

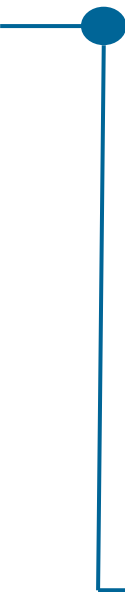


City of Bellevue

New Park in the Eastgate Neighborhood

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Parks & Community Services

Parks & Community Services Board
September 17, 2025



Board Action

Two actions as recommendations to the City Council on:

- Preferred park design concept
- Park name



Project Background



Community Engagement



Conceptual Design Options



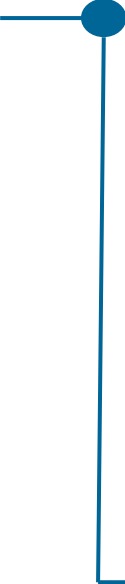
Park Naming



Next Steps

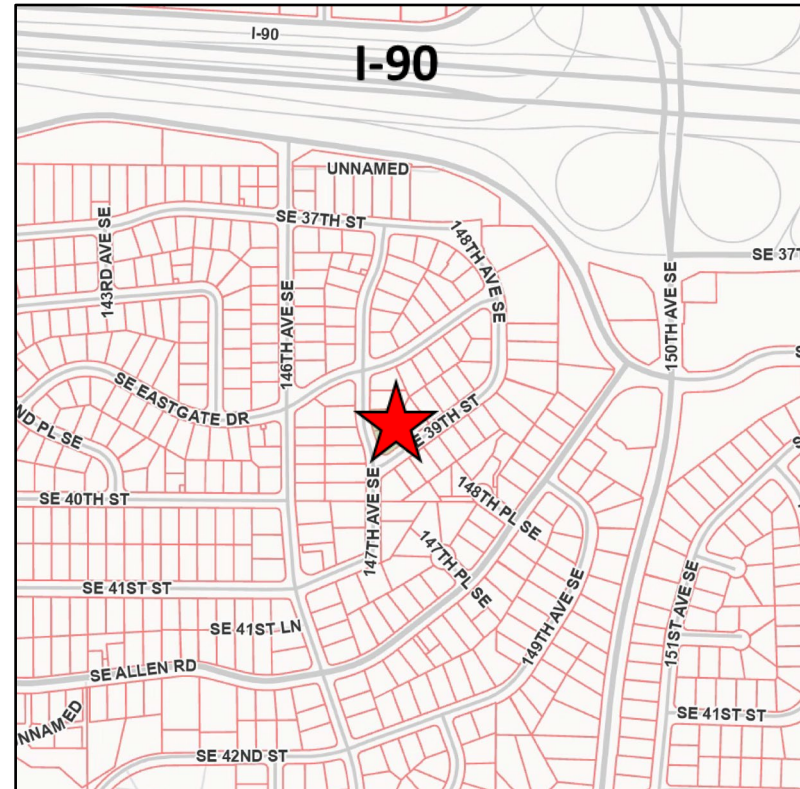


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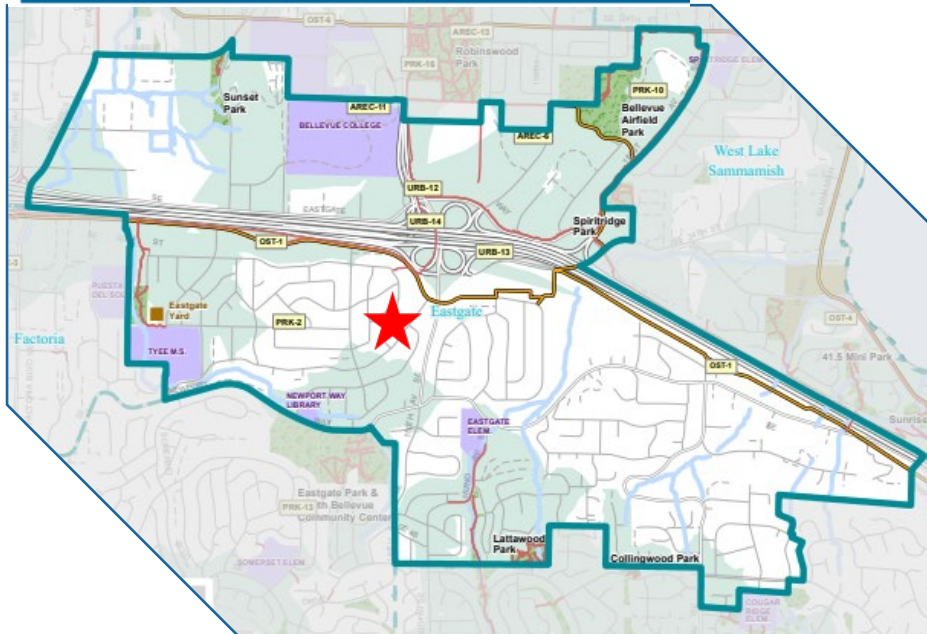
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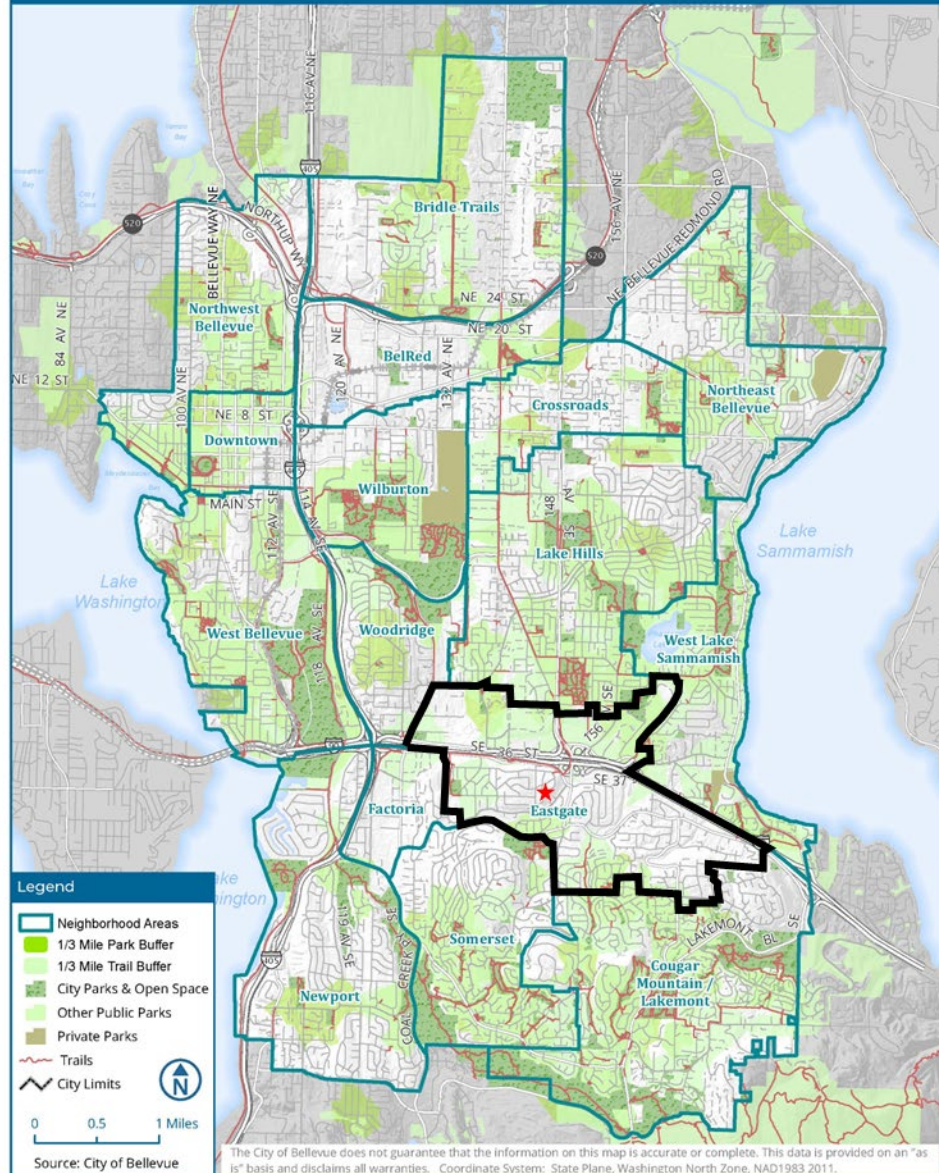
Park Location

