BEFORE THE METRO COUNCIL

FOR THE PURPOSE OF ANNEXING)	ORDINANCE NO. 08-1199
LANDS ON THE EAST SIDE)	
OF NW HELVETIA RD. SOUTH OF)	
WEST UNION RD. AND NORTH OF)	
JACOBSON RD. TO THE METRO)	
JURISDICTIONAL BOUNDARY)	
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)	Introduced by Council President,
)	David Bragdon
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WHEREAS, the duty and authority to review and approve annexations to the Metro jurisdictional boundary is granted to Metro pursuant to Oregon Revised Statute 268.354 (3) (c); and

WHEREAS, Metro received a complete petition from the property owners and registered voters of a certain tract of land depicted on the attached map and described in Exhibit A to this ordinance, requesting that their property be annexed to Metro; and

WHEREAS, Metro received written consent from a majority of the electors in the territory to be annexed and owners of more than half the land in the territory proposed to be annexed, as required by ORS 198.855 (3); and

WHEREAS, Metro Council in Ordinance No. 04-1040B, For the Purpose of Amending the Metro Urban Growth Boundary, the Regional Framework Plan and the Metro Code to Increase the Capacity of the Boundary to Accommodate Growth in Industrial Employment to the Year 2022 adopted on June 24, 2004 to include the territory described in Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, a report was prepared as required by law and Metro having considered the report and the testimony at the public hearing, does hereby favor annexation of the subject property based on the findings and reasons for decision attached hereto as Exhibit B; now therefore

THE METRO COUNCIL ORDAINS;

The territory described in Exhibit A and depicted on the attached map is hereby annexed to the Metro jurisdictional boundary.

ADOPTED by the Metro Council this day of

David Bragdon, Council President

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ATTEST

Officially Approved

Daniel Cooper, Metro Attorney

Approved as to Form

Metro Council

Ordinance No. 08-1199 Exhibit A Legal/Territorial Description of Property

City of Hillsboro Annex 3-08: Baker et. al. Proposed legal description MF June 2, 2008

Exhibit 'A', page 1

PARCEL 1

A tract of land located in the northeast one-quarter and northwest one-quarter of Section 15, Township 1 North, Range 2 West, Willamette Meridian, Washington County, Oregon, being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner Lot 14, Lennox Acres, a duly recorded subdivision in said county;

thence North 17°06'41" East, along the west boundary of said lot, a distance of 1198.76 feet to centerline of NW West Union Road;

thence South 86°30'55" East, along the centerline of said road, a distance of 1264.42 feet to a point of curvature therein;

thence, continuing along said centerline, along the arc of a 718.89 foot radius curve to the right, through a central angle of 20°38'30" an arc distance of 258.99 feet, the chord of which bears South 76°11'40" East, 257.59 feet to a point of tangency therein;

thence continuing along said centerline, South 65°52'25" East a distance of 261.18 feet to its intersection with the east boundary of the 500 foot wide Bonneville Power Administration power line right-of-way as described in Book 702,Page 303, in deed records of said county;

thence South 7°17'33" West, along said east boundary, a distance of 31.34 feet to the south right-ofway line of NW West Union Road;

thence along said south right-of-way line, North 65°52'25" West a distance of 270.25 feet to a point of curvature therein;

thence, continuing along south right-of-way line, along the arc of a 688.89 foot radius curve to the left, through a central angle of 20°38'30" an arc distance of 248.18 feet, the chord of which bears North 76°11'40" West, 246.84 feet to a point of tangency therein;

thence, continuing along south right-of-way line, North 86°30'55" West a distance of 119.22 feet to the east boundary Lot 12, Lennox Acres;

thence South 17° 06'10" West, along said east boundary, a distance of 1081.26 feet to the north rightof-way line of NW Pubols Road; thence South 89° 38' 40" East, along said right-of-way line, a distance of 813.06 feet to its intersection with the east boundary of the 500 foot wide Bonneville Power Administration power line right-of-way as described in Book 702, Page 303, in deed records of said county;

thence South 7°17'33" West, along said east boundary, a distance of 20.15 feet to the centerline of NW Pubols Road;

thence North 89°38'40" West, along said centerline, a distance of 1986.52 feet to the place of beginning.

