



SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL PARKS AND NEIGHBORHOODS COMMITTEE*

AGENDA
Thursday, July 18, 2013
9:30 a.m.

PUBLIC HEARING

Members: Sally Bagshaw, Chair
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Tom Rasmussen, Member
Richard Conlin, Alternate

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*This meeting also constitutes a meeting of the Full Council, provided that the meeting shall be conducted as a committee meeting under the Council Rules and Procedures, and Council action shall be limited to committee business.

A. Call to Order

B. Public Comment

(10 minutes, to 9:40 a.m.)

C. Items of Business

1. Department of Neighborhoods Director's Report

BRIEFING AND DISCUSSION (15 minutes, to 9:55 a.m.)

Presenter: Bernie Matsuno, Director, Department of Neighborhoods (DON)

Supporting Document:

a. [Director's Report](#)

2. Seattle Aquarium Update

BRIEFING AND DISCUSSION (20 minutes, to 10:15 a.m.)

**Video
Archive:**

<http://www.seattlechannel.org/videos/watchVideos.asp?program=pn>



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Presenter: Robert W. Davidson, President and C.E.O., Seattle Aquarium

Supporting Document:

- a. [Seattle Aquarium Results for 2012 and Significant Future Activities](#)

3. [C.B. 117826](#) **Relating to the Department of Parks and Recreation; authorizing the Superintendent of Parks and Recreation to grant and convey easement rights under portions of Rainbow Point Park to the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority for the purposes of installing, repairing, maintaining, and operating tunnels for light rail service, and to accept payment therefor; and finding that the grant of a permanent subsurface easement meets the requirements of Ordinance 118477, adopting Initiative 42.**
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PUBLIC HEARING, BRIEFING, DISCUSSION, AND POSSIBLE VOTE (20 minutes, to 10:35 a.m.)

Presenters: Chip Nevins and Eric Friedli, Department of Parks and Recreation (DPR)

Supporting Document:

- a. [Rainbow Point Presentation](#)

4. [C.B. 117836](#) **Relating to the Department of Parks and Recreation; authorizing the acquisition of a portion of the real property commonly known as the Port of Seattle's West Yard; authorizing the acceptance and recording of the deed for open space, park and recreation purposes; authorizing the 2008 Parks and Green Spaces Levy Oversight Committee to perform a function of the 2000 Neighborhood Parks, Green Spaces, Trails, and Zoo Levy; deleting a project from the Acquisition Category and a project from the Development Category of the 2000 Neighborhood Parks, Green Spaces, Trails, and Zoo Levy; reallocating funds to the Opportunity Fund categories of the 2000 Neighborhood Parks, Green Spaces, Trails, and Zoo Levy and the 2008 Parks Levy; abandoning certain appropriations to the Department of Parks and Recreation effective as of January 1, 2013; increasing the appropriations to the Department of Parks and Recreation in the 2013 Adopted Budget; amending the 2013-2018 Adopted Capital Improvement Program; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts; all by three-fourths vote of the City Council.**
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BRIEFING, DISCUSSION, AND POSSIBLE VOTE (15 minutes, to 10:50 a.m.)

*Presenters: Eric Friedli and Donald Harris, DPR; Norm Schwab,
Council Central Staff*

Supporting Documents:

- a. [Smith Cove Presentation](#)*
- b. [Smith Cove Central Staff Memo](#)*

D. Adjournment