

GENERAL INFORMATION

PARK LOCATION

19921 Poplar Way, Lynnwood WA

PARK HOURS

Open daily from dawn to dusk

AVAILABLE PARKING

32 regular, 2 HC stalls, 3 bus stalls

COMMUNITY RESOURCES

VISITOR INFORMATION CENTER/MUSEUM

425-776-3977

Monday-Friday: 9am - 5pm

Saturday and Sunday: 9am - 3pm

HERITAGE RESOURCE CENTER

425-775-4694

Tues, Thurs & Sat: 11am - 3pm

GENEALOGY RESEARCH LIBRARY

425-775-6267

Tues, Thurs & Sat: 11am - 3pm

INTERURBAN CAR 55 TOURS

June - Sept: Summer Open Houses on

1st Saturdays: 11am - 3pm

Oct - May: By appt - 425-670-5502

(Please call facilities to confirm hours.)

PARK RESERVATIONS

To reserve the plaza at Heritage Park, please call 425-670-5732.

DIRECTIONS TO PARK

I-5 South to Exit 181 (524 -East):

Merge onto 196th St SW. Turn right on Poplar Way. Park is on the left at the SE corner of Alderwood Mall Pkwy and Poplar Way.

I-5 North to Exit 181B:

Turn right on Poplar Way. Park is on the left at the SE corner of Alderwood Mall Pkwy and Poplar Way.



**HERITAGE PARK
DONATION PROGRAM**

Continue historic preservation and support interpretive programs at Heritage Park, with a donation to the Parks & Recreation Foundation.

- Water Tower Renovation
- Museum Development
- Buy-A-Brick
- Memorial Benches
- Memorial Trees
- Car 55 Renovation
- Park Sculpture
- Interpretive Signs

Donation forms are available in the park and online at www.PlayLynnwood.com.

For more information, please call 425.670.5502.

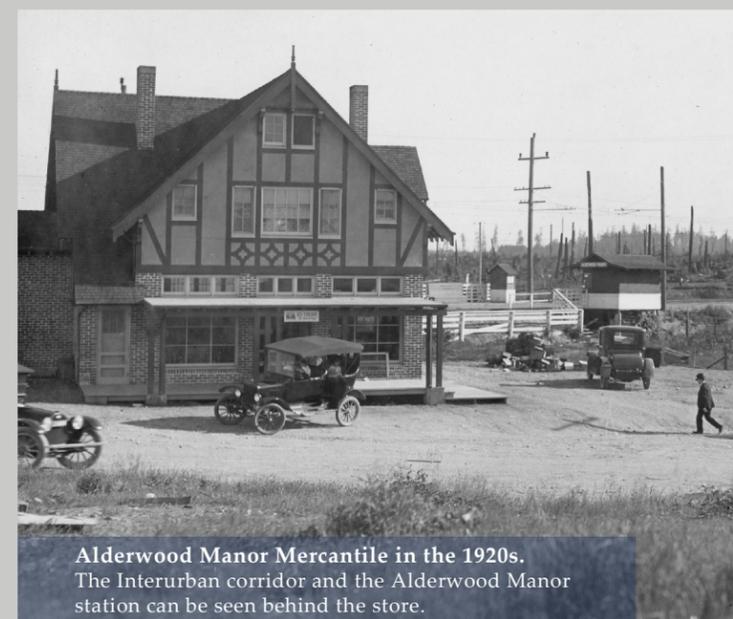


**LYNNWOOD
WASHINGTON**

STEP INTO THE PAST AT

**HERITAGE
PARK**

LYNNWOOD, WASHINGTON



Alderwood Manor Mercantile in the 1920s.
The Interurban corridor and the Alderwood Manor station can be seen behind the store.

The Mission of Heritage Park is to interpret the heritage of Lynnwood and the neighborhoods which once formed the community of Alderwood Manor.

Photos courtesy of the
ALDERWOOD MANOR HERITAGE ASSOCIATION

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SNOHOMISH COUNTY COMMUNITY HERITAGE PROGRAM

WELCOME TO HERITAGE PARK!

You are invited to experience the history of Lynnwood from its roots as Alderwood Manor, the first “planned” real estate development in Snohomish County that emerged between Everett and Seattle along the Interurban Railway.

The area’s virgin forests had been logged in the early 1900s, and the land was transformed from forest to stump farms. The Puget Mill Company promoted the land to gentlemen farmers in 1919, and the community of Alderwood Manor was created.