Eastgate Neighborhood Area



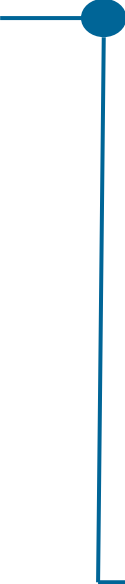
Walkable Access

1/3 Mile Buffers



Plot Date: 1/28/2022 File Path: V:\Parks\ArcGIS\Plan2022\CityWideMapAccess\PIBuffers_1_3MileBuffNetwork_2022_8x11.mxd

IT Department

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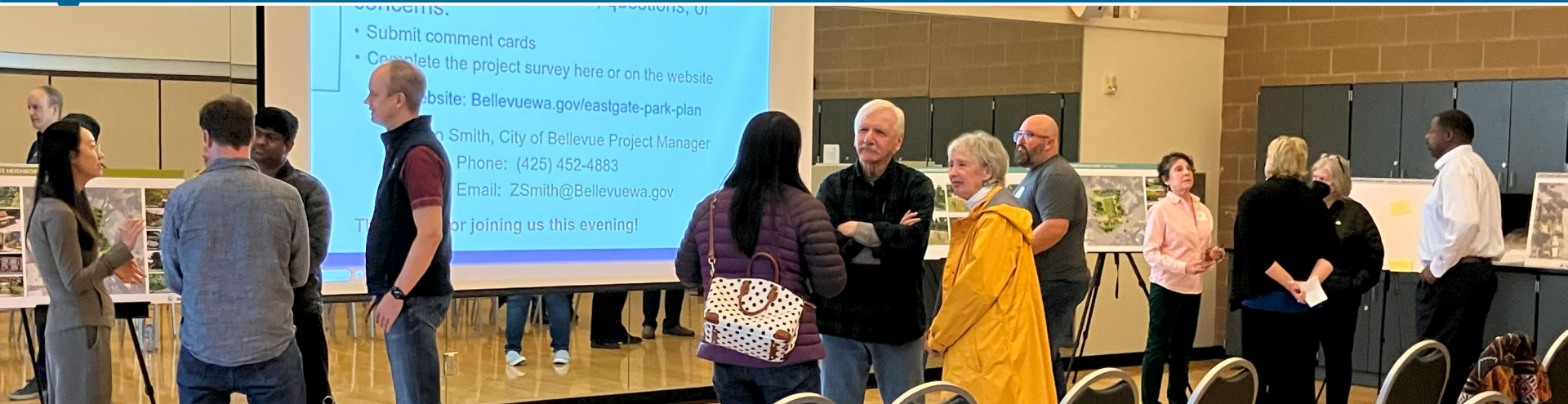
Public Outreach

Goals and objectives

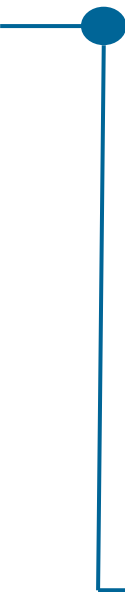
- Provide a range of opportunities for community input
- Generate broad-reaching, cross-cultural input
- Engage community stakeholders
- Keep public, Parks Board, and City Council informed

Website: Bellevuewa.gov/eastgate-park-plan

Community Meetings



- Park Board Meeting – July 17, 2024
- Community Meeting – January 16, 2025
- Community Meeting – March 27, 2025
- Park Board Meeting – May 21, 2025
- Community Meeting – July 24, 2025

