



AGENDA

ORANGE COUNTY PARKS COMMISSION

FRIDAY, APRIL 5, 2024, 9:00 a.m.

GEORGE KEY RANCH HISTORIC PARK
625 W. Bastanchury Road
Placentia, CA 92870



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The Orange County Parks Commission welcomes you to this field trip. This agenda contains a brief general description of each item to be considered. The Commission encourages your participation and welcomes public comments on items under the purview of the Commission. If you wish to speak on a matter that does not appear on the agenda, you may do so during the Public Participation period at the beginning of the meeting. Except as otherwise provided by law, no action shall be taken on any item not appearing on the agenda. When addressing the Commission, please state your name for the record prior to providing your comments. Speakers may be limited to three (3) minutes. Public speaker request forms will be available onsite.

The OC Parks Commission meeting will be an in-person field trip held at the George Key Ranch Historic Park (625 W. Bastanchury Road, Placentia, CA 92870).

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, those requiring accommodations for this field trip should notify OC Parks 72 hours prior to the meeting at Admin.ocparkscommission@ocparks.com or (949) 585-6431.

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OC COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Orange County Parks Commission Duties and Responsibilities

(O.C. Codified Ordinances Sec. 2-2-19: Paraphrased)

Except as otherwise provided, the Orange County Parks Commission shall be advisory to the Board of Supervisors and to the Director of OC Parks, and shall have the power and duty:

1. To recommend to the Board of Supervisors plans and policies for the acquisition, development, maintenance and operation of the harbors, beaches and regional parks of the County;
2. On request of the Board of Supervisors, to advise the Board and make recommendations on any matter pertaining to harbors, beaches and regional parks, and any other matters referred by the Board;
3. On request of the Director, to advise on any question of administrative policy and regarding any matter to be decided by the Director under this division;
4. On appeal from an administrative decision by the Director, to act as a board of administrative review;
5. To make such investigations as it may deem necessary in the exercise of its powers;
6. To perform the duties and functions of the County Fish and Game Commission assigned by either statute or this code, and consider methods for the propagation and protection of fish and game in the State of California and County of Orange. The Commission shall be advisory body to the Board of Supervisors.

OC Parks Commission Regular Meeting Schedule: First Thursday, Monthly, 6:00 p.m.

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I. ROLL CALL

II. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

At this time, members of the public may address the Commission on items of public interest that are within the jurisdiction of the Commission and are not contained in today's agenda.

III. GEORGE KEY RANCH HISTORIC PARK TOUR

George Key Ranch Historic Park is a 2.2-acre facility with a historic house, museum, garden, and orange grove. It is listed on the National Register of Historic Places and provides the public a look into Orange County's citrus industry history. Built in 1898, the historic home was reopened in November 2021 following extensive repairs after sustaining damage from the 2014 La Habra earthquake.

- **9:00 a.m.:** George Key Ranch Historic Park
Address: 625 W. Bastanchury Road, Placentia, CA 92870
 - Commissioner parking will be in parking lot to the right as one enters the George Key Ranch Historic Park from West Bastanchury Road. Members of the public are invited to park on Gilman Circle and then enter on foot through the entrance located on West Bastanchury Road.

- **9:10 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.:**
 - Stop #1 – Citrus Industry History
 - Brief overview of citrus industry in Orange County and its connection to George Key and his family.
 - Stop #2 – Verse Garden
 - Tour of the Verse Garden and overview of the efforts to revitalize the garden areas.
 - Stop #3 – George Key Historic House
 - Tour of the historic house.
 - Overview of George Key and his family history.
 - Overview of the historic house and its history as an OC Parks historic site.

IV. ADJOURNMENT