



City of Bellevue

New Newport Hills Area Park Name

Parks & Community Services Board

November 10, 2020

AGENDA



Project Background



Park Naming Policy



On-Line Survey, Outreach & Results



Naming Considerations



Next Steps & Discussion

Preferred Park Plan



Newport Hills Neighborhood / SE 60th Street Preferred Park Plan

Park Naming Policy

Council Resolution No. 8229 sets forth policies and procedures for naming public parks and recreation facilities. Council normally selects a park name after receiving a recommendation from the Park Board, which is based upon public input using the following criteria:

- **a neighborhood or geographical identification;**
- **a natural feature;**
- **a historical figure or name of historical or cultural significance; or**
- **an individual or group that has made a significant contribution to the park system.**

Survey

Newport Hills SE 60th Park Naming Opportunity

Park Name Suggestions

The City of Bellevue Parks & Community Services welcomes your top three choices in naming our newest Bellevue park to be constructed next summer in the Newport Hills neighborhood at 11560 SE 60 St. The park names listed on the survey include names provided by the community over the last several years and comply with the park naming policy [park naming policy](#).

The survey is open to everyone, all responses are welcome. The name will not be selected by popular choice, however both the Parks & Community Services Board and the Bellevue City Council would appreciate including the community's preferences in their park naming deliberations.

We expect to share your preferences with the Parks & Community Services Board at their meeting this fall or winter and then with Bellevue City Council early in 2021. The Bellevue City Council will designate the name of the new park.

Please send your name choices by October 19 for consideration.

1. Please rank your top three name choices from the list below.

	Choice 1	Choice 2	Choice 3
Bagley Park (Historical reference- to nearby coal mine)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Bensonville Park (Historical reference - name of area around the coal tram route)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Coal Tram Park	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
春天公園 Chun Tian Park (Chinese for "Spring")	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Chip Hanauer Park (Neighborhood historical figure)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Happy Trails Park	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Hawks Haven Park	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Incline Park (Historical reference - Coal tram route)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Kindness Park	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Lakehurst Creek Park	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

	Choice 1	Choice 2	Choice 3
Later Park	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Newport Hills Neighborhood Park	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Newport Hilltop Park	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Newport Hills Sunset Park	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Newport Woods Park	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Osprey Ark Park	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Ringdall Park (Neighborhood historical figure)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Shannon's Glen Park (Neighborhood historical figure)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
South Bellevue Park	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Tramway Park (Historical reference- Coal tram)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Thunderbird Park	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
迎春花公園 Ying Chun Hua Park (Chinese for "Winter Jasmine")	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

2. Optional: Please provide your contact information if you would like to receive updates on this project.

Name

Address

City/Town

ZIP/Postal Code

Email Address

Survey Results

Newport Hills Neighborhood Park

Ringdall Park (Adjacent School property and historic figure)

Newport Hills Sunset Park

Newport Woods Park

Newport Hilltop Park

Happy Trails Park

Bagley Park (Historical reference- to nearby coal mine)

Shannon's Glen Park (Neighborhood historic figure)

Hawks Haven Park

Incline Park (Historical reference - Coal tram route)

Coal Tram Park

Tramway Park (Historical reference- Coal tram)

春天公園 Chun Tian Park (Chinese for "Spring")

South Bellevue Park

迎春花公園 Ying Chun Hua Park (Chinese for "Winter Jasmine")

Chip Hanauer Park (Neighborhood historic figure)

Lakehurst Creek Park

Bensonville Park (Historical reference - name of area around the coal tram route)

