

# Linn County seeks community input on new designs for Lewis Creek Park

ALBANY — Linn County Parks and Recreation is seeking input on new design concepts recently released for an updated Lewis Creek Park, located on Foster Reservoir.

The development of the new Lewis Creek Park Master Plan is a unique opportunity for park visitors to tell the county what site amenities and upgrades would make their experiences at Lewis Creek Park more fun, accessible, and safe.

As part of the Lewis Creek Park Master Plan process, Linn County Parks and Recreation conducted the first round of public outreach to gather community perspectives about Lewis Creek Park in the winter of 2020. This outreach included focus groups with the Sweet Home Chamber of Commerce, Linn County Parks Advisory Commission, and Sweet Home Youth Advisory Council; stakeholder interviews with organizations that host events at Lewis Creek Park; and an online community survey distributed to Linn County residents through social media, newsletters, and other community organizations.

This outreach process helped form the development of two new park concepts that aim to improve restroom and parking infrastructure, enable universal ac-



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cess to water recreation, and incorporate additional site amenities such as a food truck plaza, playground, and terraced seating along the water.

Park visitors can directly shape the final concept and master plan by viewing the concepts and voting on the proposed options in a short county survey, located at [linnparks.com/parks/lewis-creek/](http://linnparks.com/parks/lewis-creek/).

The survey is available online until July 19, 2021, and those who take the survey can be entered to win their choice of an overnight stay at one of the county's camping facilities or a Lewis Creek County Park season pass.

Opportunities to review the concepts in person will also be available through tabling events in the park on select Saturdays in early July.

Following the open survey period, the county will finalize a preferred design concept and collect additional feedback before the Master Plan is finalized later in 2021.

To learn more about this project, contact: planner Kelsey Zlevor, Cameron McCarthy Landscape Architecture & Planning, 160 E. Broadway, Eugene OR 97401, call 541-485-7385 or email: [kelsey@cameronmccarthy.com](mailto:kelsey@cameronmccarthy.com)

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### LEGEND

- A** ACCESSIBLE WATER ENTRY  
Entrada de agua accesible
- B** BIKE PARKING  
Estacionamiento de Bicicletas
- C** BOAT SLIPS  
Resbalones del Barco
- D** CONCESSIONS  
Concesiones
- E** DOCK  
Muelle
- F** DROP-OFF AREA  
Área de Entrega
- G** FOOD TRUCK PLAZA  
Plaza de Loncheras
- H** VEHICLE PARKING - 275 STALLS  
Estacionamiento de Vehículos  
275 Sitios
- I** RV PARKING - 8 STALLS  
Estacionamiento de RV  
8 Sitios
- J** ACCESSIBLE PARKING - 10 STALLS  
Estacionamiento Accesible  
10 Sitios
- K** PAVILION  
Pabellón
- L** PICNIC TABLES / BENCHES  
Mesas de Picnic / Banquillos
- M** UNIVERSALLY-ACCESSIBLE  
PLAYGROUND  
El campo de Juegos  
Accesible Universalmente
- N** RENTAL BUILDING  
Edificio de Alquiler
- O** RESTROOMS  
Baños
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Rotonda
- Q** SAND VOLLEYBALL COURTS  
Canchas de Vóleybol
- R** SUP / KAYAK LAUNCH  
Lanzamiento de SUP y Kayak
- S** SHADE STRUCTURE / UMBRELLA  
Estructura de Sombra / Paraguas
- T** SWIM AREA  
Zona de Natacion
- U** TERRACED SEATING  
Asientos en Terrazas
- V** TICKET BOOTH  
Taquilla
- W** TRAIL  
Sendero
- X** SWIM AREA BUOYS & SAFETY ROPE  
Boyas y Cuerda de Seguridad

#### APPROXIMATE PARKING COUNTS

<b>EXISTING STALLS</b>	
VEHICULAR	205
RV	10
ACCESSIBLE	5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>220</b>
<b>PROPOSED STALLS</b>	
VEHICULAR	275
RV	10
ACCESSIBLE	10
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>295</b>
<b>APPROX. NET DIFFERENCE</b>	<b>75</b>

#### Recuentos de Estacionamientos Aproximados

<b>Sitios Existentes</b>	
Estacionamiento de Vehículos	205
Estacionamiento de RV	10
Estacionamiento Accesible	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>220</b>
<b>Sitios Propuestos</b>	
Estacionamiento de Vehículos	275
Estacionamiento de RV	10
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<b>Total</b>	<b>295</b>
<b>Diferencia Aproximada</b>	<b>75</b>

FOSTER LAKE  
Lago de Foster

**OPTION 1 | NATURALISTIC CONCEPT**  
**OPCIÓN 1 | CONCEPTO NATURALISTA**



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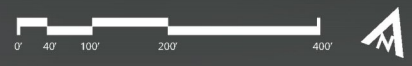
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<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>330</b>
<b>APPROX. NET DIFFERENCE</b>	<b>110</b>

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