OAK SPRINGS TRIP GENERATION & DISTRIBUTION ANALYSIS

Thurston County, WA



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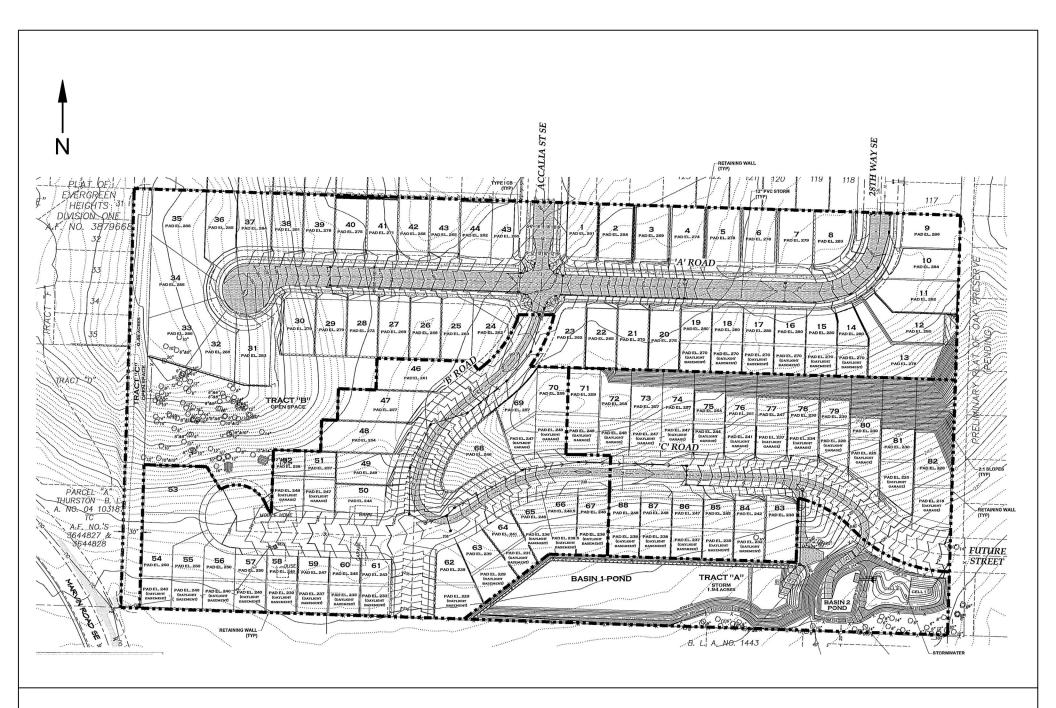
The intent of this assessment is to provide Thurston County with a trip generation summary and site characteristics for the proposed project herein referred to as Oak Springs. A project description is provided below.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Oak Springs is a proposed single-family plat consisting of up to 90 new dwelling units in Thurston County. The subject property is situated on an undeveloped, 20-acre parcel (tax parcel: 11825240000) located on the east side of Marvin Road SE. Access to and from the plat would be via extensions and connections to existing local roadways (i.e., no new intersection on Marvin Road). Access to the north would be available by way of Accalia Street SE and 28th Way SE southerly extensions. Additional connectivity to future roadways to the east and south would also be included. A vicinity map of the surrounding roadway network is provided below with the subject parcel outlined in red. A conceptual site plan is presented on the following page which illustrates the overall lot layout and site configuration. It should be noted that the site plan identifies 88 single-family homes, however, the final layout may accommodate up to 90 dwelling units.

Figure 1: Aerial Vicinity





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SITE PLAN FIGURE 2

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TRIP GENERATION

The magnitude of the anticipated vehicle trip generation for the proposed project was derived from the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE) publication, *Trip Generation Manual,* 11th Edition.

The utilized Land Use Code (LUC) is defined under ITE's *LUC 210 – Single-Family Detached Housing*. Dwelling units were applied as the input variable and ITE equations were used in determining trip ends.

Table 1: Project Trip Generation

Land Use	Size	AWDT -	AM Peak-Hour Trips			PM Peak-Hour Trips		
Land Ose			In	Out	Total	In	Out	Total
Single-Family	Up to 90 units	916	18	50	68	57	33	90

Based on ITE data, the proposed project is estimated to generate approximately 916 daily weekday trips with 68 trips (18 inbound / 50 outbound) occurring in the AM peak hour and 90 trips (57 inbound / 33 outbound) In the PM peak hour. It should be noted that projects that generate 100 or more peak hour trips typically require a full Transportation Impact Analysis (TIA). As this proposed development falls below the thresholds, a trip generation/distribution analysis has been prepared.

