ORDINANCE NO. 321-0

AN ORDINANCE DECLARING CITY OF TROUTDALE POLICY CONCERNING THE DISTRIBUTION OF GROWTH RELATED ARTERIAL STREET IMPROVEMENT COSTS AND ESTABLISHING A STREETS SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT CHARGE (SDC).

WHEREAS, In order to accommodate projected rapid population growth and the resultant increased traffic flows, the City of Troutdale will be required to make arterial street improvements such as those shown in the attached Exhibit A; and,

WHEREAS, The costs of such arterial street and related system improvements far exceed the funds provided by the State Gas Tax Revenue Share and have not been planned for or funded in the currently adopted Capital Improvements Plan; and,

WHEREAS, Other funding alternatives such as the formation of a Local Improvement District or Redevelopment Authority, the issuance of a General Obligation Bond, or the imposition of a Serial Levy may require either that a segment of the present community pay for a disproportionate share of the improvement benefits, or that the present community as a whole bear costs attributable to the influx of new community members; and,

WHEREAS, It is the City's policy that those who benefit from an improvement should pay a share of an improvement cost proportionate to benefits received and that those new persons coming into the community should "pay their own way" rather than place an added financial burden on the present community; and,

WHEREAS, A growth related arterial streets SDC, based upon added demand for street services or vehicle trips per day as illustrated by the attached Exhibit B, provides an equitable means of distributing growth related arterial street improvement costs in keeping with City programs and policy; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TROUTDALE:

SECTION 1. Short Title

This Ordinance shall be known as the ARTERIAL STREETS SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT CHARGE ORDINANCE.

SECTION 2. Policy and Program Goals

- A. It is the City's policy that an arterial streets SDC program should have as its primary goal the provision of a safe and efficient arterial streets system to serve the needs of the citizens of Troutdale at least through, and beyond, the year 2000. To achieve that goal, such a program must anticipate future growth and identify those project expenditures which will be needed to accommodate the attendant increases in traffic volume. Such a program must also provide for the equitable distribution of the necessary street project costs.
- B. It is also the City's policy that an arterial streets SDC be used to recover costs of arterial street system improvements which fall into one of the following categories:

- CATEGORY 1 -- Any project involving construction or reconstruction of, or improvements to arterial streets, which meets the following conditions.
 - It increases traffic capacity or facilitates safer, more efficient traffic flows;
 - 2. It is recommended to the Common Council by the Community Development Director and City Engineer;
 - 3. It is approved for SDC expenditure by motion of the Common Council; and
 - 4. It is deemed necessary by the Common Council <u>primarily</u> to accommodate increased traffic due to community growth in population, commerce, and/or industry, with this determination recorded in the Minutes of the Common Council.
- CATEGORY 1 -- Any arterial street system project which meets conditions 1, 2, and 3 for Category 1 above, and:
 - 1. Is deemed necessary by the Common Council <u>partly</u> to accommodate increased traffic due to community growth in population, commerce, and/or industry, with this determination recorded in the Minutes of the Common Council;
 - 2. Has its costs distributed among two or more funding sources, with SDC proceeds assigned to only that portion of the cost which is atributable according to Common Council determination to community growth in population, commerce, and/or industry.
- C. The City Council finds that at least \$705,000 at current values will become necessary for Category #1 system improvements. The City Council further finds that at least \$285,000 at current values will become necessary for Category #2 system improvements.
- D. Arterial Streets System Development Charge proceeds may be used to pay the entire cost of projects falling in Category #1 above. For projects falling in Category #2 above, arterial streets SDC proceeds may be used to pay only the Common Council approved portion of project costs, but shall not exceed 33% of the project cost.
- E. The City Council finds that alternative revenue sources were considered, and that the establishment of this charge does not unduly impact housing costs.

SECTION 3. Definitions

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Unless the context specifically indicates otherwise, the meaning of terms used in this Ordinance shall be as those defined in the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Troutdale, Oregon.

A. "Arterial Street" shall mean any street which meets the criteria specified in Section 5.220, 5.230, 5.240 or 5.250 of the Subdivision Regulations of the City of Troutdale.

