well as the interceptor lines that deliver sewage to these facilities.

Seattle Public Utilities: inventory & capacity

Although a few small areas are still served by septic systems, almost all areas of the city are served by sewer. Three types of drainage and sewer systems are used in Seattle:

- combined drainage and sewer (a single set of pipes carries water from drainage water and sewage)
- separate drainage sewer systems, (the pipes carrying drainage are completely separate from the pipes carrying sewage) and
- partially separated drainage and sewer (one set of pipes carries sewage and some drainage water – general from street runoff, while the other set carries only drainage water).

The SPU system collects residential, commercial, and industrial sewage and delivers it to interceptor lines operated by the regional sewage treatment agency (King County). While King County operates a regional system including various treatment plants, sewage from Seattle is primarily treated at the West Point Sewage Treatment Plant before being discharged into Puget Sound (See Utilities Figure A-5). The West Point Treatment Plant is a secondary treatment facility, with a monthly average capacity of 133 million gallons per day (MGD) and daily peak flow capacity of 440 MGD. Of the daily peak flow capacity, 300 MGD would receive secondary treatment and the remainder would receive primary treatment. The West Point Treatment Plant serves 1.3 million people including residents of Seattle, King County north of Seattle, and South Snohomish County.

The capacity of the drainage and sewer system in some areas is limited during peak storm events. During or following intense or prolonged periods of rainfall, some of the systems cannot accommodate the combined drainage and sewage flows, resulting in combined sewer overflows (CSOs) being discharged into area waters. CSOs occur in both the regional and the City systems. There are two “wet weather” treatment facilities, Alki and Carkeek, that partially treat a portion of this overflow, but in many areas the overflows discharge completely untreated water.

Seattle Public Utilities: future needs assessment

Generally, the City-operated drainage and sewer facilities in Seattle have been planned and sized to serve the maximum or build out conditions under zoning at the time and will be adequate to serve the level of increased growth proposed in the Plan. The capacity of the sewer system is limited in confined areas of the city, where there have been historic hydraulic and system backup problems. In addition, there are areas of drainage deficiencies and water quality issues in the City. These problems are being addressed through developer- funded facility upgrades and by Seattle Public Utilities' Capital improvement Program (CIP).

Seattle Public Utilities: solid waste

Various state and local regulations and guidelines influence Seattle's solid waste planning. Chief among the regulations is the State of Washington's 1969 legislation Revised Code of Washington (RCW) 70.95 requiring local solid waste plans. Seattle Public Utilities manages this responsibility by regularly reviewing and updating Seattle's Solid Waste Plan. The Plan has a 20-year horizon and provides strategies for future solid waste management needs.

Seattle Public Utilities: inventory & capacity

A network of public and private service providers and facilities collect, transfer, process, and landfill Seattle's discards. All Seattle's Municipal Solid Waste that is not recycled or composted is, by law, under city control.

SPU contracts with private firms to collect residential garbage, recyclables, and yard and food waste (organics). The same contractors collect commercial garbage. Open-market providers collect commercial recycling and organics. Businesses may choose to "self-haul" their solid waste materials.

Transfer and recycling processing facilities consolidate collected solid waste materials and route them to their next destination. Garbage and organics collected by the city's contractors goes to the transfer stations owned and operated by the city. Recycling picked up by the city's contractors goes to the city's contracted recycling processing facility. Recycling picked up from businesses may go to a recycling processor or one of the many local businesses specializing in recycled materials. Other collected materials go to the city's transfer stations, or private transfer stations or processors. Occasionally, residential garbage is taken to private transfer facilities such as when a city station temporarily needs to close.

At the transfer stations, garbage is loaded into rail containers and trucked to Seattle's contracted rail yard. Assembled trains of containers are hauled to the city's contracted landfill. Processed recyclables go to various materials markets. Organics go to the city's contracted organics contractor to be processed into compost.

SPU also runs two moderate risk waste (MRW) collection facilities. Seattle provides this service as a partner in the Local Hazardous Waste Management Program (LHWMP) in King County.

Except for the two city-owned transfer stations, the equipment and facilities necessary to operate Seattle's solid waste system are provided by contracted services.

Seattle Public Utilities: collection

Two collection companies collect all residential solid waste materials and commercial garbage. Current contracts started in March 2009 and run until at least 2017. The companies provide all aspects of collection, including trucks, truck yards, and labor. Service areas and routes are planned to ensure efficient use of collection vehicles and to collect consistent amounts of material each day so that the daily capacity of each

transfer station is not exceeded. Transfer and processing facilities need an even, predictable inflow to avoid having to stockpile incoming materials.