PLANNED IMPROVEMENTS

The Marvin Road Concurrency has recently been lifted, indicating funding and improvements along the subject corridor have been secured. Improvements consist of new roundabouts at varying locations, channelization improvements, non-motorist amenities, and more. The projects would increase safety, decrease congestion, and improve overall mobility. The project would initially start with constructing a new roundabout at Marvin Road E & Mullen Road and continue improvements to the north ending at Pacific Avenue. See image to right for an example of a planned roundabout and Marvin Road & 19th Avenue SE.



TRIP ASSIGNMENT AND DISTRIBUTION

Trip distribution to and from the site have been established based on TAZ 991 distribution from Thurston Regional Planning Council. All traffic has been assigned via Marvin Road SE by way of Woodgrove Street SE with an approximate 80/20 north/south split. See Figure 3 on the following page for PM peak hour volume assignment. No connectivity to/from the south and east was assumed for the analysis.

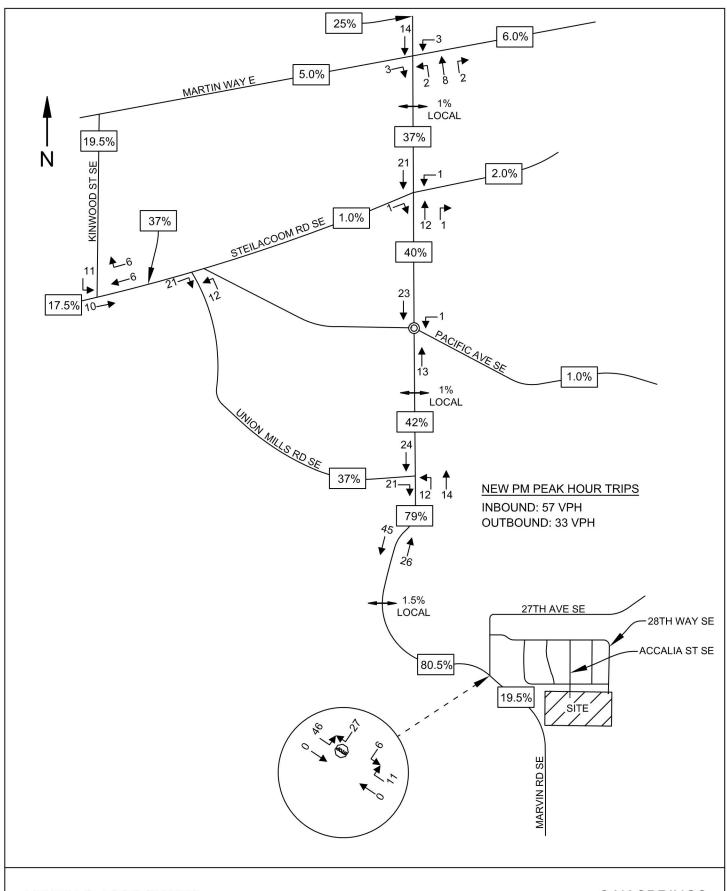
CONCLUSION

Oak Springs is a proposed development consisting of up to 90 single-family dwelling units. A site plan illustrating the ingress/egress points is provided in Figure 2. Based on the unit count and applying ITE data, the project is estimated to generate 916 average weekday daily trips with 68 trips occurring in the AM peak hour and 90 trip in the PM peak hour. The projected trip values fall under the County's thresholds for a full TIA and therefore this analysis includes trip generation and distribution evaluation.

Trip distribution, per the subject parcel's location, was based on TAZ 991. Figure 3 illustrates the PM peak hour volumes with travel assignments at various outlying intersections. As part of the Marvin Road Corridor Intersection Improvements, several County projects are identified and planned for construction. With no Marvin Road concurrency, Oak Springs would be subject to Traffic Impact Fees (TIF).

