

It will be impossible for me to drive to Salem on Monday with this weather but please hear me out:

This wholesale zoning change will achieve nothing but pack more people into neighborhoods that are already properly zoned and perfectly filled out. Parking problems, overcrowding in schools, razing if perfectly good homes and the destruction of what makes Portland so charming will ensue. This isn't a paranoid rant - it's the consensus from the residents of my neighborhood. Please vote NO on this as it will never achieve the stated goals. It's merely a gift wrapped opportunity for builders with no concern or vision for these wonderful, Established neighborhoods of the east side.

Regards,

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