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Review of Plan Concepts

EASTGATE NEIGHBORHOOD PARK - PREVIOUS OPTIONS

Option 1

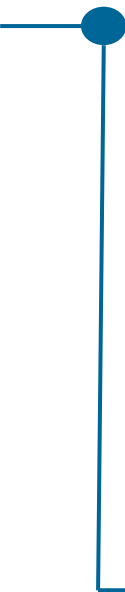


Option 2



Option 3



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Conceptual Plan Options

EASTGATE NEIGHBORHOOD PARK | OPTION 1A



1 Buffer Planting



2 Picnic Seating



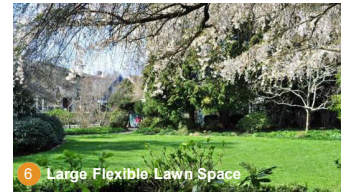
3 Climbing Posts/Fitness Play



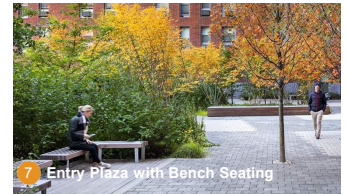
4 Balance Board



5 Bike Racks



6 Large Flexible Lawn Space



7 Entry Plaza with Bench Seating



8 Pavilion Structure



9 Existing Trees to Remain



10 Forest Understory Planting

EASTGATE NEIGHBORHOOD PARK | OPTION 1A

Aerial View Looking
Southeast



View Looking South from
Central Lawn



EASTGATE NEIGHBORHOOD PARK | OPTION 2A



- 1 Buffer Planting
- 2 Bench Seating
- 3 Bike Racks
- 4 Pavilion Structure
- 5 DNA Tower
- 6 Access Whirl
- 7 Cup Swing
- 8 Terrano.658
- 9 Cat Tail
- 10 Cafe Seating
- 11 Flexible Lawn Space
- 12 Boulders
- 13 Existing Trees to Remain
- 14 Neighborhood Planting

