

Willamette Water Supply

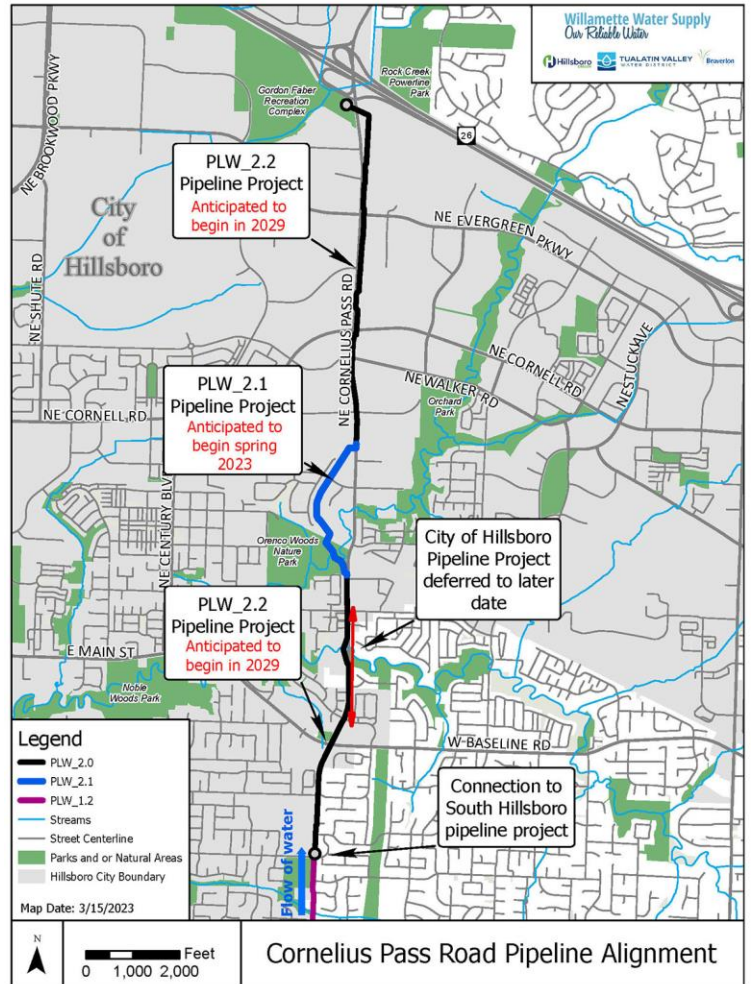
Our Reliable Water Future

Cornelius Pass Road Pipeline Project (PLW_2.0)

The city The City of Hillsboro currently has only one source of water—the Tualatin River. To secure a reliable additional source of water, Hillsboro partnered with Tualatin Valley Water District and the City of Beaverton to build the Willamette Water Supply System (WWSS) as an additional water supply source to meet our community’s needs today, in the future, and during emergencies.

The Cornelius Pass Road Pipeline Project is a 3.3-mile section of pipeline between Frances Street and the Tualatin Valley Water District connection point just south of Highway 26.

The project will be constructed in phases. Some segments of the pipeline will not be constructed until approximately 2029. Construction through Orenco Woods Nature Park (OWNP) and north through the old rail corridor to Cornelius Pass Roda (PLW_2.1) began in July 2023. This phased approach will not delay delivery of Willamette Water Supply System Water to TVWD, Hillsboro, and Beaverton Customers by July 2026



Our Future Water Supply

The WWSP is a partnership between Tualatin Valley Water District, the City of Hillsboro and the City of Beaverton to develop the mid-Willamette River at Wilsonville as an additional water supply source and will be paid for by those ratepayers. This new system, when operational in 2026, will provide a reliable water supply for the region while also helping water system operators balance supply during times of drought or other supply interruptions, and recover more quickly after a large natural disaster.

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