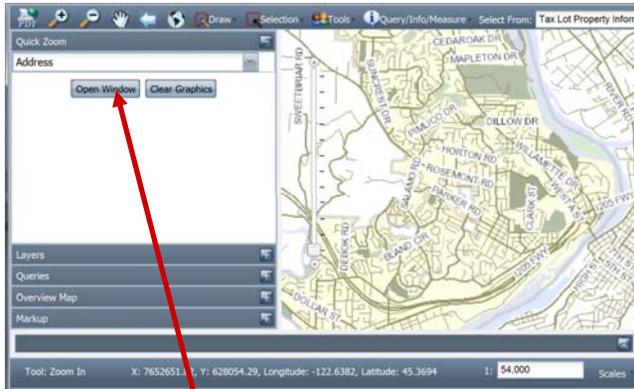
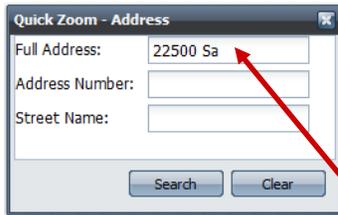


Search for an Address

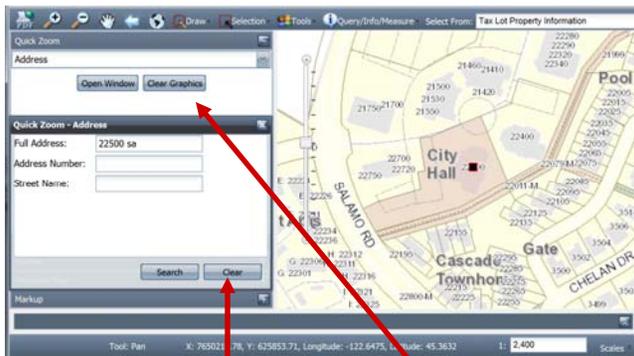
Once MapOptix fully loads the screen will look similar to this:



Click the “Open Window” button under the Address Quick Zoom Sidebar, then type in your address:



Tip: Enter the address number and the first couple letters of the street name, then click the “Search” button and the map will zoom-in to that location.



Tip: Click the “Clear” or “Clear Graphics” button to make the red locator dot disappear on the map.

About the City of West Linn’s Mapping & Geographic Information

The GIS (Geographic Information System) at the City of West Linn uses state-of-the-art software to provide GIS services to City staff, external agencies, and citizens. MapOptix is used by many departments and professionals at the City including:

Engineering	Public Works	Finance
Planning	Parks & Rec.	Administration
Building	Police	

MapOptix is available to external agencies and citizens including:

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| Home Owners | Public Agencies |
| Students | (including C-COM, DEQ, post office) |
| Realtors | Utility Companies |
| Title Companies | (including PGE, QWest, cable, etc.) |
| Private Contractors | Planners & Engineers |



Disclaimer

This product is for informational purposes and may not have been prepared for, or be suitable for legal, engineering, or surveying purposes. Users of this information should review or consult the primary data and information sources to ascertain the usability of the information.

For information & questions regarding MapOptix, contact our help desk:

MapOptixHelpDesk@WestLinnOregon.gov



How to Use West Linn MapOptix for Mapping & Geographic Information



Use the City of West Linn’s mapping system called **MapOptix** to view more than 100 GIS map layers along with 20 years of modern and historic aerial photography.

To Start using MapOptix

Go to the following web site:

<http://WestLinnOregon.gov/Maps/MapOptix>

Continue

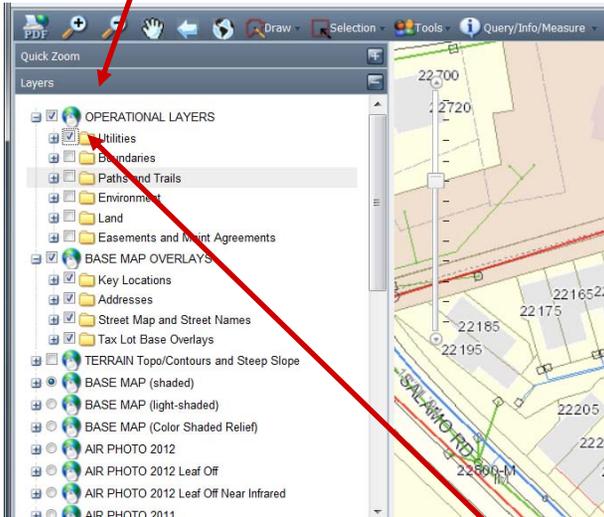
Look for the Big Blue Continue Button To Load MapOptix

SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS: The City’s GIS Program is currently supporting and recommending either Internet Explorer 9 or 10. Other systems and browser types like Mozilla Firefox, Google Chrome, and older versions of Internet Explorer may run into difficulties. Since MapOptix does not use Flash or Silverlight, it will run on Apple products including iPad. We are not supporting Windows Tablets or Smart Phone environments at the time of this publication.

Please note that loading time will vary depending on your connection speed and the amount of data being requested.

View Map Layers

Click the "Layers" sidebar to view the assortment of map layers that are available



Once you bring up the map layers, Check the box or circle next to any of the Map Layers to turn them on or off. In the example above, we have turned on the "Utilities" group to view Water Pipes and Meters, Sewer Lines and Laterals, and Stormwater Pipes and Features. You can see the map detail in the example below:



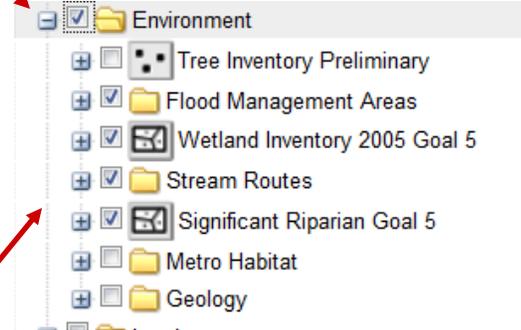
Use the Pan & Zoom Tool to Navigate the Map

Use the Toolbar across the top of MapOptix to navigate the Map using the Magnifier and Hand tool. You can also use the Zoom Bar to zoom in and out:



Explore More Map Layers

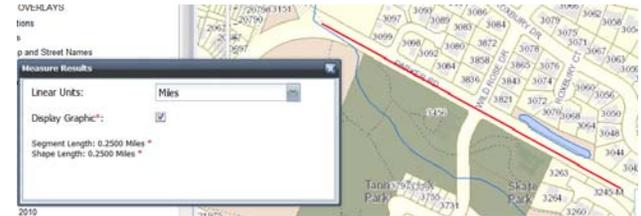
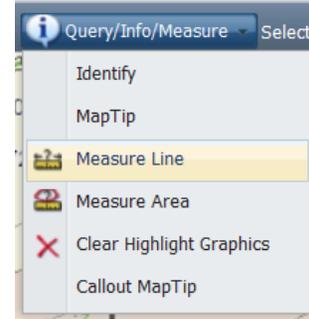
There are over 100 map layers and 20 years of aerial photography available in MapOptix. Use the Plus sign next to each Map Layer group (yellow folders), to view additional map layers:



In the example above we have expanded the Environmental Map Layer Group. Make sure to use the Check Boxes to turn on the layers on or off.

Measure

You can measure lines and area in MapOptix by selecting the "Query/Info/Measure" pull-down menu (along the top toolbar) and selecting either "Measure Line" or "Measure Area."

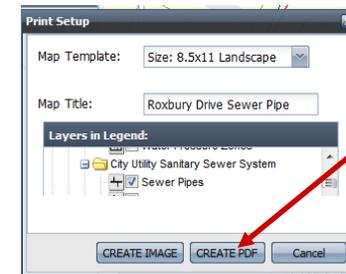


Once you select the tool, click on the map to use the measuring tools. In the example above, we have measure 1/4 mile along Parker Road which displays as a red line. Use the Linear Units setting to choose your ruler measures (feet, miles, meters, etc.)

Save Your Map



If you want to save a copy of your map or print it, click the PDF creator button in the upper left corner of MapOptix.



Enter a Title, optional Legend, and then click the "CREATE PDF" button to open your map. Make sure to save the PDF for future use and you can print it too.