EASTGATE NEIGHBORHOOD PARK | OPTION 2A



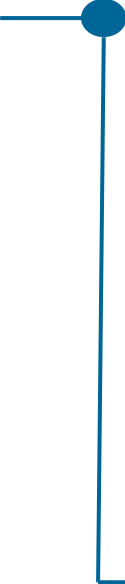
EASTGATE NEIGHBORHOOD PARK | OPTION 2A

Aerial View Looking North



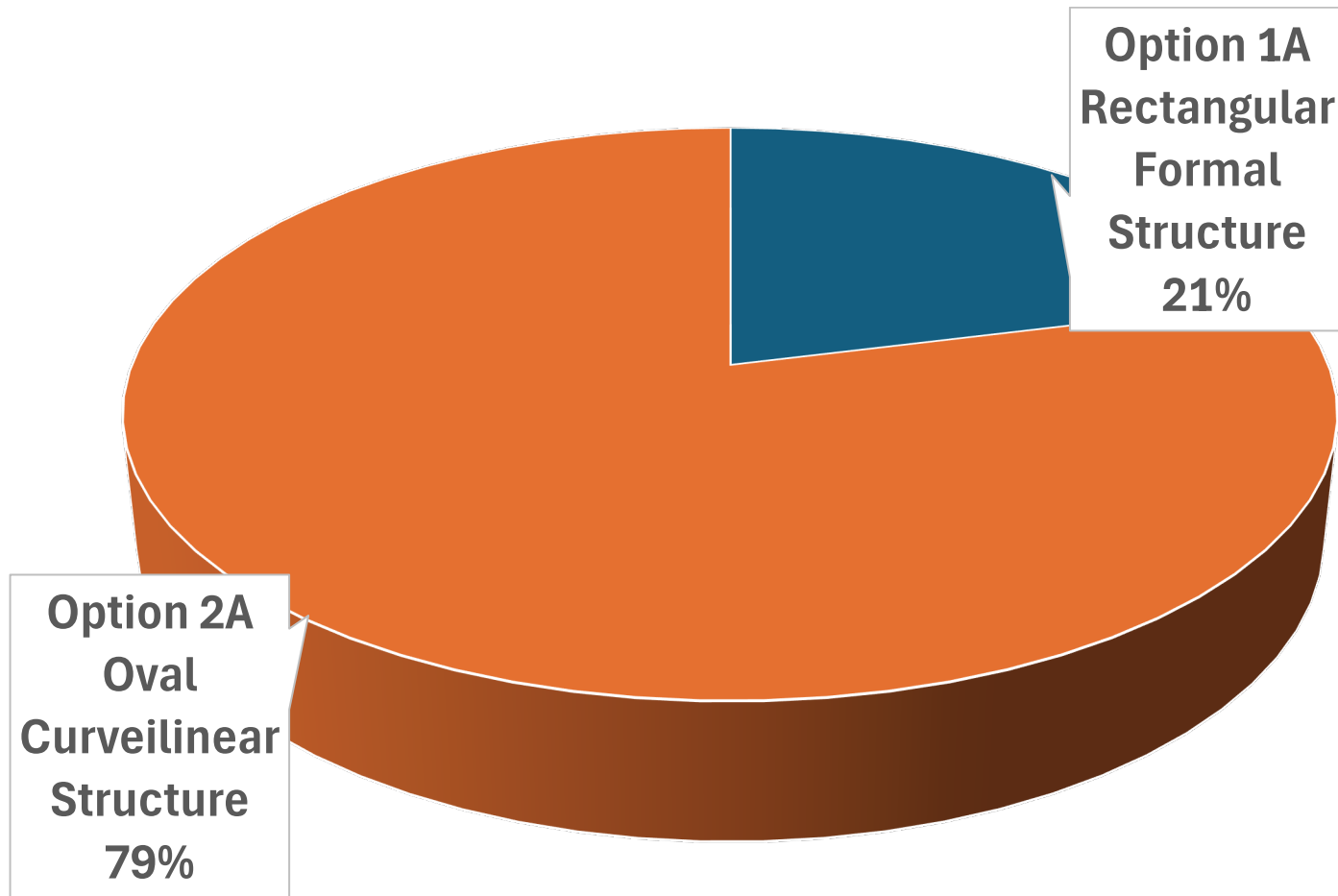
View Looking South from Central Lawn

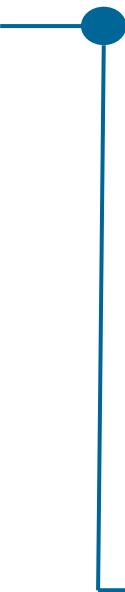


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Community Feedback

Which park option do you prefer?





Board Action

Proposed Motion: The Parks & Community Services Board recommends to the City Council Option <<1A or 2A>> as presented -or- <<1A or 2A>> with modifications, as the preferred design for the new park in the Eastgate neighborhood.