Seattle Public Utilities: transfer stations

The city owns and operates two transfer stations: North Transfer Station in the Wallingford neighborhood, and South Transfer Station in the South Park neighborhood. Two private transfer stations supplement city facilities.

The city's transfer facilities now serve a variety of vehicles and customers and receive a range of discarded materials that include garbage, recyclables, and compostables. In addition to transferring materials delivered by collectors, the stations play an important role in accepting materials unsuitable for curbside collection. Residents with large, bulky items or excess quantities can bring these materials to the stations for recycling or disposal. The stations also serve businesses that choose to self-haul their waste and recyclable materials.

In 2007, the Seattle City Council decided to proceed with improvements to the two city-owned stations, which were originally built in the 1960's. SPU completed construction of the new South Transfer Station in 2013. The new North Transfer Station will be complete in 2016. Demolition of the old South Recycling and Disposal Station and redevelopment of that site is scheduled to be complete in 2018.

The two private transfer facilities are located in the industrial area south of downtown Seattle.

Seattle Public Utilities: recycling and composting

SPU contracts with Rabanco Recycling Center for traditional recycling (newspaper, glass bottles, tin cans, etc.). It is located in the Duwamish Manufacturing/Industrial Center.

Most commercial recycling is provided by private arrangements. Vendors collect both mixed and source-separated materials, and take them to a variety of processors in the Seattle area. Which processor they use depends on the material and any agreements haulers and processors may have.

For organics composting, SPU implemented new contracts in 2014 with two vendors: Lenz Enterprises, Inc., and PacifiClean Environmental of Washington, LLC. Lenz Enterprises is mainly responsible for taking organics from SPU's Seattle's North Transfer Station to its processing facility in Stanwood, Washington. PacifiClean will take mainly organics from SPU's South Transfer station to their processing facility that will be located in central Washington. Both companies have guaranteed access to backup facilities.

Seattle Public Utilities: disposal

The City of Seattle contracts with Waste Management of Washington for rail haul and disposal of all non-recyclable waste at Columbia Ridge Landfill in Gilliam County.

Oregon. After it has been compacted into shipping containers at transfer facilities, garbage is hauled to the Argo rail yard and loaded onto the train. The Argo Yard is owned and operated by the Union Pacific Railroad, and is located in the Duwamish Manufacturing/Industrial Center. Trains leave Seattle six times a week, stacked two-high. Waste Management of Washington owns the containers. The Columbia Ridge Landfill and Recycling Center is owned and operated by Oregon Waste Systems, a division of Waste Management.

Seattle Public Utilities: future needs assessment

As the City of Seattle contracts with private service providers for recycling processing, organics composting, and landfill long-haul and disposal, any programmatic changes would be made through those contracts. Since Public Health-Seattle & King County regulates all solid waste handling facilities in their jurisdiction, their approval is required for any a new public or private facilities for the transfer, recycling, composting and landfilling of solid waste materials.

Although the overall amount of waste generated in the city will increase with projected residential and employment growth over the 20 year plan horizon, the percentage of waste that will be directed to disposal is expected to decrease. Seattle's overall municipal solid waste generation (MSW) has generally followed the ups and downs of economic trends, even as population has steadily increased. Total generation saw a prolonged downward trend after 2007 through the Great Recession and through 2012. SPU expects overall waste generation to increase gradually over the next two decades, not rising to pre-recession levels of about 850,000 tons of material per year until about 2027 or after.

Seattle's diversion goal is to recycle or compost 70% of the city's MSW by 2022. In 2012 Seattle recycled or composted 56% of its MSW. Seattle recently set an additional goal, to recycle 70% of the city's construction and demolition (C&D) waste by 2020. The majority of C&D waste is managed in the private sector, from generation through processing and disposal.

Shifts in consumer patterns change over time. Likewise, new materials and combinations of materials continue to enter the consumption cycle. SPU will conduct waste composition analyses frequently enough to be able to respond to these changes. For example, SPU will continue to work with processors to designate additional recyclable materials, and modify collection programs as needed.

Future Needs Assessment

collection

Seattle will continue with its strategy to competitively contract for collection services. The contractors will adjust to changing service needs, such as more recycling, over time.

transfer

The capacity provided by the rebuild of Seattle's two transfer facilities, in conjunction with private transfer capacity, is projected to satisfy Seattle's solid waste transfer needs for at least as long as the 50-year expected life of the rebuilt facilities. Seattle's new facilities are purposely designed for flexibility in response to a changing mix of solid waste materials over time.

recycling & composting

Recycling capacity at private facilities is considered adequate for at least two decades, and Seattle will continue to contract for these services. Seattle's current contract is guaranteed through 2019. In 2014, Recology Cleanscapes opened a new high capacity mixed-material recycling facility in the Duwamish Manufacturing/Industrial Center. Furthermore, the Washington State Department of Ecology currently lists more than 280 recycling facilities in King, Pierce, and Snohomish counties. In addition to the new Recology Cleanscapes facility, at least 3 of these are large facilities that process mixed recycling and are within 20 miles of Seattle. SPU expects that many other private recyclers that handle limited ranges of materials will continue their presence in the local market.

