

## PRESS ADVISORY

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### **Zoo's Draft Annual Plan for 2026 available for public review and comment**



**WHAT:** Woodland Park Zoo's Draft Annual Plan for 2026 is available to the public December 1 through midnight, December 31, 2025. The Annual Plan describes programmatic changes, capital improvements and other key initiatives for the coming year.

**HOW:** The Annual Plan is submitted annually to the Superintendent of Seattle Parks and Recreation. Public comment on this plan is encouraged and is available for review on the zoo's website at [www.zoo.org/reports](http://www.zoo.org/reports). In addition, nearby neighborhood community councils are notified of the Annual Plan's availability and are encouraged to make comments.

A hard copy will be available for pick-up at the zoo's Center for Wildlife Conservation administrative offices upon request by emailing [zooinfo@zoo.org](mailto:zooinfo@zoo.org) in advance.

Comments on the Draft Annual Plan 2026 can be submitted electronically to [zooinfo@zoo.org](mailto:zooinfo@zoo.org). Written comments can be mailed to: Woodland Park Zoo, 5500 Phinney Ave. N., Seattle, WA 98103, Attention: "Annual Plan Comments."

**WHEN:** Public comment period: December 1 through midnight, December 31, 2025.

**INFO:** To learn more about Woodland Park Zoo or to become a zoo member, visit [www.zoo.org](http://www.zoo.org) and follow the zoo on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), [Bluesky](#) and [TikTok](#).

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