- B. "Arterial Street System Improvements" shall mean any of the costs of improving rights-of-way, sidewalks, storm drainage, landscaping or any other system cost found by the Council to be related to an arterial street.
- C. "Equivalent Residential Unit" (ERU) or "Dwelling Unit Equivalent" shall have the same meaning and shall be defined as 10 trips per day by vehicle, based on trip generation rates shown in the attached Exhibit B.

SECTION 4. Charge Imposed and Explained

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- A. An Arterial Streets System Development Charge (SDC) for street improvements is hereby imposed on all developments within the City of Troutdale. The Council finds that 8,000 ERU's will be added to Troutdale by the year 2,000, and that SDC funding required for Category #1 and #2 projects totals at least \$800,000. Therefore the SDC per ERU shall be \$100, except as otherwise provided in this section.
- B. In accordance with the average number of vehicle trips per day as shown on the attached Exhibit B, residential SDC rates per dwelling unit shall be as follows:

Single family or Duplex \$100.00/Dwelling Unit Apartment or Condominium \$ 60.00/Dwelling Unit Mobile Homes \$ 54.00/Dwelling Unit

In all cases, the total residential SDC shall be the rate per dwelling unit multiplied by the number of dwelling units or spaces available for rental by type of unit.

- C. The industrial SDC rate shall be \$100.00 per ERU or \$50.00 per parking space, whichever is lower.
- D. The commercial SDC rates shall be \$100.00 per ERU or as follows, whichever is lower:
 - 1. For office, medical, low turnover sit-down restaurants and other similar uses \$75.00/per parking space
 - 2. For retail uses not included in Item 3, of this Section 4., Subsection D. \$125.00/per parking space

 - 4. For convenience markets \$250.00/per parking space
- E. The SDC rates shall be revised annually to compensate for changes in the Oregon construction price index.

SECTION 5. Collection

A. The Arterial Streets SDC shall be paid in full at the time the building permit is issued. The applicant for a building permit shall pay the applicable charge for any new construction or alteration, addition or change in use which puts the affected property into a higher SDC category than that determined upon original permit application.

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EXHIBIT A

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LIST OF POTENTIAL SDC FUNDED PROJECTS

PROJECT	TOTAL COST	SDC FUNDING
CATEGORY 1:		
Cherry Park Rd. from 262nd to Buxton (widening, sidewalks, storms)	\$ 75,000	\$ 75,000
Cherry Park Rd./Buxton/Troutdale Rd. Intersection (realignment)	\$ 35,000	\$ 35,000
Buxton/Columbia Hwy. (signal, widening)	\$120,000	\$120,000
Hensley Rd. (extension to Troutdale Rd.)	\$285,000	\$285,000
Kibling St. from 2nd to Columbia (Paving)	\$ 35,000	\$ 35,000
Troutdale/Stark St. Intersection (Signal)	\$ 80,000	\$ 80,000
Troutdale Rd. Beaver Creek Bridge (widening, rebuilding)	\$ 75,000	\$ 75,000
Total	<u>\$705,000</u>	\$705,000
CATEGORY 2:		
Hensley Rd. (widening, curbs)	over \$ 45,000 over	\$ 15,000
262nd Ave. (widening, curbs, sidewalks)	\$ 60,000	\$ 20,000
Cherry Park Rd. by Columbia High (widening, curbs)	over \$ 45,000	\$ 15,000
257th Blvd. (landscaping)	over \$ 60,000	\$ 20,000
Sandy St. at 3rd Ave. (buttressing)	over <u>\$ 75,000</u>	<u>\$ 25,000</u>
Total	over \$285,000	<u>\$ 95,000</u>
GRAND TOTAL:	<u>\$990,000</u>	\$800,000

EXHIBIT B

TRIP GENERATION RATES

I. INDUSTRY²

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- a. Light Industry (less than 500 people employed with emphasis on other than manufacturing) = 3.2 trips/employee
- c. Manufacturing (conversion of raw materials or parts into finished product)
 = 2.17 trips/employee or 4.1 trips/1,000 GSF³