HERITAGE PARK PARTNERS

City of Lynnwood

Snohomish County
Tourism Bureau

Alderwood Manor
Heritage Association

Sno-Isle
Genealogical Society

Car 55 Restoration
Committee

Parks & Recreation
Foundation

Lynnwood City Council

Parks & Recreation Board

Historical Commission

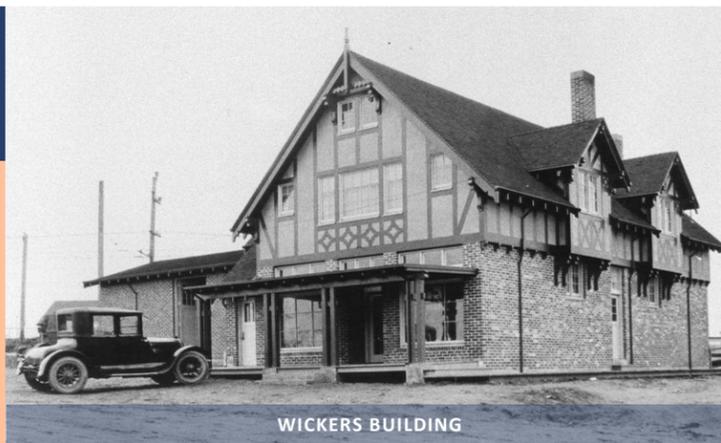
By 1922 there were 1,463 people and 200,000 hens in Alderwood Manor, and egg production was second in the nation.

The Great Depression in the 1930s decimated the poultry business, and in 1939 the Interurban was dismantled in favor of the automobile.

The opening of Highway 99 stimulated commercial development in the area, bringing new growth and

opportunities. By the time the city of Lynnwood was incorporated in 1959, the population had grown to 6,233.

Today you will find many of Alderwood Manor’s historic structures preserved at Heritage Park.



WICKERS BUILDING

The **WICKERS BUILDING** was Alderwood Manor’s first mercantile, built in 1919. The **South Snohomish County Visitor Information Center** is located in the renovated building and operated by the Snohomish County Tourism Bureau. The visitor center offers county-wide information on travel, accommodations and community events.

The **Wickers Museum** includes traveling exhibits, stories of Alderwood Manor, recreated rooms and heritage displays, both upstairs and downstairs. The Wickers Building is listed on the Washington State Heritage Register and the City of Lynnwood Register of Historic Landmarks.

The **SUPERINTENDENT’S COTTAGE** and the **WATER TOWER** are the only surviving structures from the 1917 Demonstration Farm. The **Heritage Resource Center**, owned and operated by the Alderwood Manor Heritage Association, is located in the renovated cottage. The center offers public access to exhibits and resource materials related to the historic community of Alderwood Manor.

The **WATER TOWER** supplied water to the Demonstration Farm and the surrounding neighborhoods until the Alderwood Water District began service in 1934. When renovation is completed, the water tower will provide space in the park for exhibits and community programs that interpret the agricultural heritage of Lynnwood.



SUPERINTENDENT’S COTTAGE & WATER TOWER



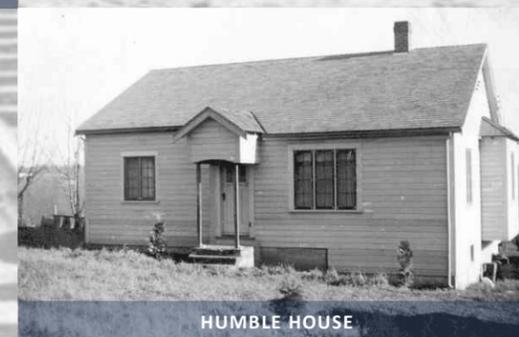
INTERURBAN CAR 55

INTERURBAN CAR 55 is one of the original six electric interurban trolley cars that provided commuter service from Alderwood Manor to Seattle and Everett from 1910-1939. The Interurban played a significant role in the settlement and development of Snohomish County.

Car 55 has been renovated by the City of Lynnwood as a static display in the park. The Car 55 Restoration Committee fabricated and installed many of the accessories and interior furnishings. Guided tours of Car 55 are available.

The **HUMBLE HOUSE** is the park site’s original residence, built in 1919 by the Puget Mill Company on five and 3/4 acres across from the Demonstration Farm. The original 2-room house was a typical farmhouse in Alderwood Manor.

The **Genealogy Research Library** is operated by the Sno-Isle Genealogical Society and staffed with knowledgeable volunteers who can help visitors research their family heritage. Drop-in classes and workshops are available.



HUMBLE HOUSE