

# Portland Saturday Market Permanent Home Study

The Portland Saturday Market has been operating at its current location in Old Town/Chinatown under the West End of the Burnside Bridge for the last 30 years. The Market may need to relocate due to the possible redevelopment of the surface parking lots which currently house the Market. The Portland Development Commission (PDC) and Saturday Market are working together to select a permanent home for the Market and consider improved layouts and features that will better serve the Market in the future. There are multiple opportunities for public input during this process.

## Project Timeline

### August / September 2005 : Information Gathering

- Stakeholder Interviews
- Vendor Focus Groups and Questionnaires
- Customer and Random Telephone Surveys

45 potential sites  
identified



### October / November 2005: Site Review

- Location / Site Criteria Developed
- Preliminary Site Analysis by Project Staff of 13 most promising sites
- Coordination with Private Property Owners
- Stakeholder Advisory Committee Meetings

7 potential sites  
recommended



### November 2005: Site Analysis

- Public Open Houses
- Online Public Comment Period
- Market Vendor Meeting
- Technical Advisory Committee Meeting
- Stakeholder Advisory Committee Meeting

5 potential sites  
recommended



**We are  
here**



### December 2005 – March 2006: Detailed Site Evaluation

- Vendor Workshop
- Design Workshop
- Stakeholder Advisory Committee Meeting
- Detailed Site Analysis by Staff
- Coordination with Ankeny / Burnside Framework Study
- Public Open House



April 2006 :  
Recommendations to PDC and Saturday Market Board