

College of San Mateo Sustainability Committee Meeting
MEETING MINUTES
Friday, September 25, 2015; 11:30-12:30 PM
Room 36-200

Members Present: Charlene Frontiera, Paul Hankamp, Lin Bowie, Michele Rudovsky, Joseph Fullerton, Isabella Colombo, Vijiyalakshmi Raman

- I. Welcome new members: Charlene and Paul
- II. Introduce our new learning groups: Paul
 - We will start each meeting with 5-10 of current research and innovation on Sustainability topics
- III. Committee Work 2015-2016: Paul
 - Plan is finished and loaded on the sandbox
 - Next meeting, Lin will suggest our committee goals for the next academic year
- IV. Sub-Committees
 - New Earth Day core faculty members: Kathy Diamond, Catherine Ciesla, Mohsen Janatpour
 - New or continuing faculty/staff members: Gwen Alldredge, Nick Dellaporta (library), Theresa Martin, Michele Rudovsky
 - Professional development: AASHE conference, present what Paul learned on a Flex Day
 - Project Butt: signs and outreach, our NEXT infographic!!!
 - Talk to Jennifer Hughes about getting no smoking signs to specific areas
 - Smoking “hotspots:” cosmetology/health/gym, Public Safety (Bldg 1), Bldg 14, Tennis courts, garden pebbles near Bldg 10

- Connect to both stormwater management and fire danger
 - SB passed, signed by gov. divested only from coal (not all fossil fuels)
 - In the future, steer the district to divest from oil and gas
 - Climate Action: big part of CSM plan was devo a CSM-specific approach. Copy Skyline? Table to next month when Lin is back. She is talking to the Skyline folks.
 - Skyline has their plan in rough draft form, hopefully a final draft by end of 2015.
 - Joe and Gwen will help us interpret the data (and the new full-time person starting to work for Joe in October).
- V. Review/Update the Plan-Initiatives for 2015-2016
- Lin will make this a key discussion next time
- VI. New Sustainability Initiatives for 2015-2016
- Student on the Building Committee (Isabella). Who do we ask? Charlene? Michele?
 - Scoping phase of the EIR is out for review, on the district website at the top.
 - First step for Isabella is to talk to Joe on the appropriate time to enter into the process. Engage her in the user group.
 - Update on Solar Project CSM
 - Three year window to complete, array with have energy generation, storage, and management. The plan is to make this a living lab with curriculum innovation.
 - 3-year window to complete, will generate ½ megawatt!
 - Either roof panels, or parking lot panels that double as shade structures.

- Living Wall? Art Committee approval? Money is gone. Maybe an Innovation topic in the future...
 - First step is to get a clear plan. What is our vision, and what is the scope of the work for facilities over time? Is it mobile or permanent? Present this plan in the 5 minutes of innovation!

VII. Next Meeting-October

- Lin volunteers next meeting for Innovation Research
- Good of the order