

Bellevue Parks & Open Space System Plan

Capital Project Objectives Proposed to Add for 2016 Edition

The following are capital project objectives that were not listed the 2010 Parks & Open Space Plan. The first group are those that have been already been reviewed or approved by the City Council. The second group are objectives proposed to add based on studies or public participation feedback.

Objectives Already Reviewed or Approved by City Council

Obj. #	Objective Name	Rationale
URB-7	Downtown Urban Trail System	Supports the through-block connections identified in the Downtown Livability initiative serves are urban trails for pedestrians.
URB-8	Grand Connection from Meydenbauer Bay to Eastside Rail Corridor	Supports the parks and recreation elements of the Grand Connection
URB-12 URB-13 URB-14	Eastgate I-90 Corridor park, open space and trail development projects	Incorporates the park, trail and open space objectives of the Council-adopted Eastgate I-90 Land Use Plan

Objectives Proposed Based on City Studies and Public Feedback

Obj. #	Objective Name	Rationale
PRK-2	Add a neighborhood-scale park in the Eastgate Neighborhood Area	The recently annexed portions of Eastgate do not have walkable access to parks and trails.
PRK-5	Add a neighborhood-scale park in the Wilburton Neighborhood Area	Increased residential density at the north edge of this neighborhood is outside of walkable access to parks and trails.
PRK-6	Improve undeveloped parks site in the Bridle Trails Neighborhood Area	This objective relates to property acquired in 2015 on 140 th Avenue NE
PRK-7	Improve undeveloped park site in the Newport Neighborhood Area	This objective relates to properties acquired on SE 60 th Street
AREC-14	Add shelters and facilities for large group picnic areas	Parks & Community Services Board added this based on community feedback
H2O-9	Sweyolocken Boat Launch Redevelopment	As one of the oldest park facilities in the City, it will be redeveloped to better support non-motorized watercraft

2016 Proposed Edits to 2010 Recommendations

The following projects were listed in the 2010 Parks & Open Space System Plan and have edits proposed to bring them in line with current conditions in 2016.

Obj. #	Objective Name	Rationale
OST-8	Trail Connections/Extensions: Between Large Regional Systems and Open Spaces <u>Enhance connectivity and walkability by creating connections between neighborhoods and local parks</u>	The Parks & Community Services Board re-directed this objective to focus on neighborhood-based trail connections based on public feedback collected.
AREC-9	Off-leash dog areas, improvements and additions <u>expand Robinswood and add addition sites across the city</u>	The Parks & Community Services Board added more specificity to this objective in response to public feedback requesting additional facilities.
AREC-10	Facilities Serving Diverse Age and Recreation Preferences <u>Facilities Providing Recreation and Interaction for Diverse Cultures, Ages and Abilities</u>	This objectives was broadened by the Board to be responsive to the City's Diversity Advantage plan
AREC-11	Public golf course –related facility <u>improvements</u>	This objective was re-worded by the Board to encompass variants such as Frisbee golf, foot golf, and mini-golf.

2016 Proposed Deletions from 2010 Recommendations

The following capital project objectives were listed in the 2010 Parks & Open Space System Plan and are proposed to be removed from the 2016 edition of the plan.

Objective Name	Rationale
Add Neighborhood Park in Bridle Trails	Bridle Trails Corner Park opened in 2014.
Develop existing undeveloped properties in Eastgate/Newcastle subareas	Improvements to trails and park facilities at Sunrise Park and Norelius Open Space completed by 2014.
Continue phased development of Eastgate Park	The major development elements of Eastgate Park, including South Bellevue Community Center and the internal trail system are complete.
Redevelop Enatai Neighborhood Park	The Parks & Community Services Board elected to remove this project as a wholesale redesign or redevelopment of the park is unlikely in the foreseeable future. The existing elements of the park will continue to be renovated as needed.
Partner to Develop an Ice Rink	The Parks & Community Services Board elected to remove this project based on the low degree of community interest in such a facility
Partner to Develop a Youth Performing Arts Center	The new Bellevue Youth Theatre opened in 2015.