



Commission Work Session Agenda

Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission

October 15, 2025

Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission HQ
300 Desmond Dr SE, Lacey, WA 98503

Commissioners: Chair Laurie Connelly, Vice Chair Holly Williams, Secretary Ali Raad, Michael Latimer, Alfie Alvarado-Ramos, Scott Merriman and Sophia Danenberg
Director: Diana Dupuis

The Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission will be holding their regularly scheduled commission work session on October 15, 2025. Please note that this is a hybrid meeting, you are welcome to attend in-person or online. We ask for patience as we navigate these hybrid meetings and want to remind you that attending in-person will be the most reliable option at this time.

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Public Comment: This is a work session between staff and the Commission. The public is invited to attend, but no public comment will be taken. No decisions will be made by the Commission at the work session.

Time: Opening session will begin as shown; all other times are approximate.

9:00 a.m. CALL TO ORDER – Holly Williams, Commission Vice Chair

- Call of the Roll
- Introduction of Staff
- Changes to agenda
- Logistics

9:00 a.m. OPERATIONS REPORT – Jon Crimmins, Operations Director

- This presentation will provide an overview of summer highlights, crisis response efforts, key operational achievements, and notable staff contributions across the park system.

10:45 a.m. BREAK

11:00 a.m. FOREST HEALTH ANNUAL UPDATE - David Cass, Agency Forester

- This presentation will give the commission an annual update on forest health treatments and timber sales.

- 11:30 a.m. HISTORIC PRESERVATION UPDATE** - Alex McMurry, Historic Preservation Planner
- This presentation will provide the commission with an overview of the agency's historic properties and their management.
- 12:30 p.m. LUNCH**
- 1:15 p.m. EXECUTIVE SESSION**
- 2:45 p.m. COMMISSION DECISION MAKING PROCESS** – Commission Ad-Hoc Committee
- 3:15 p.m. BREAK**
- 3:30 p.m. EXECUTIVE LEADERSHIP UPDATES**
- 5:00 p.m. ADJOURN**

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