

# AGENDA

# ORANGE COUNTY PARKS COMMISSION





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The Orange County Parks Commission welcomes you to this meeting. This agenda contains a brief general description of each item to be considered. The Commission encourages your participation. If you wish to speak on a matter that does not appear on the agenda, you may do so during the Public Comment period at the beginning of the meeting. Except as otherwise provided by law, no action shall be taken on any item not appearing on the agenda. When addressing the Commission, please state your name for the record prior to providing your comments. Speakers may be limited to three (3) minutes.

Pursuant to the provisions of California Governor's Executive Order N-29-20, issued on March 17, 2020, the Orange County Parks Commission will be conducting its meeting remotely. While there will not be a physical location for the meeting, the public is invited to observe the meeting by dialing +1-415-655-0001, using Access Code 133 426 9138 or online at https://ocgov.webex.com/ocgov/onstage/g.php?MTID=ed1428134d91a61e5cc642ca4993152c9

Any member of the public wishing to speak should submit the following information no later than 5pm the day of the meeting to <u>Suchitra.Vattyam@ocparks.com</u> or 949-923-3785:

- 1. The email subject line or voicemail must state the following: Request to Provide Public Comment at OC Parks Commission Meeting on specify meeting date.
- 2. Name of Person Requesting to Speak
- 3. Organization Represented or City of Residence
- 4. **Phone Number that will be used to call into the meeting** (important)
- 5. Specify Agenda Item Number or Topic

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, those requiring accommodation for this meeting shall notify OC Parks at 949-923-3785 or Suchitra. Vattyam @ocparks.com by 5pm on the Monday preceding the meeting. Please provide your name and contact phone number or email.

# **OC COMMUNITY RESOURCES**

# Orange County Parks Commission Duties and Responsibilities

(O.C. Codified Ordinances Sec. 2-2-19: Paraphrased)

Except as otherwise provided, the Orange County Parks Commission shall be advisory to the Board of Supervisors and to the Director of OC Parks, and shall have the power and duty:

- 1. To recommend to the Board of Supervisors plans and policies for the acquisition, development, maintenance and operation of the harbors, beaches and regional parks of the County;
- 2. On request of the Board of Supervisors, to advise the Board and make recommendations on any matter pertaining to harbors, beaches and regional parks, and any other matters referred by the Board;
- 3. On request of the Director, to advise on any question of administrative policy and regarding any matter to be decided by the Director under this division;
- 4. On appeal from an administrative decision by the Director, to act as a board of administrative review;
- 5. To make such investigations as it may deem necessary in the exercise of its powers;
- 6. To perform the duties and functions of the County Fish and Game Commission assigned by either statute or this code, and consider methods for the propagation and protection of fish and game in the State of California and County of Orange. The Commission shall be advisory body to the Board of Supervisors.

OC Parks Commission Regular Meeting Schedule: First Thursday, Monthly, 7:00 p.m.

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# THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2020 – 7:00pm VIRTUAL MEETING: +1 (415) 655 0001, Access Code 133 426 9138

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# I. ROLL CALL

# II. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

At this time, members of the public may address the Commission on items of public interest that are within the jurisdiction of the Commission and are not contained in tonight's agenda.

# III. CONSENT CALENDAR (Items A – B)

The following items on the consent calendar will be approved by one motion unless a Commission member requests to pull a specific item.

- A. Approve Commission minutes for June 18, 2020.
- B. Approve Commission minutes for August 6, 2020.

# IV. DISCUSSION CALENDAR MATTERS (Items A - C)

## A. MILE SQUARE REGIONAL PARK EXPANSION PLANNING UPDATE

Staff will provide a presentation on activities and updates related to the repurposing of 93 acres of Mile Square Regional Park from golf to regional park use. A copy of the County Real Estate Agency's Agenda Staff Report on the Mile Square Golf Course Lease Amendment, approved by the Board of Supervisors on March 13, 2018, has also been provided for reference.

#### **RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

Receive and file.

# B. COUNTY PARK RANGER 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY

This month marks the 50th anniversary of Park Ranger positions in the County of Orange. A resolution has been prepared for the Parks Commission to commemorate this milestone event and recognize the service and commitment of County Park Rangers.

# **RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

Adopt and authorize the Chair to execute the Resolution Commemorating the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of County Park Rangers.

#### C. ONLINE POSTING OF PARKS COMMISSION MEETING RECORDINGS

Agendas for all Parks Commission meetings are posted on the Commission website pursuant to the Brown Act. Additionally, summary action minutes, staff reports, and presentations are also posted to the website. Staff propose adding recordings of meetings to the website moving forward to facilitate additional public access to Commission dialogue.

## **RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

Concur with posting OC Parks Commission meeting recordings online beginning with the October 1, 2020 meeting.

# V. OC PARKS DIRECTOR'S REPORT

# A. UPCOMING OC PARKS EVENTS

OC Parks Drive-In Movies – Mile Square Regional Park – Friday-Sunday, October 23-25

- OC Parks will host another Drive-In featuring "Hocus Pocus."
- When available, tickets for "Hocus Pocus" can be purchased at the OC Parks Facebook page (@OrangeCountyParks). Information will also be made available at OCParks.com.
- Guests will be physically distanced by strategically parking vehicles to allow for plenty of space and a good view of the screen.

# OC Parks Spooky Series – A Frightfully Fun Week of Virtual Halloween Content- Monday – Saturday, October 26-31

- The content will include Halloween-themed highlights from the parks and the OC Zoo along with a bewitching Shakespearean scene filmed at Modjeska Historic House and Gardens.
- The week of virtual content will culminate with a rock-and-ghoul performance from the local cover band, Past Action Heroes.

OC Parks continues to offer a robust suite of family-friendly virtual programming and highlights to educate, entertain, and support recreation within local neighborhoods. The programs are a combination of live and recorded events that can be accessed on both Facebook and Instagram. Daily themed social media events and highlights include:

- #MondayMemories: Mondays will feature content provided by Archaeology / Paleontology or Historical staff.
- #TriviaTuesdays: Tuesdays will feature OC Parks related trivia.
- #WildlifeWednesday: Wednesdays will feature wildlife updates from the OC Zoo or parks.
- #ThrowbackThursday: Thursdays will feature "throwback" posts highlighting past or classic content.

- #FeatureFriday: Fridays will feature staff sharing interesting information and highlights from their parks or facilities.
- #ScenicSaturday: Saturdays will feature various scenic sights from throughout the parks.
- Sundays will feature "The Week Ahead" infographics alerting followers of weekly content to come.

# VI. COMMISSION COMMENTS AND REPORT

At this time Commissioners may comment on agenda or non-agenda matters and ask questions of or give direction to staff, provided that no action may be taken on off-agenda items unless authorized by law.

## VII. ADJOURNMENT