



AGENDA

ORANGE COUNTY PARKS COMMISSION
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2026, 5:00 p.m.



SALT CREEK BEACH
33333 South Pacific Coast Highway
Dana Point, CA 92629

JOHN WARREN
Chair
Fourth District

HALLIE JONES
Vice Chair
Fifth District

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Third District

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First District

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Inland Cities

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JOHN GABBARD
Coastal Cities

Executive Officer
Pam Passow

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 the Salt Creek Beach (33333 South Pacific Coast Highway, Dana Point, CA 92629).

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, those requiring accommodations for this meeting should notify OC Parks 72 hours prior to the meeting at admin.ocpc@ocparks.com or (949) 585-6431.

All supporting documentation is available for public review at <https://parks.oc.gov/about-us/commissions-and-committees/oc-parks-commission> under the "Agendas and Minutes" link or by calling 949-585-6431 during regular business hours, 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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. SALT CREEK BEACH TOUR

Salt Creek Beach Park is a popular coastal destination and well-known surfing destination. A small, offshore reef creates some of the best left swells along the Orange County coastline. Other recreational activities include swimming, body surfing, sunbathing and tidepool exploration (all tidepool inhabitants are protected). The park also features expansive lawn areas overlooking the ocean and a concessionaire which offers food and drinks daily, as well as managing the event space.

- **5:00 p.m.:** Salt Creek Beach
Address: 33333 South Pacific Coast Highway, Dana Point, CA 92629
 - Please park in the main parking lot and meet at the north parking meter near the restrooms.
- **5:05 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.:**
 - Tour Salt Creek Beach and learn more about the beach, North Shore Event Area, Young's Beach Shack, and Bluff Park.
 - Following the adjournment of the field trip, Commissioners and members of the public are welcome to stay and enjoy the Summer Concert Series event.

IV. ADJOURNMENT

V. SUMMER CONCERT – FAMILY STYLE (OPTIONAL)

OC Parks hosts annual summer events, including the Sunset Cinema Series and the Summer Concert Series. Tonight's concert at Bluff Park at Salt Creek Beach features the band Family Style, a band that plays a mix of classic soul, rhythm and blues, rock, and more, with an opening performance by Chase Walker Band. This portion of the field trip is optional.