

Monthly Parks Report

Date: April 2025

Safety Concerns:

- Grey Cliffs: Yard debris and metal being dumped
 - Botanical gardens: Poison Oak, Lack of posted map
 - Columbia View/Waterfront: Lack of signage for walking safety with changing construction areas
 - 6th street: off-leash dog use
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Structures and Amenities (condition, repairs needed, etc):

- Campbell Park: Ball in-fields have moss. Other amenities are in good condition.
 - Columbia View/Waterfront: No current access due to construction
 - 6th street: New storage shed completed. Ball fields refreshed and attended to.
 - Botanical Gardens: Would benefit from installation of a kiosk representing it as a park and improving curb appeal. Additionally would benefit from creating a gravel parking area.
 - Grey Cliff: Restrooms full of cobwebs. Doors need re-painted.
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Cleanliness (trash, debris, etc):

- Grey Cliffs: Cigarette debris and used dog bags on ground.
 - Columbia View/Waterfront: Excessive amounts of dog waste and used dog bags located along walking trails and sidewalks. Diffuse garbage and other construction debris.
 - Campbell Park: Scattered garbage located around park.
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Trees and other foliage, including invasive species:

- Botanical Gardens: Noted the following invasive species; Holley; blackberry; English ivy.
- Grey Cliffs: Noted the following invasive species; Blackberry; English ivy; other yard plants
- Columbia View/Waterfront: Noted the following invasive species: Blackberries

Observed number of visitors and any provided feedback:

- Grey Cliffs: 6-8 visitors, complementing view.
 - Campbell Park: 2 dog walkers, family using playground, 2 bikers
 - 6th Street: Children using ball field, Daily use by off-leash dog owners
 - Columbia View/Waterfront: Abundant daily walkers
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Proposed park clean ups:

- Botanical Gardens: Planned for later this summer
 - Columbia View/Waterfront: Potential for clean up following completion of construction projects.
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Potential for community engagement:

- Botanical gardens: Park Clean up
 - Columbia View/Waterfront: Grand re-opening/ribbon cutting event post construction completion. Return of 13 nights and other events to the waterfront.
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Positive Remarks:

General over all positive remarks for parks reported on.

Volunteer Hour Tracking:

Date	Total Hours	Event / Description
3/30	1	Jerry Belcher, Park visit
3/13	1	Dana Lathrope, Park visit

3/18	1	Dana Lathrope, Park visit
4/2	1	Dana Lathrope, Park visit
4/7	1	Dana Lathrope, Comilitation of park assessments