



AGENDA

ASTORIA PARKS BOARD

Wednesday, September 23, 2026

6:45 AM

1095 Duane Street, Astoria

2nd Floor of City Hall

ASTORIA PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD

1. CALL TO ORDER
2. ROLL CALL
3. PUBLIC COMMENT
 - A. Individuals must state full name and address
 - B. Each individual is provided 2 minutes

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

5. PRESIDENT HERNANDEZ
 - A. WHAT DO YOU HEAR

6. VOLUNTEER RECOGNITION

7. ASTORIA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION UPDATES

8. OLD BUSINESS

- 8.a [Disc Golf Course Adjacent to Evergreen Fields and Shively Park](#)

Parks and Recreation staff have been evaluating the development of an 18-hole disc golf course within currently undeveloped City-owned forest adjacent to Shively Park and Evergreen Fields. Exploring the addition of new amenities at park sites, such as disc golf, is a recommendation of the 2026 Parks Master Plan and the lack of local disc golf options is a topic that has been brought up by members of the public to the Parks Department for many years. The proposed course is intended to provide an additional low-cost recreational opportunity while retaining the existing character of Shively Park and established uses at Shively and Evergreen.

Parks staff are seeking the Parks Advisory Board's support to move forward with limited, incremental development of the course so that actual use and potential

impacts can be evaluated before proceeding with full development. This approach will allow staff to continue making adjustments to the layout, trails, and other course elements as conditions warrant.

9. NEW BUSINESS

9.a [Hillside Cemetery - Native Plants and Trees Planting](#)

Parks staff are preparing to establish two new native planting areas at Hillside Cemetery as part of the Department's ongoing efforts to promote healthy, resilient landscapes throughout the park system. The project will introduce a diverse mix of native trees, shrubs, and flowering plants selected to complement the existing landscape, support wildlife and pollinators, and require relatively little maintenance once established.

Parks and Public Sites Coordinator Sarah Flynn has developed the planting plan and prepared the two planting areas and has procured native plants from a local nursery near Forest Grove. Installation will occur once sustained rainy weather provides favorable conditions for establishment this fall or winter.

10. STAFF REPORTS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

10.a [Parks Dept. Status Update](#)

Updates on Parks Dept. activities August-September

11. FUTURE MEETINGS

[October 28th](#)

[Following Meeting:](#)

[November 25th\(?\)](#)

THIS MEETING IS ACCESSIBLE TO THE DISABLED. AN INTERPRETER FOR THE HEARING IMPAIRED MAY BE REQUESTED UNDER THE TERMS OF ORS 192.630 BY CONTACTING THE CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE, 503-325-5824.
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