PARCEL 2

A tract of land located in the southeast one-quarter and southwest one-quarter of Section 15, Township 1 North, Range 2 West, Willamette Meridian, Washington County, Oregon, being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of Parcel 2, Partition Plat 1992-091, a duly recorded subdivision in said county;

thence tracing the boundary of said plat through the following seven courses:

South 0°20'08" West a distance of 490.17 feet to an angle point therein; North 89°39'52"West a distance of 100.00 feet to an angle point therein; South 0°19'25" West a distance of 150.35 feet to an angle point therein; North 89°40'13" West a distance of 123.11 feet to an angle point therein; North 81°59'17" West a distance of 396.08 feet to an angle point therein; North 50°13'55" West a distance of 127.43 to a point;

thence, leaving said boundary, North 72°53'10" West a distance of 60.36 feet to the centerline of NW Helvetia Road (C.R. A-142);

thence along said centerline, tracing the arc of a 1432.40 foot radius non-tangent curve to the right, an arc distance of 126.10 feet, through a central angle of 5°02'38", the chord of which bears North 13°32'35" East, 126.06';

thence North 17°06'50" East, along the said centerline, a distance of 799.79 feet to the projection of the southerly boundary of that tract of land described in deed to Junhi and Haesoon Hong, recorded 12/06/1994 as document number 94109096 in deed records of said county;

thence South 72°53'10" East, along said projection and southerly boundary, a distance of 710.0 feet to the southeast corner of said Hong tract;

thence North 17°06'50" East, along the east boundary of said Hong tract, a distance of 621.68 feet to the northeast corner thereof an a point on the south boundary of Lennox Acres;

thence South 89° 39'30" East, along the south boundary of said Lennox Acres, a distance of 1697.18 feet to its intersection with the west boundary of the 500 foot wide Bonneville Power Administration power line right-of-way as described in Book 702, Page 303, in deed records of said county,

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thence South 7°17'33" West, along said west boundary, a distance of 1425.33 feet to the north rightof-way line of NW Jacobson Road (C.R. 2579);

thence North 89°40'16" West, along said right-of-way line, a distance of 535.84 feet to a point of curvature therein;

thence, tracing said right-of-way line, along the arc of a 2035.0 foot radius curve to the left, through a central of 4°57'49", an arc distance of 176.29 feet, the chord of which bears South 87°50'49" West, 176.24 feet, to a point of reverse curvature;

thence, tracing said right-of-way line, along the arc of a 1965.0 foot radius curve to the right, through a central of 4°57'26", an arc distance of 170.01 feet, the chord of which bears South 87°50'38" West, 169.96 feet, to the east boundary of the Coan tract as described in document number 2003-079510, recorded 5-19-2003 in deed record of said county;

thence North 0°20'08" East, along said east boundary, a distance of 640.05 feet to the northeast corner thereof;

thence North 89°38'42" West, along the north boundary of said Coan tract, a distance of 990.00 feet to the place of beginning.

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Ordinance No. 08-1199 Exhibit B

FINDINGS

Based on the study and the public hearing, the Council found:

- 1. The territory is located on the west edge of the District on the east side of NW Helvetia Rd. north of NW Jacobson Rd. and south of West Union Road. The territory contains 99.41 acres and 2 single family dwellings, two commercial structures and is valued at \$255,630.
- 2. The annexation is being sought to continue the process which will lead to development of the property. The property has been included in the Urban Growth Boundary and annexed to the City of Hillsboro. The City developed the Concept Plan for the area (Helvetia Area Industrial Plan) and adopted it on February 5, 2008. The Metro Functional Plan requires that the entity responsible for the Concept Plan make annexation to the Metro jurisdictional boundary a requirement of the Plan. This annexation will meet that requirement.
- 3. Oregon Revised Statute 198.850 (2) directs the Council to consider the local comprehensive plan for the area and any service agreement executed between a local government and the affected district.

A second set of criteria can be found in Chapter 3.09 of the Metro Code. That Code states:

- (e) The following criteria shall apply in lieu of the criteria set forth in subsection (d) of section 3.09.050. The Metro Council's final decision on a boundary change shall include findings and conclusions that demonstrate:
- 1. The affected territory lies within the UGB;
- 2. The territory is subject to measures that prevent urbanization until the territory is annexed to a city or to service districts that will provide necessary urban services; and
- 3. The proposed change is consistent with any applicable cooperative or urban service agreements adopted pursuant to ORS chapter 195.

