

Magnuson Park Advisory Committee

Meeting Minutes

May 13, 2026

Attendance

MPAC Members: Nygaard, Hudacek, King (chair), Windhover, Fruland (for Mejia-Giudici), Hoard

Absent: Humes, Talavera, Recinos, Furry

SPR Staff and Presenters: Orsucci, Okano, Snider, Kreshock

Welcome and Introductions

King calls the meeting to order at 6:00 PM. MPAC members and SPR staff share brief introductions.

King summarizes public letters to MPAC.

Approval of Consent Items

There are two items on the consent agenda today: tonight's meeting agenda, and the meeting minutes from the March 11 MPAC meeting. Windhover moves to approve both items; Hudacek seconds. Without objection, the motion passes.

Adopted: 3/11/26 MPAC Meeting Minutes

Adopted: 5/13/26 MPAC Meeting Agenda

Hangar2 Presentation

Kris Snider and AJ Kreshock, Hangar2 board members, deliver the presentation.

Hangar2 is currently in the process of fundraising and developing plans to renovate Building 2 at Magnuson Park as a multi-purpose youth sports, recreation, and educational facility. Snider and Kreshock discuss vision of project.

MPAC members and presenters discuss balance of activities in plan, unstructured activity time, risk of bird collisions, diversity and tribal outreach during planning phase, integration with Sand Point's aviation history, vehicle access, progress with major donors, and discussions with NOAA.

Snider confirms that any future questions regarding the project should be directed to info@hangar2.org.

Magnuson Community Center Report

Jarod Okano, Magnuson Community Center Coordinator, delivers the report.

Repairs to MCC's ADA lift have been deferred. Parts and labor for the unit are foreign, leading to delays. The unit has been out of service since November.

Okano provides overview of summer programs and camps. Budget for Rock the Park is down 50% from 2025 funding, so MCC staff is working creatively to provide opportunities to teens during the summer.

Magnuson Park Manager's Report

Joanne Orsucci, Magnuson Park Manager, delivers the report (attached).

Old & New Business

Fruland suggests MPAC consider advocating for the opening of NOAA road for access to Magnuson Park.

King shares that Seattle Tennis & Education Foundation (STEF) is organizing a youth cleanup day. King has offered from advice through his role in MESA, and will keep MPAC informed.

King would like to invite Birds Connect Seattle to present to MPAC regarding their recent bird study.

Next meeting will be June 10. King adjourns the meeting at 7:30 PM.