Current composting capacity is adequate for the 20 year planning horizon. However, statewide there is concern about future capacity as more cities and counties divert more organics. Seattle's two organics contracts are guaranteed, and may be extended through 2024. As regional demand for composting increases, composting service providers are researching and developing new technologies, for example anaerobic digestion.

disposal

Columbia Ridge landfill, Seattle's current contracted landfill, projects that it will be able to receive material beyond the current contract's guaranteed 2028 end date. Seattle plans to continue with contracting for this service. Although Seattle's disposal alternatives are restricted through the life of the contract, the City will continue monitoring emerging alternate technologies. Rail-haul capacity has not been an issue. The contract provides for alternate transportation if rail lines become unavailable.

City communications facilities

The City Department of Information Technology, in collaboration with City Light and other departments, jurisdictions and institutions, installs, owns and/or operates an extensive radio and broadband information and communications technology (ICT) infrastructure, including radio for emergency services and field work, and fiber optic for transmission of voice, video and data for delivery of city services. The City leases some services from private providers, but has steadily increased the network of public infrastructure to city buildings. The City has a fiber sharing agreement with other public agencies that enables joint installation and maintenance of an extensive network of conduit and which minimizes cost, digging and installation of broadband infrastructure. The City also leases excess fiber capacity to private providers.

B Investor-Owned Utilities

natural gas

Puget Sound Energy (PSE) provides natural gas service to more than 780,000 customers in six Western Washington counties: Snohomish, King, Kittitas, Pierce, Thurston, and Lewis. As of 2014, it is estimated that PSE serves over 140,000 customers with the City of Seattle.

Natural gas comes from gas wells in the Rocky Mountains and in Canada and is transported through interstate pipelines by Williams Northwest Pipeline to Puget Sound Energy's gate stations.

Supply mains then transport the gas from the gate stations to district regulators where the pressure is reduced to less than 60psig. Distribution mains are fed from the district regulators and individual residential service lines are fed by the distribution mains.

PSE does not have any major projects planned in Seattle, but new projects may be developed in the future at any time due to:

- New or replacement of existing facilities to increase capacity requirements due to new building construction and conversion from other fuels.
- Main replacement to facilitate improved maintenance of facilities.
- Replacement or relocation of facilities due to municipal and state projects.

cable

The FCC provides limited regulatory authority to local jurisdictions to enable franchise agreements with providers of cable television. As of 2014, the City of Seattle had cable franchise agreements with two companies: Comcast and Wave Broadband. Comcast is the city's largest provider, serving approximately 2/3 of the city. These companies also provide telephone and broadband Internet services. As of 2014, Wave also owns CondoInternet, which offers gigabit Internet service in a limited, but growing area of Seattle.

The franchise agreements provide for consumer protection and public benefits, such as delivery of cable television and public Internet access to City community centers, public

housing, and non-profits providing Internet access and skills training to technology disadvantaged residents. The companies are allowed to compete, though overlapping service areas have been minimal as of 2014. The franchise agreements have generally been for 10 year periods with some adjustment when companies are sold. See seattle.gov/cable/franchises.htm for more detail.

landline telephone

CenturyLink, which purchased QWEST Communications, is the largest telephone company, providing local landline telephone and related retail and wholesale communications services throughout the entire city. They maintain a number of poles, transmission lines and network architecture. Additionally, there are a number of small companies that provide limited telephone service, often by paying for the use of other company's infrastructure.

wireless and cellular

Seattle is served by numerous companies providing wireless and cellular services. These communications utility companies tend to own wireless and cellular transmission facilities as well as fiber backbone to relay the data received in the transmission facilities. Common wireless technologies include point-to-point microwave as well as Wi-Fi internet services. Microwave antennas require location for line of sight transmission. Cellular and Wi-Fi transmitters have limited transmission radius and are also dependent on the strength of the antenna in user's mobile devices. As the number of users and the demand for higher data transfer (e.g. for watching or sending video) grows, the infrastructure will also require expansion. Greater distribution of fiber optics through the city enables higher bandwidth connections to these antennas. The industry is continuing to evolve, so the city is likely to see continued demand for placement of antennas, though technology developments may also result in some reduction of the number required.

