April 4, 2017

3:00 PM

Green Hall (GR) 2.326

Sustainability Committee Agenda

Attendance Checklist:

✓	Doug Goodman – Chair		John Walls
✓	Carolyn Reichert – Vice Chair	✓	Evan Paret
✓	Lev Gelb		John McCaskill
✓	Craig Lewis		Mackenzie Hunter
✓	Brett Cease	✓	Fred Traylor
	Joseph Campain	✓	Robin Russell
	Deborah Reynolds	✓	Srishti Mather
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	Calvin Jamison		
	Rick Dempsey		

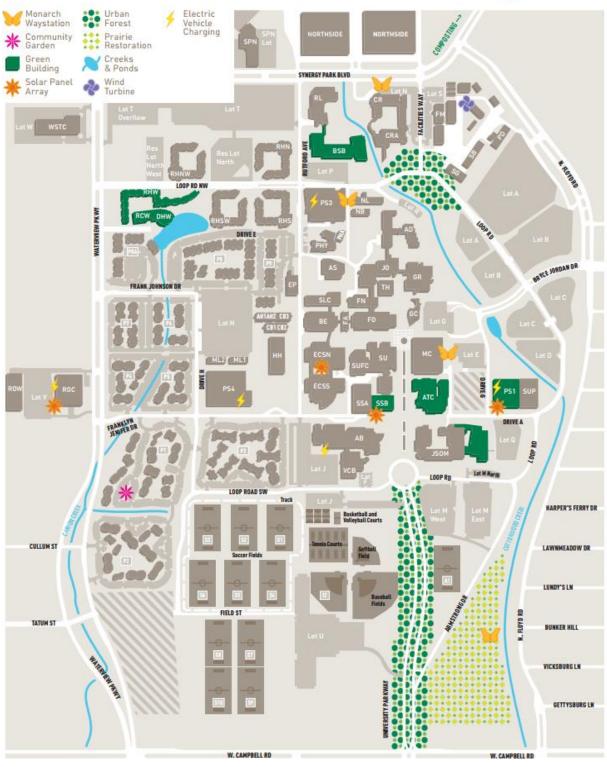
- I. Greetings
- II. Minutes Approval
- III. Facilities Management / Sustainability Office
 - a. Campus Green Tour
 - b. Sustainability Website Update
 - c. Eco Rep Program Project Updates
 - d. RecycleMania Final Results Coming Soon
 - e. Earth Week Planning
 - f. SSA Recycling
- IV. Earth Week
 - a. April 17 21, 2017
 - b. Eco-Rep Events & Activities
- V. Discussion (around the table)
 - a. Green Initiative (\$6,000 SG)





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Start time: 3:05 PM

- Attendance
 - Doug Goodman
 - Carolyn Reichert
 - o Craig Lewis
 - Brett Cease
 - o Robin Russell
 - Fred Traylor
 - Srishti Mather
 - Natalie Barletta
 - o Evan Paret
 - o Lev Gelb
- Greetings
 - o Everyone met in front of the Green Hall building next to the loading docks.
 - o Everyone introduced themselves and an overview of the tour was provided.
- Minutes Approval
 - o There were no objections or recommended changes to the minutes.
 - o Minutes were approved.
- Facilities Management/Sustainability Office
 - Campus Green Tour
 - The committee participated in a campus green tour.
 - Three golf carts were utilized to transport the committee to different sites oncampus. This includes FM, the Monarch Waystation and the Community Garden.
 - The committee meeting took place at the Monarch Waystation near the gazebo.
 - This was an opportunity to become familiar with Facilities Management and various "Green" sites on-campus.
 - Sustainability Website Update
 - The recycling locations now include the glass bottle recycling for labs.
 - The green campus map has been updated to include car charging stations.
 - http://www.utdallas.edu/sustainability/
 - Eco-Rep Program
 - Fred Traylor provided updates on current and upcoming Eco-Rep events, activities and projects.
 - This includes Earth Week and video projects.
 - Please see below link for one of two current video projects.
 - http://www.utdallas.edu/news/2017/3/22-32469 Advocates-Dig-Learning-Teaching-Sustainable-Practi story-wide.html?WT.mc id=NewsRSS
 - RecycleMania
 - RecycleMania ended on April 1st.
 - Final results will be coming soon.
 - Earth Week Planning
 - The Earth Week schedule is now available. Please see below link.
 - http://www.utdallas.edu/volunteer/earthweek/
 - SSA Recycling

 The Sustainability Office and Eco Reps are meeting with SU and SSA operations management team to discuss recycling opportunities this week.

Earth Week

- o Earth Week will take place from April 17 21
- o The Eco-Reps will be hosting events and activities. Please see the Earth Week schedule.
- o Bee Hives will be installed near the Monarch Waystation site during Earth Week.
- Hundreds of Milkweed will be planted during the Monarch Waystation Butterfly Flutterby event during Earth Week.

Discussion

- o The Faculty Sustainability Research Panel will be taking place on April 18th.
 - Featuring Drs. Goodman, Rippell, Taylor & Cummings
 - TI Auditorium, ECS South 2.102
 - From 6 to 7:30 PM
- o The Student Government will be doing the Green Initiative this year.
 - SG is seeking staff and faculty involvment.
- A meeting has been organized regarding the opportunity to acquire insight into the benefits and potential costs of a food waste dehydrator.
 - The meeting will take place during Earth Week. Please see below link for more information on the product.
- o Doug will be meeting with the Provost soon to discuss sustainability initiatives.
- End Time: 4:05 PM