HOUSE MINORITY REPORT AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 3261

By Nonconcurring Members of COMMITTEE ON HOUSING

March 25

| 1 | On page 1 of the printed bill, line 2, delete "; and declaring an emergency". |
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| 2 | Delete lines 4 through 31 and delete page 2 and insert: |
| 3 | "SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2021 Act is added to and made a part of ORS chapter 197. |
| 4 | "SECTION 2. (1) As used in this section: |
| 5 | "(a) 'Workforce commercial' means commercial use, in buildings not larger than 2,000 |
| 6 | square feet, that is of a type and scale supportive of nearby households in workforce housing |
| 7 | "(b) 'Workforce housing' means housing that is affordable to households with incomes |
| 8 | equal to the area median income as defined in ORS 456.270. |
| 9 | "(2) A local government shall amend its urban growth boundary upon a petition from a |
| 10 | landowner to include land if: |
| 11 | "(a) The land is designated as an urban reserve under ORS 195.137 to 195.145; |
| 12 | "(b) A local government, a district as defined in ORS 195.060 or a combination thereof |
| 13 | has committed to providing the land with all necessary urban services, as defined in ORS |
| 14 | 195.065, within two years; |
| 15 | "(c) The land is subject to an affordable housing covenant as described in ORS 456.270 to |
| 16 | 456.295 with a duration of no less than 60 years and that allows the development and use of |
| 17 | the land only for: |
| 18 | "(A) Workforce housing uses; and |
| 19 | "(B) Workforce commercial uses; and |
| 20 | "(d) The land is: |
| 21 | "(A) Not designated for protection in an acknowledged comprehensive plan pursuant to |
| 22 | open spaces, scenic and historic areas and natural resource goals unless the land retains this |
| 23 | designation after inclusion within the urban growth boundary; and |
| 24 | "(B) Capable of being rezoned for workforce housing and workforce commercial consist |
| 25 | ent with any land use planning goal relating to transportation planning. |
| 26 | "(3) As part of the urban growth boundary amendment described in subsection (2) of this |
| 27 | section, the local government shall amend its comprehensive plan or land use regulations to |
| 28 | allow the land to be used for workforce housing or both workforce housing and workforce |
| 29 | commercial. Nothing in this section prohibits a city from imposing on the land additional |
| 30 | conditions on housing affordability allowed under ORS 197.309.". |
| 31 | /s/ Lily Morgan |
| 32 | Representative |
| 33 | /s/ Suzanne Weber |
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