Additionally Metro Code 3.09.050 (b) requires issuance of a report that addresses:

- (1) The extent to which urban services are available to serve the affected territory, including any extraterritorial extensions of service;
- (2) Whether the proposed boundary change will result in the withdrawal of the affected territory from the legal boundary of any necessary party; and
- (3) The proposed effective date of the boundary change."
- a. Tax Lot 300 abutting West Union Road slopes gradually to the south. The other properties

adjacent to NW Jacobson Rd., slope towards the north west and contain agricultural fields.

To the south (across NW Jacobson) lies an industrial subdivision. To the east, inside the Urban Growth Boundary (UGB), is farmland. To the north and west, outside the UGB, lies farmland.

5. This territory abuts the Metro jurisdictional boundary on the south and east.

The law that requires Metro to adopt criteria for boundary changes specifically states that Metro shall "... ensure that a boundary change is in compliance with the Metro regional framework plan as defined in ORS 197.015 and cooperative agreements and urban service agreements adopted pursuant to ORS 195." ORS 197.015 says "Metro regional framework plan means the regional framework plan required by the 1992 Metro Charter or its separate components." The Regional Framework Plan was reviewed and found not to contain specific criteria applicable to boundary changes.

There are two adopted regional functional plans, the Urban Growth Management Plan and the Regional Transportation Plan.

The Urban Growth Management Functional Plan contains only one provision in its Title 11 component which speaks to annexations and prescribes a directly applicable standard or criterion for an annexation boundary change. Title 11, Section 3.07.1110.A, Interim Protection of Areas Brought into the Urban Growth Boundary, concerns "annexations" of land added to the UGB. It requires local comprehensive plan amendments for land added to the UGB to include "provisions for annexation to the (Metro) district and to a city or any necessary service district prior to urbanization of the territory . . . to provide all required urban services". By its terms, this Title 11 provision requires local comprehensive plans to assure the provision of adequate public facilities and services to land added to the UGB. This is to be accomplished through annexation of such lands to the Metro District, the affected city and/or any special service district responsible for providing such facilities and services to the land prior to its urban development. The land has been annexed to a City which can provide adequate urban services.

The Regional Transportation Plan was examined and found not to contain any directly applicable standards and criteria for boundary changes.

This area was added to the UGB by the Metro Council in 2004 (Metro Ordinance No. 04-1040B).

- 6. The territory was annexed to the City of Hillsboro on June 17, 2008. The territory has been designated HSID –Helvetia Area Special Industrial District. Because this area was only recently added to the Regional Urban Growth Boundary it was not included Urban Service Agreement adopted pursuant to ORS 195.
- 7. Water service is available from a Tualatin Valley Water district line in NW West Union Road 2000 feet west of the site. Sewer service is available from a City line along the western City limit line 1000 feet east of the site. The City has storm sewer lines adjacent in NW Jacobson Road and Ordinance Findings, Page 2 of 2

2000 feet west in NW West Union Road. NW Helvetia Rd., West Union Rd. and Jacobson Road serve the site.

8. Metro provides a number of services on the regional level. Primary among these is regional land use planning and maintenance of the regional Urban Growth Boundary. Metro has provided this service to this site through the process of reviewing and approving the inclusion of this area in the UGB.

Metro provides some direct park service at what are basically regional park facilities and has an extensive green spaces acquisition program funded by the region's voters. Metro is responsible for solid waste disposal including the regional transfer stations and contracting for the ultimate disposal at Arlington. The District runs the Oregon Zoo and other regional facilities such as the Convention Center and the Performing Arts Center. These are all basically regional services provided for the benefit of and paid for by the residents within the region. These facilities are funded through service charges, excise taxes and other revenues including a small tax base for operating expenses at the Zoo and tax levies for bonded debt.

Metro has no service agreements with local governments that would be relative to district annexation in general or to this particular site.

