

Interpreting the Palisades

Proposed New Signs

July 2025

Interpretive signs enhance the Balboa Park visitor experience . . .



- > providing historical context,
- > explaining architecture, and
- > identifying people who made the park.

Palisades buildings lack interpretive signs.

The Balboa Park Committee of 100 will create content and oversee the fabrication and installation of signs for buildings currently home to:

- > Automotive Museum
- > Municipal Gym
- > Comic-Con Museum
- > Air and Space Museum

ALL SIGNS WILL CONFORM TO CURRENT DESIGN STANDARDS

FIGURE 26

1-SIDED HISTORICAL LANDMARK

The following freestanding sign is to be used to identify historical landmarks throughout the park. It uses the historic seal and is for buildings or landmarks such as the organ pavilion that were created for the Exposition.

NOTES

The following sign has a unique pole due to the location being within the historical area of the park and the requirements specified within in the Masterplan. Sign to be 3" thick and manufactured of painted aluminum with a 60° arch top and 1-1/2" radius bottom corners.



All signage to have below grade concrete foundation engineered by sign fabricator.

Front Elevation (Mariner)
Scale : 3/8*=1*



EXAMPLE: Kate O. Sessions Cactus Garden



BALBOA PARK SIGN MANUAL UPDATE

ADOPTED BY THE BALBOA PARK COMMITTEE ON SEPTEMBER STH, 2019







SIGN LOCATIONS Comic-Con, Gym, Air & Space, Auto Museum





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DATE 06/30/2025

Sign type (A) Balboa Park directional informational signage Design, manufacture and supply (3) Non-illuminated directional informational signs per UDG supplied design and manufacturing processes.

EXPIRATION DATE 07/30/2025

SUBTOTAL\$ 24,540.00TAX\$ 1,599.60TOTAL\$ 26,139.60