

NORTH BEND PARKS COMMISSION MEETING
January 9, 2023, 1pm – 4pm
North Bend Train Depot at William H. Taylor Park
205 E. McClellan Street, North Bend, WA

PLEASE NOTE: This meeting will be held in-person and will not be available to join electronically.

The purpose of this meeting is public workshop to receive public input to the City's consultant, Site Workshop, for considering site planning and potential future improvements at William H. Taylor Park and Riverfront Park. As there will be a quorum of Parks Commissioners at the workshop, the City is noticing this public workshop as a Parks Commission meeting, consistent with Open Public Meeting Act requirements. No action of the Parks Commission will be taken at this meeting, but Parks Commissioners will be in attendance to participate in the meeting, being led by Site Workshop.

For Parks Commissioners and the public not able to attend the January 9 workshop, the same content will be provided at an evening public workshop on Wednesday, January 11, 5:30pm at City Hall.

AGENDA:

1. 1:00pm Call to order, opportunity for public comments not related to today's agenda items.

(Rest of meeting will be coordinated by City's consultant, Site Workshop)

2. 1:00-1:15 Gathering/Open House
3. 1:15-1:45 Introduction by the project team/NB Parks – Both Riverfront and WH Taylor (digital)
 - a. 10 minute city-wide planning context – goals and current projects
 - b. 20 minute dual park project overview, site specific constraints and opportunities
4. 1:45-2:45 WH Taylor focus work session in small groups
 - a. 5 minute intro
 - b. 40 minute community work session
 - c. 15 minute share back
5. 2:45-3:45 Riverfront focus work session in small groups
 - a. 20 minute intro for new people joining; site walk (weather permitting) for people continuing from previous session, then rejoin for work session.
 - b. 25 minute community work session
 - c. 15 minute share back
6. 3:45-4:00 Wrap-up
7. 4:00 Adjournment.

Agenda sent to: Parks Commissioners, Mayor, City Administrator, City Clerk, CED Director, Senior Planner, Public Works Parks Lead

North Bend PARKS Planning Events:

WH Taylor & Riverfront Parks

*Snacks
and kids'
activities
provided*

*We need
your input!*



Join us for one or
both events!

Note: both events have the
same agenda and format

Monday, January 9th from 1pm - 4pm

@ WH Taylor Park Depot, 205 E McClellan St

- 1:00-1:45 Introduction
- 1:45-2:45 WH Taylor focus session
- 2:45-3:45 Riverfront focus session

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Wednesday, January 11th from 5:30pm - 8:30pm

@ North Bend City Hall, 920 SE Cedar Falls Way

- 5:30-6:15 Introduction
- 6:15-7:15 WH Taylor focus session
- 7:15-8:15 Riverfront focus session



Please share your thoughts with us!

***Comments can be shared
via email: mmccarty@northbendwa.gov***



What does the Train Depot mean to the City of North Bend and to WH Taylor Park?

What opportunities can you imagine to connect WH Taylor Park with its surroundings (downtown, Si View Park, trails, etc) in North Bend?

What outdoor public space amenities are missing in Downtown North Bend?

Do you currently ever visit Riverfront Park and why or why not?

What do you find most interesting or enjoyable about Riverfront Park?

How could Riverfront Park best serve North Bend?