CONCLUSIONS AND REASONS FOR DECISION

Based on the Findings, the Council concluded:

- 1. Oregon Revised Statutes 198 requires the Council to consider the local comprehensive plan when deciding a boundary change. The Council has reviewed the applicable comprehensive plan which is the Hillsboro Comprehensive Plan and finds that it contains no directly applicable criteria for making district boundary change decisions.
- 2. Oregon Revised Statutes 198 also requires consideration of "any service agreement executed between a local government and the affected district." As noted in Finding No. 6 the no Urban Service Agreement is in effect for this area.
- 3. Metro Code 3.09.070 (e) (1) establishes inclusion of the territory within the Urban Growth Boundary as one criterion for any annexation subject to the Metro rules. The Council has made such a determination as noted in Finding No. 5. Therefore the Council finds this proposed annexation to be consistent with that criterion.
- 4. The final criterion to be considered under the Metro Code 3.09.120 (e) (2) is "The territory is subject to measures that prevent urbanization until the territory is annexed to a city or to service districts that will provide necessary urban services." As noted in Finding 6 the territory has been annexed to Hillsboro and as stated in Finding 7 the City has necessary urban services available. The Council concludes this criterion is met.

STAFF REPORT

IN CONSIDERATION OF ORDINANCE NO. 08-1199 FOR THE PURPOSE OF ANNEXING LANDS ON THE EAST SIDE OF NW HELVETIA RD. SOUTH OF WEST UNION RD. AND NORTH OF JACOBSON RD. TO THE METRO JURISDICTIONAL BOUNDARY

Date: August 28, 2008 Prepared by: Ken Martin, Annexation Staff

SECTION I: APPLICATION SUMMARY

CASE: AN-0208, Annexation To Metro Jurisdictional Boundary

APPLICANT: Owners of 100% Land Area of Three Properties

PROPOSAL: The petitioners are requesting annexation to the Metro boundary following the

Metro Council's addition of the property to the Urban Growth Boundary and the subsequent annexation of the property to the city of Hillsboro on June 17, 2008.

LOCATION: The territory is located on the north edge of the District on the east side of NW

Helvetia Rd. north of NW Jacobson Rd. and south of West Union Road. (See

Figure 1).

PLAN/ZONING City of Hillsboro HSID – Helvetia Area Special Industrial District.

APPLICABLE

REVIEW CRITERIA: ORS Chapter 198, Metro Code 3.09

SECTION II: STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends adoption of Ordinance No. 08-1199 approving Boundary Change Proposal No. AN-0208, annexation to Metro.

SECTION III: BACKGROUND INFORMATION

<u>Initiation</u>: Proposal No. AN-0208 was initiated by a consent petition of the property owners and registered voters. The petition meets the requirement for initiation set forth in ORS 198.855 (3) (double majority annexation law), ORS 198.750 (section of statute which specifies contents of petition) and Metro Code 3.09.040 (a) (which lists minimum requirements for petition).

<u>Site Information</u>: The territory is located on the west edge of the District on the east side of NW Helvetia Rd. north of NW Jacobson Rd. and south of West Union Road. The territory contains 99.41 acres and 2 single family dwellings, two commercial structures and is valued at \$255,630.

REASON FOR ANNEXATION

The annexation is being sought to continue the process which will lead to development of the property. The property has been included in the Urban Growth Boundary and annexed to the City of Hillsboro. The City developed the Concept Plan for the area (Helvetia Area Industrial Plan) and adopted it on February 5, 2008. The Metro Functional Plan requires that the entity responsible for the Concept Plan make annexation to the Metro jurisdictional boundary a requirement of the Plan. This annexation will meet that requirement.

CRITERIA

Oregon Revised Statute 198.850 (2) directs the Council to consider the local comprehensive plan for the area and any service agreement executed between a local government and the affected district.

A second set of criteria can be found in Chapter 3.09 of the Metro Code. That Code states:

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- 3. The proposed change is consistent with any applicable cooperative or urban service agreements adopted pursuant to ORS chapter 195.

Additionally Metro Code 3.09.050 (b) requires issuance of a report that addresses:

- (1) The extent to which urban services are available to serve the affected territory, including any extraterritorial extensions of service;
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LAND USE PLANNING

SITE CHARACTERISTICS

Tax Lot 300 abutting West Union Road slopes gradually to the south. The other properties adjacent to NW Jacobson Rd., slope towards the north west and contain agricultural fields.

To the south (across NW Jacobson) lies an industrial subdivision. To the east, inside the Urban Growth Boundary (UGB), is farmland. To the north and west, outside the UGB, lies farmland.

REGIONAL PLANNING

This territory abuts the Metro jurisdictional boundary on the south and east.

