



AGENDA

ORANGE COUNTY PARKS COMMISSION

Saturday, April 9, 2022, 8:30 a.m.



**ORANGE COUNTY ZOO
IRVINE REGIONAL PARK
1 IRVINE PARK ROAD
ORANGE, CA**

JOHN KOOS
Chair
Fourth District

DAVE SHAWVER
Vice-Chair
Inland Cities

DAVID HANSON
Third District

BERT ASHLAND
First District

JOE MULLER
Coastal Cities

MICHAEL WELLBORN
Second District

VACANT
Fifth District

Executive Officer
Tom Starnes

The Orange County Parks Commission welcomes you to this field trip. This agenda contains a brief general description of each item to be considered. The Commission encourages your participation and welcomes public comments on items under the purview of the Commission. 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 field trip. 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.

The OC Parks Commission Field Trip will be an in-person field trip held at the Orange County Zoo at Irvine Regional Park (1 Irvine Park Road, Orange, CA 92869). Please be advised that County health [guidelines apply to this field trip](https://ocovid19.ochealthinfo.com/article/oc-health-officers-orders-recommendations): <https://ocovid19.ochealthinfo.com/article/oc-health-officers-orders-recommendations>

Public speaker request forms will be available onsite.

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, those requiring accommodations for this field trip should notify OC Parks 72 hours prior to the field trip at Admin.ocparkscommission@ocparks.com or 949-923-3785.

All supporting documentation is available for public review at <https://www.ocparks.com/about/commission> under the "Agendas and Minutes" link or by calling 949-923-3785 during regular business hours, 8:00 a.m. – 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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, 6:00 p.m.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 2022 — 8:30 a.m.

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 today's agenda.

III. ORANGE COUNTY ZOO LARGE MAMMAL EXHIBIT VISIT

The Orange County Zoo is a zoological park that focuses on animals and plants native to the southwestern United States. Many of the animals on exhibit are injured, orphaned, confiscated, or not releasable into the wild. The Orange County Zoo is currently in the final stages of construction of its Large Mammal Exhibit and has recently installed many infrastructure improvements, which will be the main parts of the field trip.

- **8:15 a.m.:** Orange County Zoo
Address: 1 Irvine Park Road, Orange, CA 92869
Meet in front of the Orange County Zoo Entry Plaza next to Parking Lot T
- **8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.:**
 - View the new Large Mammal Exhibit, currently in progress.
 - View the new restroom facilities and other infrastructure improvements.
 - Tour of some of the Orange County Zoo exhibits.

IV. ADJOURNMENT