

## Presidents' Commitment to Climate & Sustainability Committee

October 7<sup>th</sup> 2014 1:00 G138

### Meeting Notes

**Present: Krista Reichert, Mike D'Entremont, Mike Boyle, Marcela Rodriguez; Lateia Johnson; Scott Benjamin, Iryna Leonova**

1. Election of Chairs
  - a. No election of chairs, didn't appear to have a quorum present
  
2. News and Updates
  - a. Facilities—No facilities update
  - b. Sustainability around campus
    - i. Karen Norton hosting activities for Second Nature Conference
    - ii. Hubway will work with BHCC to come to our campus
    - iii. Mike D'Entremont would like to bring Ballot Question--#2 Expansion of Bottle Bill to the attention of the forum.
  
3. Greenhouse Gas Reporting
  - a. Reporting
    - i. Website discrepancy with progress reporting
      - a. Committee discussed that this was not on the website last year when we checked
      - b. Progress reporting of activities to be submitted with interim GHG report as it needs this information
  - b. Reporting Planning
    - i. Scott will work with Facilities to calculate emissions
    - ii. Committee will assist in collecting information and reporting narrative
      1. Scope 3 Information
        - a. Student Commuting Surveying
        - b. State mandated transportation survey of Day Students and FT Faculty and Staff
          - i. Karalynn will ask about sending 3 question survey to night students—expect by early Dec.
        - c. Directed Financed Outsourced Travel
          - i. Mike Boyle to tabulate Faculty/Student air travel
          - ii. Scott to ask about Bus rentals and mileage
      2. Update Scope 1+2 Information-- Scott/Paul/John
        - iii. Edit Reporting Calculator – Scott/Paul/John
        - iv. Update Narrative –Subcommittee—Krista and Marcela to collect narrative stories about engagement

3. Old Business—Greening Events/Greening Campus Food
  - a. Committee Discussed whether we wanted to continue with green events/green food as a possible policy development for the semester
    - i. Committee is very satisfied with the progress of Events in greening their own events
    - ii. FAME Food Committee –Meets independent of PCCC, Lateia is on that committee
      1. Ideas about food sustainability improvements that come from the Committee can be report through Lateia
    - iii. Committee closed discussion on greening events/greening campus food
4. Next Meeting November 4<sup>th</sup>
  - a. Review of data collected if available
  - b. Review of narrative categories