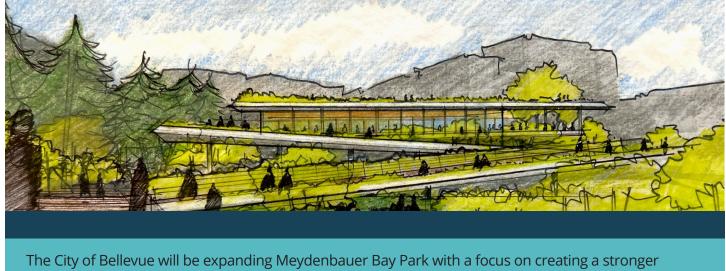
Meydenbauer Bay Park Expansion



The City of Bellevue will be expanding Meydenbauer Bay Park with a focus on creating a stronger connection to downtown. The expansion improves waterfront access and your park experience with new features such as a pavilion, plaza, accessible pathways down to the water and lakeside promenade along the shoreline.

What guides the park expansion design?

The park's expansion design is based on key principles that were outlined in the Meydenbauer Bay Park and Land Use Plan adopted by City Council in 2010, including to:

- Provide a remarkable and memorable shoreline experience.
- Provide visitors with a wide range of activities and experiences.
- Improve the pedestrian connection between downtown and the water, with safety in mind.
- Increase visual access and cues from downtown to encourage the public to access the park.
- Respect the park's sensitive waterfront setting, and explore opportunities to improve water quality and shoreline characteristics.
- Reflect the bay and park's unique heritage through art, interpretive materials/programs, and by preserving historic structures.
- Engage residents and businesses by curating a park design which attracts visitors from afar and responds to the concerns of near neighbors.
- Include and be thoughtful about the implementation strategy.





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What could the future park look like?

Meydenbauer Gateway, shown below on the right, will provide a new entrance to the park from Old Bellevue with iconic views from the pavilion, plaza and paths to the waterfront. The Lakeside Promenade, shown on the left, connects Meydenbauer Gateway to the shoreline. The viewing deck over the water is known as the Bay Connector.



The City of Bellevue will build the park improvements in phases. Based on community feedback and available funding, the next phase will focus on the Meydenbauer Gateway and include an interim pedestrian connection along the waterfront to the existing park. The Lakeside Promenade, the Bay Connector and other areas will be further developed later on. Construction plans and schedule are yet to be determined.

Learn more about the Meydenbauer Bay Park Expansion Project!

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