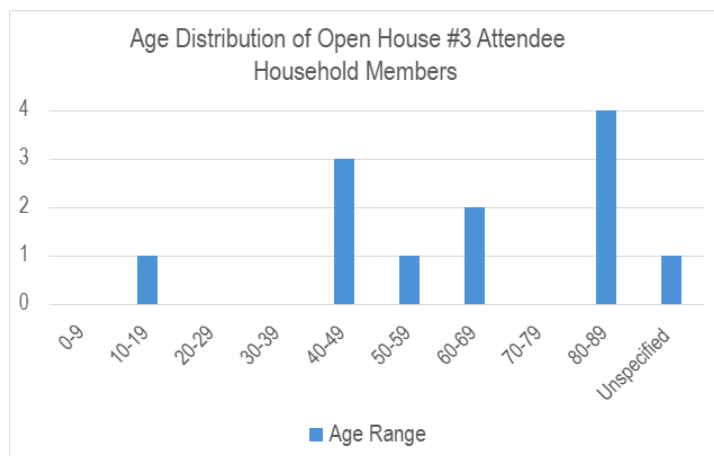
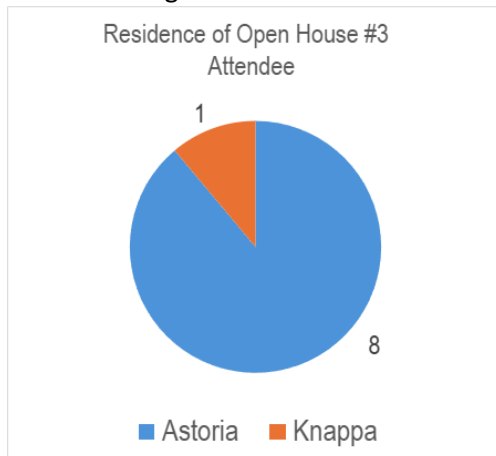


DATE: April 8, 2026
TO: Astoria Parks and Recreation Department (ARPD)
FROM: Ian Sisson, Mackenzie
PROJECT NAME: Astoria Parks Master Plan Update
PROJECT #: 2250168.00

SUBJECT: Summary of Input from Open House #3

- Event Date: March 28, 2026
- 16 attendees (counted)
- 9 attendees (registered)
- Total of 17 written comments.
- Summary: Attendees generally expressed support for Master Plan recommendations and provided specific requests and suggestions. There were not enough comments for trends in topics to emerge.



OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE COMMENTS (5)

Recommendation and Written Comments

See endnotes for referenced recommendations.

1. *Park and Trail Maintenance*
 - "Patrol of homeless camping is necessary"
 - "A. Very important getting new equipment needs a maintenance plan or it does not last"¹
5. *Aquatic Center Operations*
 - "Lifeguards are great – active!"
 - "A. - For pools Would love Monday hours."²
6. *Planning Initiatives*
 - "I support this B iii! At least around the column trails"³

PROGRAMS COMMENTS (5)

Recommendation and Feedback

2. *Youth Recreation Programs*
 - “Yes - D. Teens important but don’t forget seniors”⁴
 - “Swim league for older kids! We lost club years ago...”
 - “Yes to D!! Space for hanging out...”
3. *Adult Recreation Programs*
 - “Work with senior center?”
 - “D. Craft classes”⁵

CAPITAL PROJECTS COMMENTS (7)

Recommendation and Feedback

1. *Aquatic Center Expansion & Enhancement*
 - “Love using pool as a person with mobility challenges – Would love arthritis class”
 - “Love increased fitness space @ Aquatic Center”
2. *Public Restrooms*
 - “Yes on bathroom @ Fred Lindstrom”
3. *Heritage Square*
 - “Please Parking”
4. *Dog Park*
 - “Dogs have lots of welcoming areas in county. Dog park nice but (sic)”
5. *Riverwalk Lighting*
 - “I don’t feel like we need more lighting.”
 - “Lighting important – safety”

Text of referenced Master Plan recommendations:

¹ “Prioritize maintenance and repair of existing parks, trails, and recreation amenities.”

² “Aquatic Center Hours / Days of Operations - Evaluate staffing needs to accommodate expanded hours and days of operation, including compensation, budgetary impacts, and recruitment challenges.”

³ “Update 2013 Trails Master Plan - Evaluate the feasibility of mountain biking trails in the City’s Land Reserve areas surrounding Pipeline Road and Cathedral Tree Trail.”

⁴ “Youth Recreation Programs - Provide non-sports activity programs and indoor recreation opportunities for teens.”

⁵ “Adult Recreation Programs - Provide non-sports classes and activity programs. Explore opportunities for collaborations with Clatsop Community College marketing, value-added services, and increased engagement.”