Regional Framework Plan

The law that requires Metro to adopt criteria for boundary changes specifically states that Metro shall "... ensure that a boundary change is in compliance with the Metro regional framework plan as defined in ORS 197.015 and cooperative agreements and urban service agreements adopted pursuant to ORS 195." ORS 197.015 says "Metro regional framework plan means the regional framework plan required by the 1992 Metro Charter or its separate components." The Regional Framework Plan was reviewed and found not to contain specific criteria applicable to boundary changes.

There are two adopted regional functional plans, the Urban Growth Management Plan and the Regional Transportation Plan.

The Urban Growth Management Functional Plan contains only one provision in its Title 11 component which speaks to annexations and prescribes a directly applicable standard or criterion for an annexation boundary change. Title 11, Section 3.07.1110.A, Interim Protection of Areas Brought into the Urban Growth Boundary, concerns "annexations" of land added to the UGB. It requires local comprehensive plan amendments for land added to the UGB to include "provisions for annexation to the (Metro) district and to a city or any necessary service district prior to urbanization of the territory . . . to provide all required urban services". By its terms, this Title 11 provision requires local comprehensive plans to assure the provision of adequate public facilities and services to land added to the UGB. This is to be accomplished through annexation of such lands to the Metro District, the affected city and/or any special service district responsible for providing such facilities and services to the land prior to its urban development. The land has been annexed to a City which can provide adequate urban services.

The Regional Transportation Plan was examined and found not to contain any directly applicable standards and criteria for boundary changes.

Urban Growth Boundary Change

This area was added to the UGB by the Metro Council in 2004 (Metro Ordinance No. 04-1040B).

CITY PLANNING

The territory was annexed to the City of Hillsboro on June 17, 2008. The territory has been designated HSID – Helvetia Area Special Industrial District. Because this area was only recently added to the Regional Urban Growth Boundary it was not included Urban Service Agreement adopted pursuant to ORS 195.

FACILITIES AND SERVICES

<u>Public Services</u>. Water service is available from a Tualatin Valley Water district line in NW West Union Road 2000 feet west of the site. Sewer service is available from a City line along the western City limit line 1000 feet east of the site. The City has storm sewer lines adjacent in NW Jacobson Road and 2000 feet west in NW West Union Road. NW Helvetia Rd., West Union Rd. and Jacobson Road serve the site.

<u>Metro Services</u>. Metro provides a number of services on the regional level. Primary among these is regional land use planning and maintenance of the regional Urban Growth Boundary. Metro has provided this service to this site through the process of reviewing and approving the inclusion of this area in the UGB.

Metro provides some direct park service at what are basically regional park facilities and has an extensive green spaces acquisition program funded by the region's voters. Metro is responsible for solid waste disposal including the regional transfer stations and contracting for the ultimate disposal at Arlington. The District runs the Oregon Zoo and other regional facilities such as the Convention Center and the Performing Arts Center. These are all basically regional services provided for the benefit of and paid for by the residents within the region. These facilities are funded through service charges, excise taxes and other revenues including a small tax base for operating expenses at the Zoo and tax levies for bonded debt.

Metro has no service agreements with local governments that would be relative to district annexation in general or to this particular site.

SECTION IV: ANALYSIS/INFORMATION

- 1. **Known Opposition** There is no known opposition to this annexation. No one has contacted staff on this matter despite extensive notification which included posting and publishing of notices and notices to surrounding property owners.
- **2. Legal Antecedents** This annexation is a follow-up to the UGB change passed by the Council as Ordinance 04-1040B. The annexation is being processed under provisions of ORS 198 and Metro Code 3.09
- **3. Anticipated Effects** No significant effect is anticipated. The uses allowed on this site will be under the control of the City of Hillsboro and as anticipated by the Metro UGB expansion.
- 4. **Budget Impacts** None

SECTION V: SUMMARY AND RECOMMENDATION

This petition seeks to annex approximately 99.41 acres of land into the Metro Jurisdictional boundary in order to provide for future industrial development within the City of Hillsboro. Based on the study above and the proposed Findings and Reasons For Decision found in Attachment A, the staff recommends that Proposed Annexation No. AN-0208 be *approved*. This approval should be implemented by adoption of Ordinance No. 08-1199 (attached).

Ordinance No. 08-1199 Attachment 2 FINDINGS

Based on the study and the public hearing, the Council found:

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