

RIVERS TO RIDGES COMMUNITY FORUM QUESTIONNAIRE

The Eugene and Springfield city councils, the Lane County Board of Commissioners, and the Willamalane Park & Recreation District Board of Directors are seeking community input to develop a regional vision for parks and open space in our metropolitan area. Your response to this questionnaire will be used to help create that vision. Please drop off your completed questionnaires at the Public Forum or mail to Jeff Krueger at Lane Council of Governments, 99 E. Broadway, Suite 400, Eugene, Oregon 97401-3111.

1. Which of the following open space attributes are the most important to you (check your top three):

- Recreation (hiking, bicycling, bird watching, picnicking, etc.)
- Education and interpretation of natural, cultural, and historic resources
- Natural resource values (water quality, wildlife habitat, and biological diversity)
- Buffers maintaining community identity between the metro area and nearby small cities
- Scenic views and vistas (scenic quality)
- Connected open space areas and recreational corridors (connectivity)
- Farm resource values
- Forest resource values
- Other _____

2. Do you feel our community needs more publicly owned open space in and around the Eugene/Springfield metropolitan area?

- Yes, a great deal more Yes, a little more Currently enough No, currently too much

3. What do you feel are the three most important publicly owned park or open space areas in the metropolitan area?

4. What, if any, additional scenic, natural, and/or open space areas do you feel are important to the metropolitan area and need protection?
Please list below or identify these areas on the Existing Public Open Space Map ([ExistingOpenspaceMap.pdf](#)).

5. Where do you live?

Eugene

Springfield

Within ten miles of the metropolitan area

Do not reside near the metropolitan area

6. What is your zip code? _____

7. Please add any additional comments you feel would be helpful.