II. RESIDENTIAL

a. Single family and duplexes = 10 trips/dwelling unit

b. Apartments (3 or more units) = 6.1 trips/dwelling unit

c. Condominiums = 5.6 trips/dwelling unit

d. Mobile Homes = 5.4 trips/dwelling unit

III. LODGING

- a. Hotel = 11.3/trips employee or 10.5 trips/room
- b. Motel = 10.6/trips employee or 9.6 trips/room

IV. INSTITUTIONAL

- a. Elementary School = .51 trips/student
- b. High School = 1.22 trips/student
- c. Junior/Community College = 1.55/trips student
- d. University = 2.41 trips/student
- e. Library = 51 trips/employee or 41.8 trips/1,000 GSF

¹Trip Generation, An Informational Report, Institute of Transportation Engineers, 1976.
²Categories are further defined in detail in the ITE Report.

³GSF -- Gross Square Feet.

V. MEDICAL

a. Hospital = 5.5 trips/employee or 12.2 trips/bed or 16.9 trips/1,000 GSF

- b. Nursing Home = 2.7 trips/bed

VI. OFFICE

- a. General Office Building = 3.46 trips/employee or 11.7 Trips/1,000 GSF
- b. Medical Office Building = 75 trips/1,000 GSF
- c. Government Office Building = 12 trips/employee or 68.9 trips/1,000 GSF
- d. Office Park = 3.33 trips/employee or 20.7 trips/1,000 GSF
- e. Research Center = 3.11 trips/employee or 9.33 trips/1,000 GSF

VII. RETAIL

- a. Shopping Centers
 - 1. Neighborhood (less than 100,000 GSF)

A. 0 - 49,999 GSF = 115.8 trips/1,000 GSF

B. 50,000 - 99,999 GSF = 79.1 trips/1,000 GSF

2. Community (100,000 - 499,000 GSF)

A. 100,000 - 199,000 GSF = 60.4 trips/1,000 GSF

- B. 200,000 299,000 GSF = 49.9 trips/1,000 GSF
- C. 300,000 399,000 GSF = 40.4 trips/1,000 GSF
- D. 400,000 499,000 GSF = 47.6 trips/1,000 GSF
- 3. Regional (more than 500,000 GSF)
 - A. 500,000 999,000 GSF = 34.5 trips/1,000 GSF
 - B. 1,000,000 1,249,999 GSF = 31.1 trips/1,000 GSF
 - C. Over 1,250,000 GSF = 26.5 trips/1,000 GSF
- b. Discount Store = 64.6 trips/1,000 GSF
- c. Quality Restaurant (turn over rate of one hour or longer)
 = 1.2 trips/seat or 56.3 trips/1,000 GSF

- e. Drive-In Restaurant (have no or only limited sit-down facilities)
 = 553 trips/1,000 GSF
- f. New Car Sales = 300 trips/site
- g. Service Station = 375 trips/site or 66 trips/pump
- h. Car Wash = 59.6 trips/site
- i. Super Market (open a maximum of 12 hours/day) = 125.5 trips/1,000 GSF
- j. Convenience Market (open 15 24 hours/day)
 - 1. Market open 15 16 hours/day = 322.6 trips/1,000 GSF
 - 2. Market open 24 hours/day = 577.5 trips/1,000 GSF

B. The Community Development Director shall have authority to decide the applicability and amount of the SDC for any given property, except as provided in Section 7 of this Ordinance.

SECTION 6. Identification of Revenues

All funds generated by the arterial streets SDC shall be received into a revenue account within the Street Fund. The Annual Budget shall identify all Category #1 and Category #2 projects to be undertaken in that fiscal year.

SECTION 7. Appeals

Any person who is aggrieved by a decision required or permitted to be made by the Community Development Director under this Ordinance may appeal that decision to the Common Council by filing a written request with the City Recorder, describing the decision of the Community Development Director which is being appealed and submitting any supporting information to be considered by the Council.

SECTION 8. Severability Clause

If any clause, sentence, paragraph, section, or portion of this Ordinance for any reason shall be adjudged invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such judgement shall not affect, impair, or invalidate the remainder of this Ordinance, but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph, section, or portion of this Ordinance directly involved in the controversy in which the judgement is rendered.

PASSED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TROUTDALE THIS <u>lst</u> DAY OF <u>April</u> 19 80.

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R. M. Sturges, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Finance Director/City Recorder