radio and broadcast television

Seattle is also served by a number of radio and television broadcast facilities who maintain antennas and transmission equipment in the city which, like cellular equipment, may be located and operated on company sites, or placed on other public or private buildings through leasing arrangements. Some of these companies also operate other communications hosting or networking services. The FCC issued a limited number of low-power FM construction licenses to non-profit entities, starting in 2014, that require siting of small antennas and will enable local information distribution.

district energy

Enwave Seattle is a district energy utility franchised by the City. Enwave produce heat at a centralized plant and distributes steam to commercial, residential, and institutional customers for space and hot water heating, along with other uses, by underground lines. Its service area encompasses roughly a square-mile area of the Central Business District, extending from Blanchard Street to King Street and from the waterfront to 14th Avenue, crossing over First Hill.

Enwave Seattle is a privately-owned utility that provides heat to approximately 200 buildings in Seattle's Central Business District and First Hill neighborhoods. Enwave Seattle's mission is to deliver a reliable, cost-effective and efficient source of heat that benefits its customers, the environment and the Seattle community.

Two steam-generating plants supply the piping network. The primary plant is located on Western Avenue at University Street. The secondary plant is located on Western Avenue near Yesler Way—the site of the original plant built in 1893. Total steam generation capacity is 670,000 pounds per hour, with boilers designed to burn renewable biomass, natural gas or diesel oil if natural gas is not available. The network of insulated steel pipe encompasses a total length of over 18 miles beneath city streets and currently serves approximately 200 buildings.

The City is also working to establish district energy utility systems in South Lake Union, Denny Triangle, and First Hill. Systems for these neighborhoods are in varying planning stages, but each, if established, would likely be a closed-loop water-based utility system providing heating, hot water, and potentially cooling services to building owners. Energy sources for the utility system would largely be comprised of waste heat already in the neighborhood, including waste heat from data centers, sewer lines, and condensate from the nearby Enwave system.

Attachment 15 Economic Development Appendix

((Economic Development Appendix

A. Economic Development

~~While the Growth Management Act does not require a comprehensive plan to include an economic development element, the King County Countywide Planning Policies do require that each jurisdiction in~~

~~King County include in its comprehensive plan an economic development element which will include an estimate of the type and number of jobs to be accommodated in the jurisdiction during the next 20 years.~~

~~Economic Development Figure A-1 presents the estimated number of jobs, by industry, Seattle expects to accommodate between 2002 and 2024. Total anticipated job growth for this period is estimated to be 93,000 jobs. This analysis is based on estimates of actual employment levels in 2002 and includes job growth for the two-year period prior to the 20-year window covered by this Plan. During the twenty-year period covered by this Plan, total job growth is anticipated to be 84,000 jobs.~~

**Economic Development Figure A-1
Estimated Number of Jobs, by Industry, to be Accommodated in Seattle, 2002-
2024**

	Estimated 2002	Change	Estimated 2024
Retail	73,221	4,432	77,653
F.I.R.E.S	217,643	80,838	298,481
Government/Education	91,267	6,415	97,682
W.T.C.U.	55,459	15,613	71,072
Manufacturing	41,651	-14,298	27,353
TOTAL	479,241	93,000	563,238

~~F.I.R.E.S. includes Finance, Insurance, Real Estate, and Services; W.T.C.U. includes Wholesale Trade, Transportation, Communications and Utilities.~~

~~Source: Change 2003-2024 was calculated by the Planning and Development Department based on PSRC economic sector forecasts to the years 2020 and 2030 and estimates of job growth in the city to 2024.)~~

SUMMARY and FISCAL NOTE

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1. BILL SUMMARY

Legislation Title:

AN ORDINANCE, relating to land use and zoning, amending the Seattle Comprehensive Plan to reflect changes needed as part of the periodic review and to incorporate changes proposed as part of the 2014-2015 Comprehensive Plan annual amendment process and amending Section 23.52.004 of the Seattle Municipal Code.

Summary and background of the Legislation: The ordinance amends the Comprehensive Plan to incorporate text and Future Land Use Map (FLUM) amendments from several sub-area planning initiatives (Lake City and the Central Area) and an amendment proposed for the Morgan Junction Residential Urban Village. The Ordinance also includes Growth Management Act (GMA) required changes to Urban Villages, Land Use, Capital Facilities, Utilities, Economic Development and Housing Elements to address new State growth estimates and required infrastructure to accommodate those estimates. In addition, GMA changes required for Environmentally Critical Area policies and state-required changes to low-impact development policies are included. Additional discretionary amendments are proposed to the Housing and Neighborhood Plan Elements. Outdated sections of SMC 23.52.004 are deleted.

2. CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

 This legislation creates, funds, or amends a CIP Project.

3. SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

 x This legislation does not have direct financial implications.

4. OTHER IMPLICATIONS

a) Does the legislation have indirect or long-term financial impacts to the City of Seattle that are not reflected in the above?

While adoption of this Ordinance is not likely to have long-term financial implications, rezones could occur in the future related to the proposed FLUM changes, leading to some different types of development with infrastructure requirements and capital costs not previously anticipated. These increased costs, if any, would be identified and analyzed in fiscal notes accompanying future rezone legislation. The areas affected by the proposed FLUM amendments are discrete and relatively small and are unlikely to have significant effects on infrastructure or services.

b) Is there financial cost or other impacts of not implementing the legislation?

There is no direct financial cost to not adopting this legislation. The adoption of growth estimates is required by the State of Washington Growth Management Act.

c) Does this legislation affect any departments besides the originating department?

The Comprehensive Plan provides broad guidance to several departments that have roles in managing or serving development. To the extent that development would occur because of rezones based on the FLUM changes proposed at a faster rate than had previously been estimated, some capital departments, such as SDOT and SPU, may experience an increased need for their services and for infrastructure planning. These increased costs, if any, would be identified and analyzed in fiscal notes accompanying that future rezone legislation.

d) Is a public hearing required for this legislation?

Yes. City Council will hold at least one public hearing in 2015.

e) Is publication of notice with *The Daily Journal of Commerce* and/or *The Seattle Times* required for this legislation?

This legislation is subject to review under the State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA). Notice of DPD's threshold SEPA decision and notice of the public hearing appeared in the DJC and the Land Use Information Bulletin

f) Does this legislation affect a piece of property?

Adoption of this ordinance would change the FLUM designation for several pieces of property. The FLUM expresses an aspect of City policy about appropriate zoning categories for these properties. Future rezone legislation would have to be adopted for any parcels to be affected directly.

g) Please describe any perceived implication for the principles of the Race and Social Justice Initiative. Does this legislation impact vulnerable or historically disadvantaged communities?

The legislation would apply city-wide, is general in nature and does not have any implications for these communities.

h) If this legislation includes a new initiative or a major programmatic expansion: What are the long-term and measurable goals of the program? Please describe how this legislation would help achieve the program's desired goals.

There are no new initiatives or major programmatic expansions associated with this legislation.

i) Other Issues:

List attachments below:

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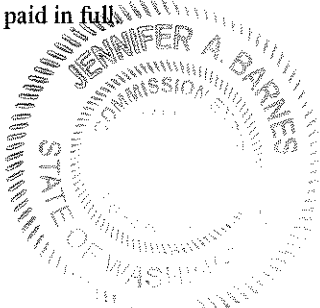
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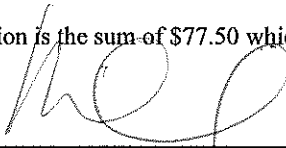
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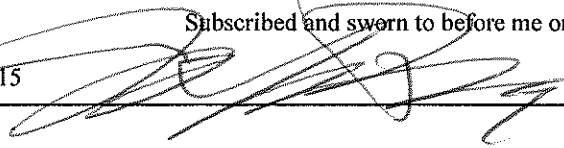
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Ordinance 124884

AN ORDINANCE appropriating money to pay certain audited claims and ordering the payment thereof.

Ordinance 124885

AN ORDINANCE relating to land use and zoning; amending Section 25.05.800 of the Seattle Municipal Code to repeal the categorical exemption for SEPA review of proposed "infill" development.

Ordinance 124886

AN ORDINANCE relating to land use and zoning; amending the Seattle Comprehensive Plan to incorporate changes relating to housing affordability proposed as part of the 2014-2016 Comprehensive Plan annual amendment process.

Ordinance 124887

AN ORDINANCE, relating to land use and zoning, amending the Seattle Comprehensive Plan to reflect changes needed as part of the periodic review and to incorporate changes proposed as part of the 2014-2016 Comprehensive Plan annual amendment process and amending Section 23.52.004 of the Seattle Municipal Code.

Ordinance 124888

AN ORDINANCE, relating to land use and zoning, amending the Seattle Comprehensive Plan to reflect changes to the University Community Urban Center goals and policies, as well as the Future Land Use Map, as part of the periodic review and to incorporate changes proposed as part of the 2014-2016 Comprehensive Plan annual amendment process.

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