



## MEETING AGENDA

### TUALATIN PARK ADVISORY COMMITTEE

August 20, 2019 – 5:45 PM

Parks & Recreation Office  
8515 SW Tualatin Road

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*“We are a group of enthusiastic advocates for the Parks & Recreation system with a focus on the stewardship and enhancement of our community.”*

**A. Call to Order**

1. Roll Call

**B. Election of Committee Chair**

**C. Old Business**

1. Project Prioritization Presentation

**D. New Business**

1. Bee City USA
2. Facility Tour

**E. Future Agenda Items**

1. Plan Text Amendment

**F. Adjournment**

## TPARK Officer Selection Process

### Committee Chair:

- Announce vacancy with the meeting notice and solicit nominations or self-nominations.
- At the meeting allow each candidate a few minutes to explain why they wish to be chair.
- Conduct paper ballot vote.
- Count votes and announce chair.

### Vice Chair Vacancy (if needed):

- At the meeting ask for nominations from the floor (self-nominations accepted).
- Allow each candidate a few minutes to explain why they wish to be vice chair.
- Hold paper ballot vote.
- Count votes and announce vice chair.



# Bee City USA

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# Overview & Goals

- Bee City USA works to raise awareness
  - Role pollinators play
  - What cities can do to create healthy habitats
- Bee City USA program endorses a set of commitments
  - Defined in a resolution
  - Creating sustainable habitats for pollinators



# Oregon Bee Cities

- West Linn
- Newport
- Phoenix
- Wilsonville
- Eugene
- Talent
- Hillsboro
- Gold Hill
- Ashland

# Oregon Bee Campuses

- Portland State University
- Portland Community College
- Lane Community College

# Process

1. Complete application & resolution template
2. Draft resolution & review with Bee City USA
3. Submit application
4. Local Government resolution approval
5. Finalize your designation by submitting
  - Final application
  - Adopted Resolution
  - Payment



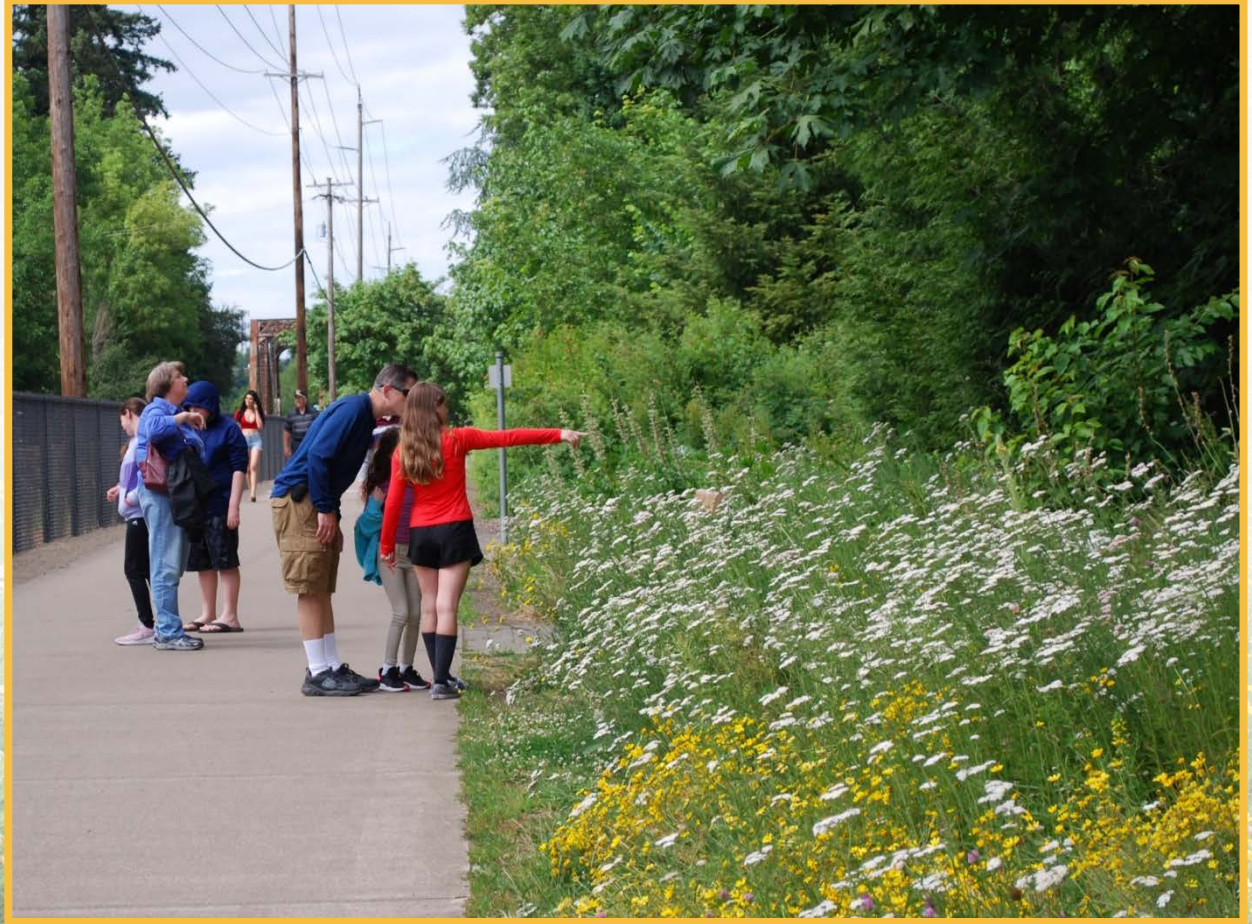
# Requirements

- Celebration
  - National Pollinator Week with events showcasing commitments
- Publicity & Information
- Citizen Committee
- Habitat
- Pollinator-Friendly Pest Management (IPM) Policy
- Plan Review
  - Consider improvements related to pollinator conservation
- Annual Renewal



# Current Practices

## Pollinator Garden at Tualatin Community Park





# Current Practices

## Volunteer Native Planting Events



20,900 native trees, shrubs & pollinator friendly flowering plants since 2017



# Current Practices

## Ibach Park Mining Bees

- Practices consistent with an IPM based approach



# What is Integrated Pest Management?

- Ecosystem-based strategy for long-term prevention of pests & pest damage
- Treatments designed to minimize risk to human health, non-target organisms & the environment
- Pesticides are only used if they are needed according to established guidelines.

# Implications & Decision Items

- City Vision Alignment
- Financial implications
- Community Engagement
- Best Practices
- Staff Capacity

# Next Steps:

- Bring to TPARK
- Gather information
- Research options and implications of integrated pest management