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PM PEAK HOUR TRIP DISTRIBUTION & ASSIGNMENT FIGURE 3

Single-Family Detached Housing (210)

Vehicle Trip Ends vs: Dwelling Units

On a: Weekday

Setting/Location: General Urban/Suburban

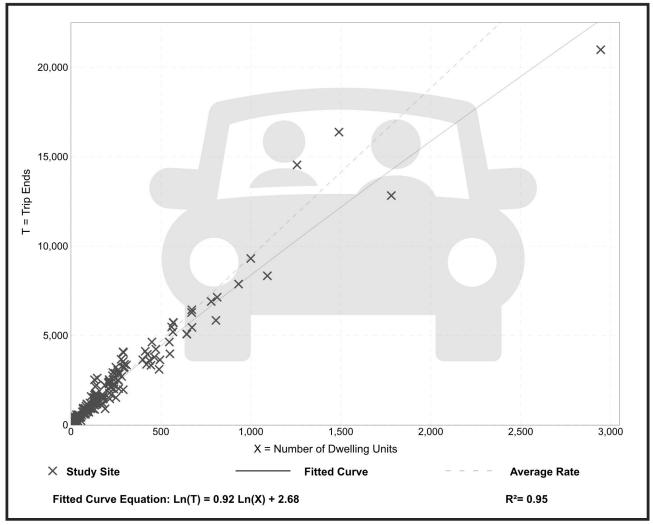
Number of Studies: 174 Avg. Num. of Dwelling Units: 246

Directional Distribution: 50% entering, 50% exiting

Vehicle Trip Generation per Dwelling Unit

Average Rate	Range of Rates	Standard Deviation
9.43	4.45 - 22.61	2.13

Data Plot and Equation



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Vehicle Trip Ends vs: Dwelling Units

On a: Weekday,

Peak Hour of Adjacent Street Traffic, One Hour Between 7 and 9 a.m.

Setting/Location: General Urban/Suburban

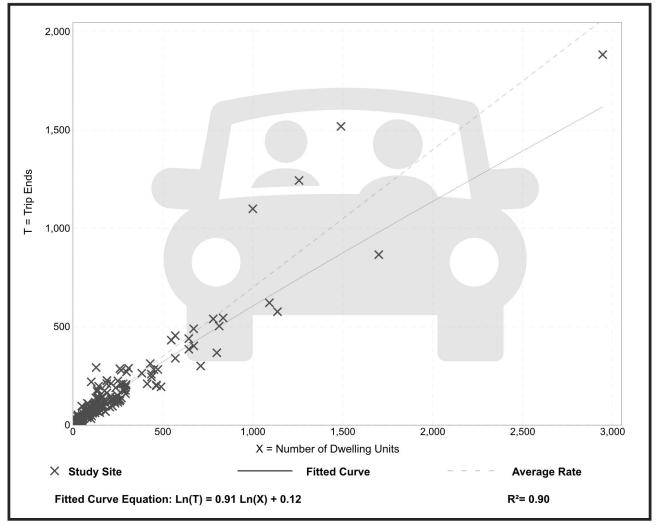
Number of Studies: 192 Avg. Num. of Dwelling Units: 226

Directional Distribution: 26% entering, 74% exiting

Vehicle Trip Generation per Dwelling Unit

Average Rate	Range of Rates	Standard Deviation
0.70	0.27 - 2.27	0.24

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Vehicle Trip Ends vs: Dwelling Units

On a: Weekday,

Peak Hour of Adjacent Street Traffic, One Hour Between 4 and 6 p.m.

Setting/Location: General Urban/Suburban

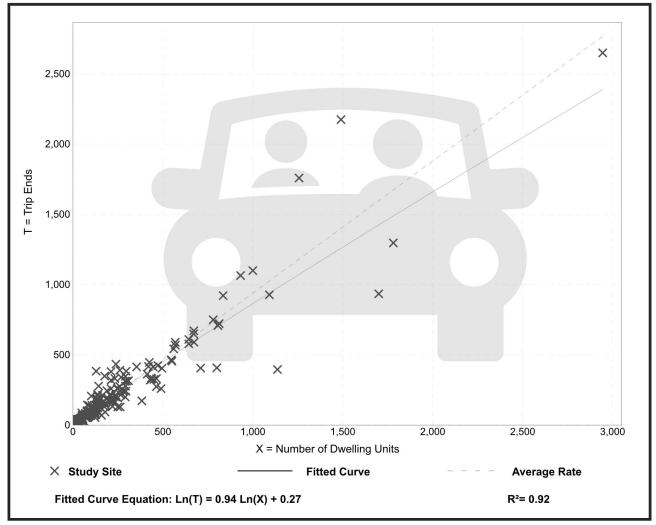
Number of Studies: 208 Avg. Num. of Dwelling Units: 248

Directional Distribution: 63% entering, 37% exiting

Vehicle Trip Generation per Dwelling Unit

Average Rate	Range of Rates	Standard Deviation
0.94	0.35 - 2.98	0.31

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