THE CITY OF WHEELER, OREGON COMPREHENSIVE PLAN Statement of Goals and Policies

GOAL 18: BEACHES AND DUNES

INTRODUCTION:

The City is not required to address Oregon Statewide Planning Goal 18 Beaches and Dunes as there are no beaches and dunes within the current Wheeler jurisdiction. However, as Wheeler is located along the Nehalem River, which is tidally affected and adjacent to the beaches and dunes of the Pacific Ocean, the City is affected by development associated with beaches and dunes and by Tsunami Hazard. Therefore, the City adopts this Goal 18 as it seeks to ensure that development with the potential to affect Wheeler is consistent with Goal18 Beaches and Dunes Policies.

GOAL:

To support the conservation, protection, where appropriate development, and where appropriate restoration of the resources and benefits of coastal beach and dune areas consistent with their natural limitations and ecological, recreational, aesthetic, water resource, and economic values.