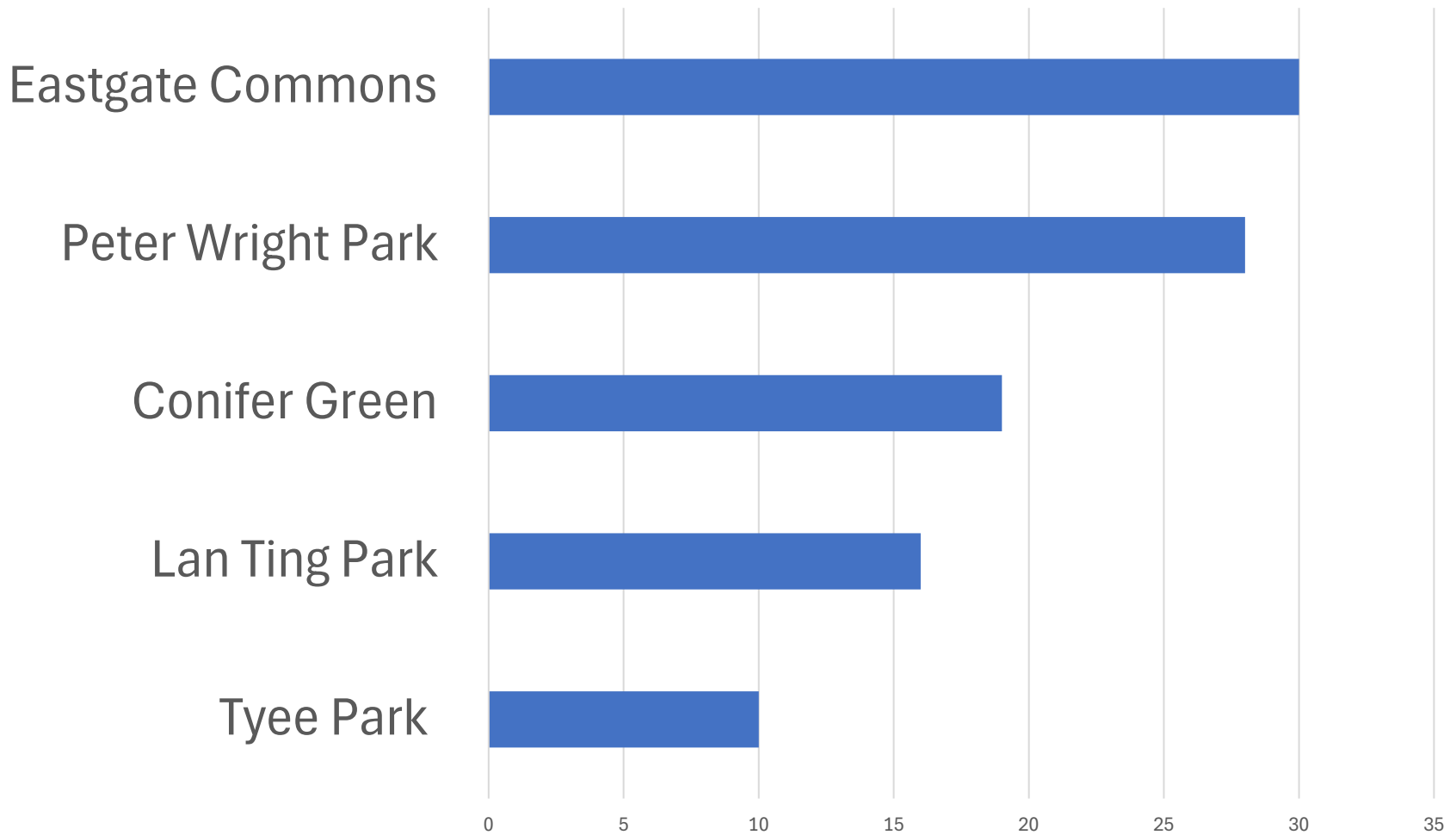
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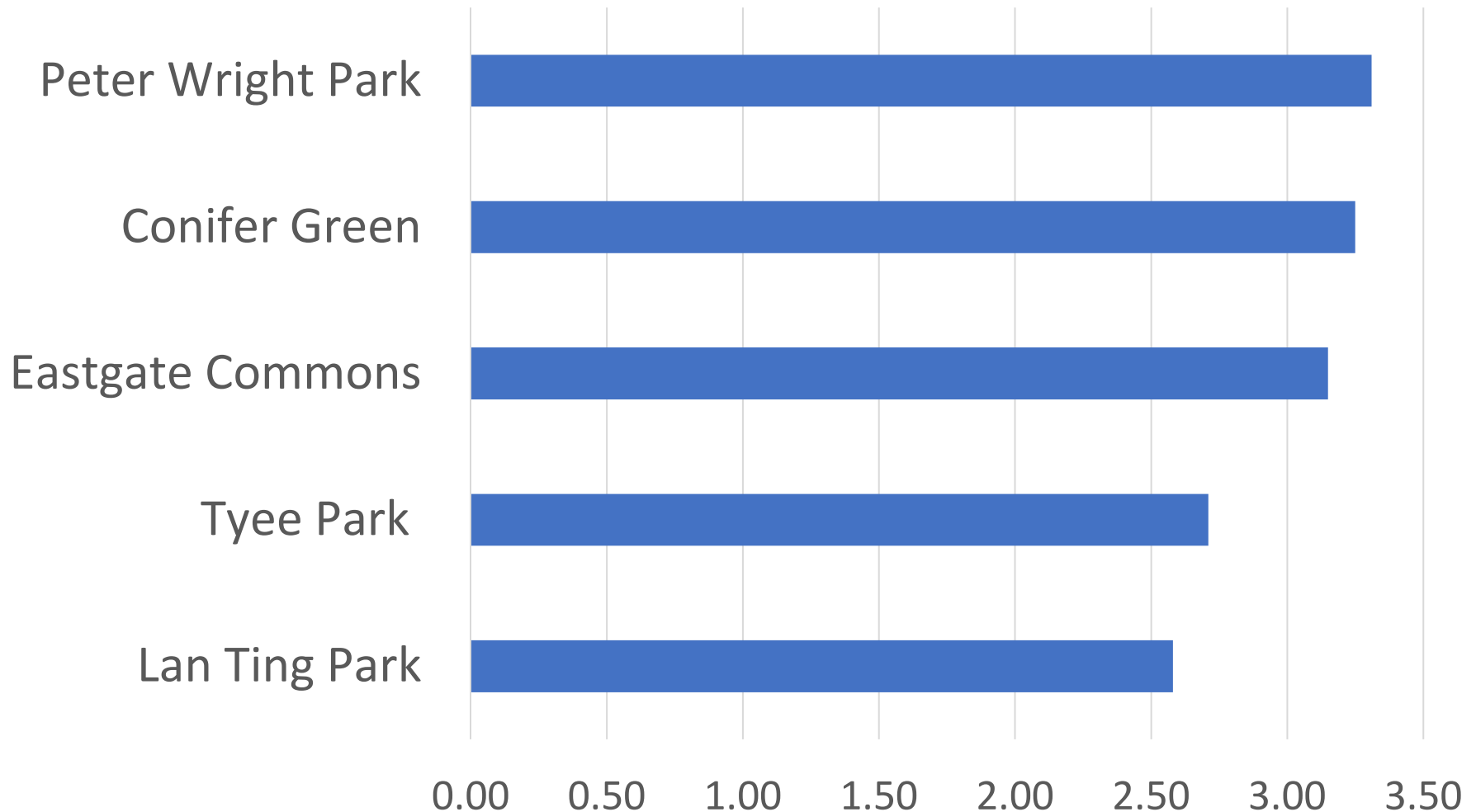
Park Name Options

