



AGENDA

ORANGE COUNTY PARKS COMMISSION

FRIDAY, APRIL 10, 2026, 9:00 a.m.

LAGUNA COAST WILDERNESS PARK
18751 Laguna Canyon Road
Laguna Beach, CA 92651



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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 shall not hold a meeting unless the number of members participating constitutes a quorum of the Commission. 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 Participation 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. Public speaker request forms will be available onsite.

The OC Parks Commission field trip will be an in-person field trip held at Laguna Coast Wilderness Park (18751 Laguna Canyon Road, Laguna Beach, CA 92651).

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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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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. LAGUNA COAST WILDERNESS PARK TOUR

Laguna Coast Wilderness Park (Park) lies within some of the last remaining coastal canyons in Southern California. Forty miles of trails lead visitors through oak and sycamore woodlands and up onto ridges with expansive scenic vistas. Rocky bluffs tower above the canyon trails. The Park is part of the Natural Community Conservation Planning program, which is designed provide long-term protection for wildlife and their critical habitats.

- **9:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.:** Laguna Coast Wilderness Park
Address: 18751 Laguna Canyon Road, Laguna Beach, CA 92651
 - Please park in the parking lot and meet at the amphitheater next to the Nix Nature Center.

- **9:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.:**
 - Tour the Nix Nature Center to learn about the park history, current projects, and see California as it has existed for thousands of years.
 - Attendees will be driven to a couple highlighted areas of the Park, including a scenic overlook and the only natural lake in Orange County.
 - Following the adjournment of the field trip, Commissioners and members of the public are welcome to stay and enjoy the park on their own.

IV. ADJOURNMENT