

Sustainability Committee Agenda

Microsoft Teams

Attendance Checklist:

Name	Committee Position	Attendance
Quorum = 4 Voting Members Present		
Dorothee Honhon	Chair (Vote)	Yes
Erin Greer	Vice Chair (Vote)	Yes
Stephanie Taylor	Faculty (Vote)	Yes
Brian Bernoussi	Staff (Vote)	
Rachel Enloe	Staff (Vote)	Yes
Chandu Garapaty	Student (Vote)	Yes
Madison Ibe	Student (Vote)	
Calvin Jamison	Ex Officio (No Vote)	
Jeremy Head	Ex Officio (No Vote)	
Robin Russell/ John Walls	Ex Officio (No Vote)	
Gary Cocke	Ex Officio (No Vote)	Yes
Avery McKitrick	Staff Support (No Vote)	Yes
Danielle Dunn	Staff Support (No Vote)	Yes
Taylor Lawson	UTD Housing Representative (No Vote)	Yes
Sravya Thotakura	ECO (Student Org) (No Vote)	

Also in attendance:

- Paulina Hruskoci
- Dee Lambert
- Ida Ghorbani (ECO)
- Carolyn Reichert
- Maria Simplicio
- Ian Seamans
- Prashanth Boda

- **Greetings**
- **Continuing Business (30 min)**
 - SUP Proposal Updates/Discussion – Ad Hoc Sub Committee
 - **Members:**
 - Dr. Dorothee Honhon (faculty, Chair of the sustainability committee)
 - Dr. Erin Greer (faculty, Vice-Chair of the sustainability committee)
 - Gary Cocke (Sustainability Director, Office of Sustainability)
 - Kent Best (Assistant Vice President Marketing, Communications)
 - Paulina Hruskoci & Madison Ibe - Student Government
 - Lori Evans (Senior Safety Specialist, Institutional Risk & Safety)
 - Katherine Morales (Assistant Vice President, Media Relations) - ADDED
 - 1st meeting on March 10
 - Data request email sent to Bob Fishbein on 3/10 – nudge email today
 - Food recovery on campus
 - Whatsap group, [Free Eats app](#)
 - Earth Week – Sustainability Committee DIY sustainable household products
 - Volunteers: Dorothee, Carolyn, Erin, Vikas and Rachel
 - Products: laundry soap, bath bombs... Coconut deodorang
- **ECO Update (5 min)**
 - Food recovery network
 - Deep in the heart film screening
 - ECO hub work day collaboration
- **Green Initiative Update (5 min)**
 - Sustainable procurement resolution
 - Comet composting & Recycling – mandatory at events and training
 - “hot Comet walk” at Earth week. With oranges and flowers.

- **Sustainability Office Update** (10 min)
 - Eco Hub Update (Avery)
 - Spring/summer planting
 - Sustainability Service Honor (SSH) Graduation Update (Avery)
 - JSOM Case Competition Update (Danielle)
 - April 20 – 5 finalist teams + keynote speakers
 - JSOM Ann and Jack Graves Conference Update (Danielle)
 - [This Friday & Saturday](#)
 - Earth Week 2023 Update (Danielle)

- Renewable Energy/Intermodal Hub Update (Gary)
 - DART silver line
- Sustainability Research Institute Update (Gary)
 - 2 seed grants – 3/31 deadline

- In-person Panel session for sustainability in higher ed – April 24
 - Stanford, U of New Hampshire, ...

- North Texas Climate Summit March 28 (Gary) (9-4 pm) – City of Dallas hosting “North Texas climate change symposium” event at Alumni Center – free !

- **Riddle** (2 min)

When was the first electric car built?

[Answer:](#)