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Former Fort Ord Regional Urban Design Guidelines Public Review Invitation

The public is invited to a Fort Ord Reuse Authority (FORA) Open House and Board of Directors Workshop previewing draft Regional Urban Design Guidelines (RUDG) on Monday, November 2, 2015 at Carpenter's Union Hall, 910 2nd Avenue in Marina.

The RUDG refine 1997 Base Reuse Plan community design goals and establish standards for road design, set-backs, building height, signage, landscaping and other matters of visual importance for most future projects on former Fort Ord.

- ***Open House: 10 a.m. – Noon and 4 - 6 p.m.***
- ***Workshop: Noon - 2:30 p.m.***

Development of the RUDG began in early 2014 and included the FORA Board adopting a work plan, appointing a RUDG Task Force, selecting design consultants, hosting a series of public workshops and community-wide design charrette, and seeking jurisdictional input.

FORA's mission is to prepare, adopt, finance, and implement a plan for the former Fort Ord including land use, transportation systems, conservation of land/water, recreation and business operations. To meet these objectives, FORA adopted the Base Reuse Plan as the official local regional plan to enhance and deliver economic recovery while protecting designated natural resources.

Additional RUDG information is posted at www.fora.org or by contacting Josh Metz, Economic Development Coordinator at (831) 883-3672 or josh@fora.org.

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