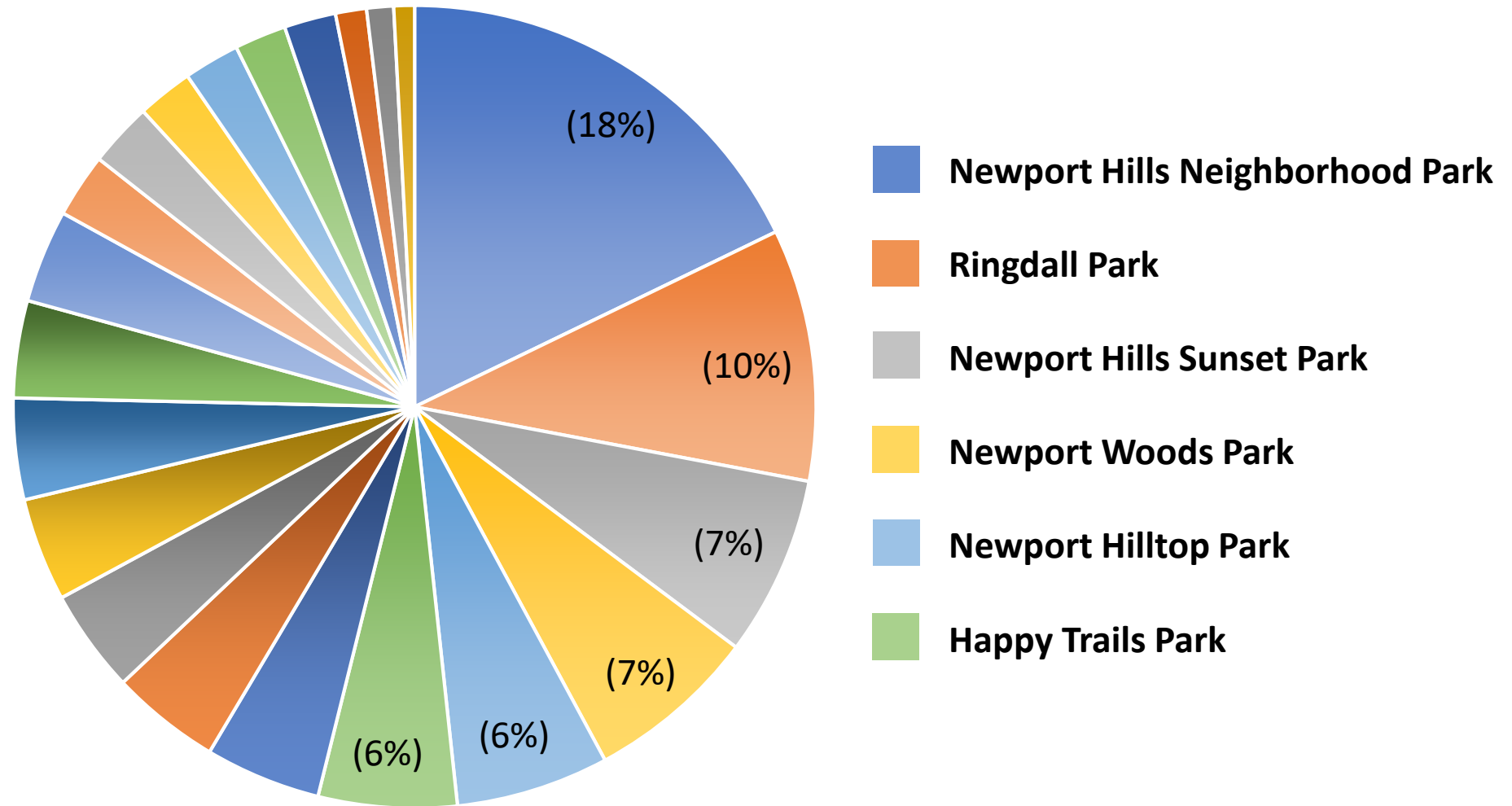
Kindness Park

Later Park

Osprey Ark Park

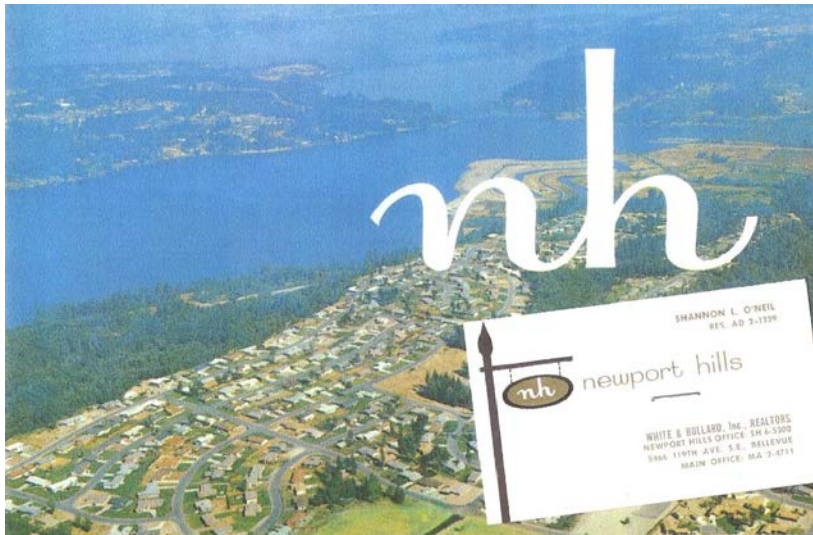
Thunderbird Park

Survey Results

