In the next 20 years, the Portland metro region will need new, safe and secure water supplies to ensure Oregon’s long-term economic viability, environmental health and sustainability. Water needs in Washington County’s Tualatin Basin alone are projected to double by 2050.

The Tualatin Basin Water Supply Project is a basin-wide, integrated water resource management project that will diversify the region’s water supply; help ensure we are able to respond to anticipated climate change; and meet the 50-year water supply needs for:

- Water quality and critical habitat improvements in the Tualatin River and its tributaries
- Cities, industry and economic development
- Agriculture

**Title Transfer may streamline water management**

Water supply partners are also exploring Title Transfer of the Tualatin Project (Scoggins Dam, Hagg Lake and associated lands and irrigation facilities) from federal to local ownership. Title Transfer could reduce decision-making complexity, improve flexibility and allow for more efficient management of water resources in the Tualatin Basin.

**Project earns strong support**

The Tualatin Basin Water Supply Project and Title Transfer study have earned strong community support from stakeholders who recognize that this project is critical to the long-term economic vitality, environmental health and sustainability of the region. Project supporters include:

- Oregon State Legislature
- Washington County
- Clean Water Services
- Tualatin Valley Water District
- Tualatin Valley Irrigation District
- City of Hillsboro
- City of Beaverton
- City of Tigard
- City of Forest Grove
- City of Tualatin
- City of Sherwood
- City of North Plains
- City of Cornelius
- City of Banks
- Intel Corporation
- Genentech
- Nike
- Portland General Electric
- Westside Economic Alliance
- PacTrust
- Oregon Business Association
- Solar Energy Industry Association
- Hillsboro Chamber of Commerce
- Beaverton Chamber of Commerce
- Portland Business Alliance
- Portland Metro Homebuilders Association
- Tualatin Soil & Water Conservation District
- Oregon Council of Trout Unlimited
- Tualatin River Watershed Council