## **Delta Ponds Loop Grant Awarded to City**



## River Island Estates (approximate)

We are excited to share that Parks and Open Space, in partnership with Lane Council of Governments, has been awarded a \$350,000 grant from the Oregon Parks and Recreation Department (OPRD) to complete the Delta Ponds Loop trail. This grant provides an excellent opportunity to leverage existing funding from the <u>2018 Parks and Recreation bond</u> to increase recreational access to our urban natural areas.

The scope of this project includes constructing a bridge over Debrick Slough and a boardwalk to complete a barrier-free loop trail through the Delta Ponds, with an additional access point from Goodpasture Island Road. This new connection to Goodpasture Island Road will provide better access to the trail for many residents.

The City will invest \$1,000,000 in bond funds, along with the \$350,000 grant award, to complete project funding. Project construction is scheduled to begin in 2021.