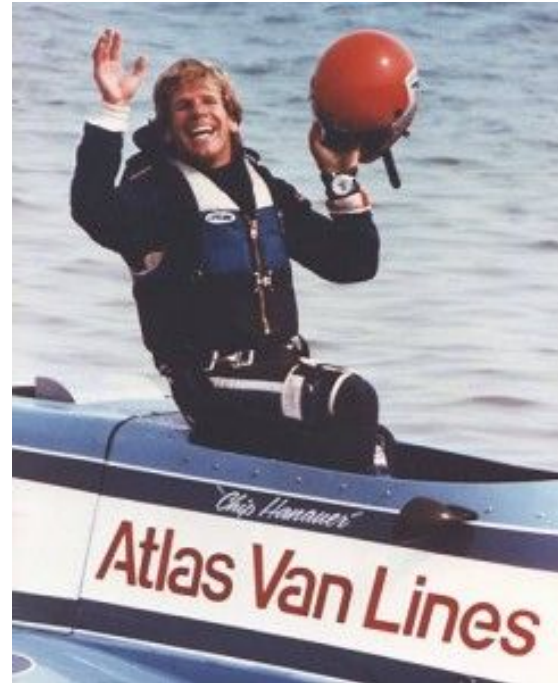


Neighborhood Historical Figures

Borghild Ringdall (Ringdall Middle School)
Started the first hot-lunch programs in
Bellevue in 1938.

