

Washington Park

Washington Park, known locally as Wash Park is a neighborhood and public urban park in Denver, Colorado. Its historic buildings, lakes, tennis courts, lawns, large flower gardens, and recreation center provide various experiences for visitors. The park was first developed by Architect Reinhard Scheutze in 1899. Its design was influenced by city planner Kessler, the Olmsted Brothers and the famous philanthropist “The Unsinkable” Molly Brown. The park is very popular both as a tourist destination and among Denver locals. Apart from activities like jogging, walking or biking, the park serves as a center for social activities and encourages community involvement. Due to its welcoming appearance and unique characteristics, Washington Park was designated as one of the “Great Public Spaces in America” by the American Planning Association in the 2012.



Located in the City and County of Denver, the Wash Park neighborhood is bound by South University Boulevard, East Alameda Avenue, I-25, and South Broadway.



Schools

- Steele Elementary (ECE – 5)
- Lincoln Elementary (ECE – 5)
- Merrill Middle School (6-8)
- South High School (9 – 12)

Recreation

- Flower gardens
- Walk, run, bike
- Kayak, paddle boat, canoe
- Playgrounds

Art/Culture

- Old South Gaylord
- Bonnie Brae