- **Lan Ting Park** - Refers to a famous historical garden in China – a special area of community gathering
- **Tyee Park** – Proximity to Tyee Middle School.
- **Conifer Green Park** – Referencing the significant presence of existing conifer trees on the project site.
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- **Eastgate Commons** - An area belonging to the whole of a community.

Please rank the suggestions for a new park name in order of preference (1st preference)

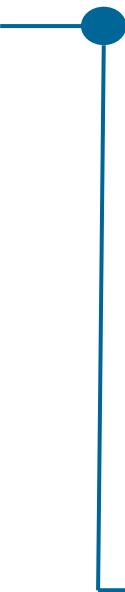


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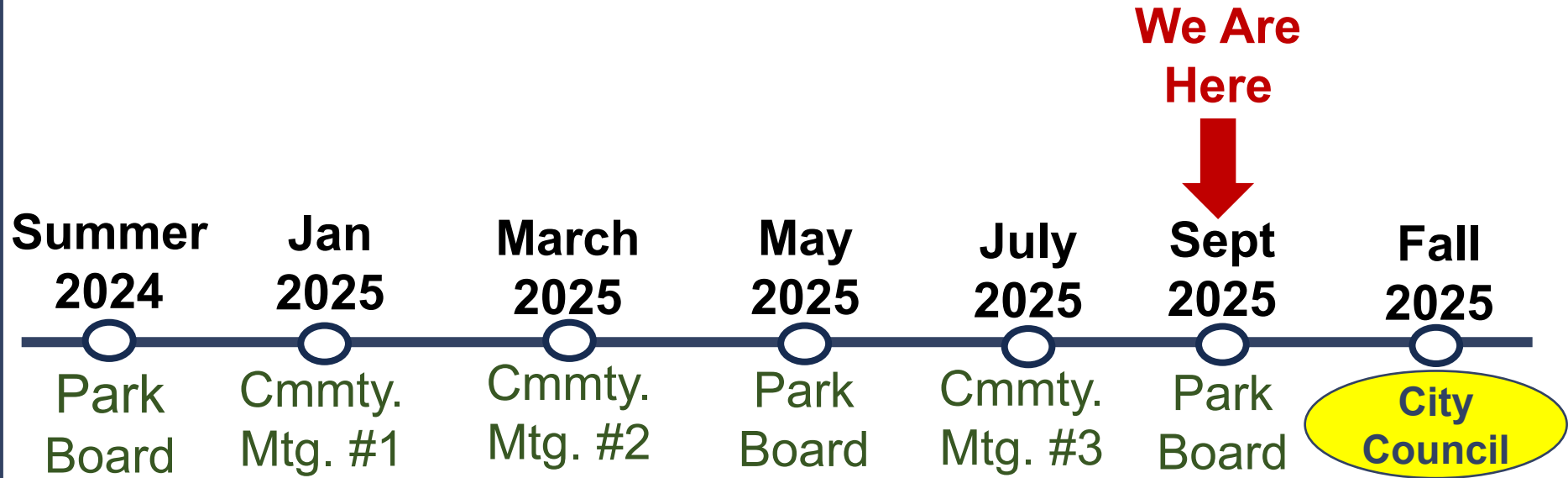
Proposed Motion: The Bellevue Parks & Community Services Board recommends to the City Council the name <<_____>> for the new park in the Eastgate neighborhood.

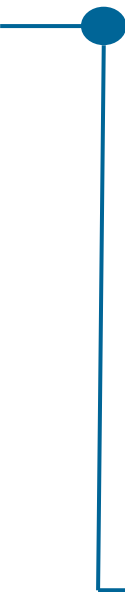
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ESTIMATED PLANNING TIMELINE

NEW NEIGHBORHOOD PARK IN EASTGATE



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