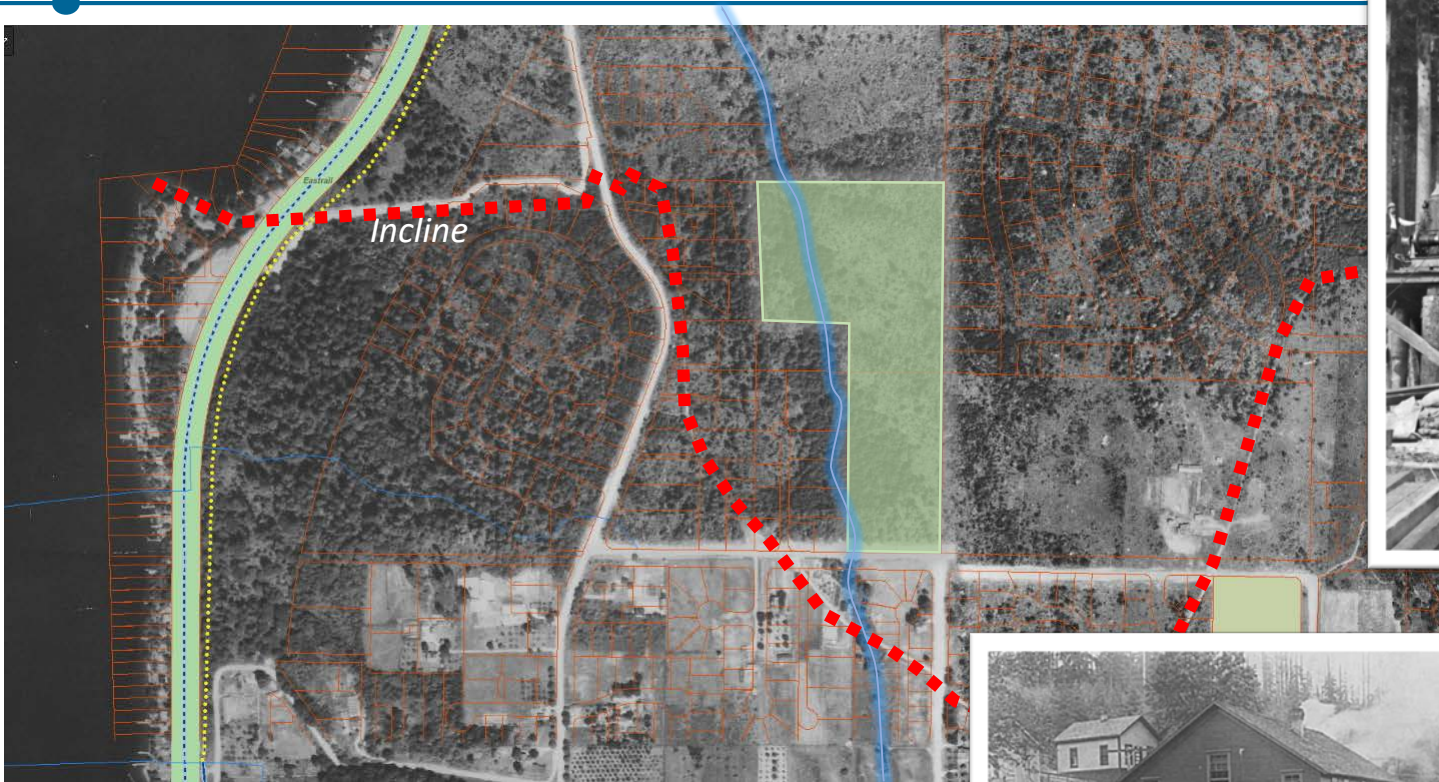


Shannon O'Neil
Previous owner of the property
and prominent NH's family



Chip Hanauer
Grew up in Newport Hills,
famous hydroplane racer and
local celebrity.

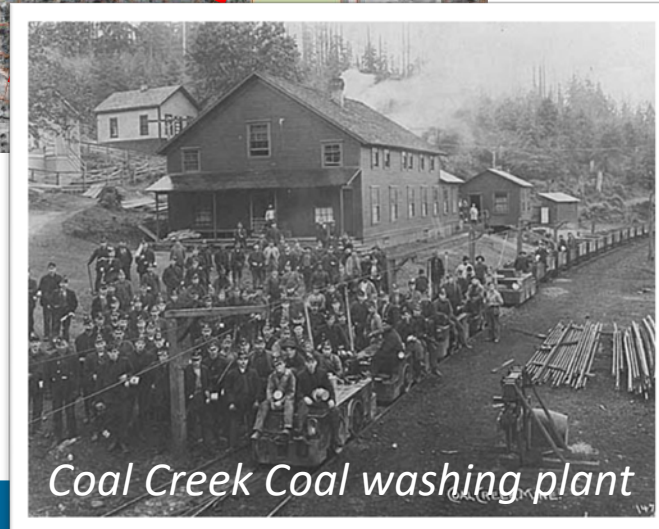
Neighborhood History



Coal Tram and Incline - 1936 Aerial

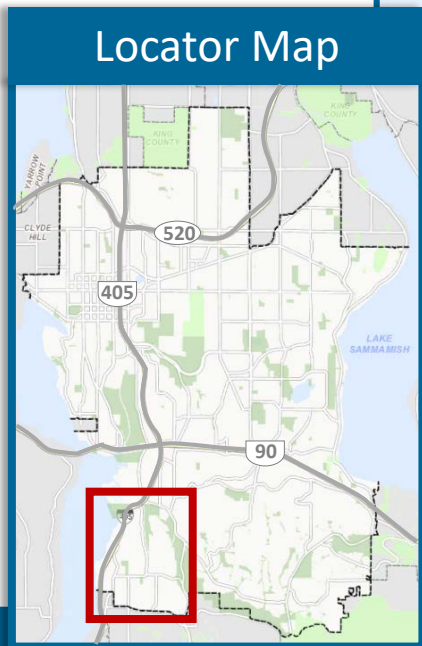


Coal Tram



Coal Creek Coal washing plant

New Park



Next Steps:



- **Park Board recommendation to City Council**
- **City Council adopts a park name (2021)**
- **Park permitting is underway**
- **Construction start Summer 2021 (*est.*)**