

Sustainability Committee Agenda/Notes

May 10th, 2022, 3:00 pm to 4:30 pm

Remote meeting via Zoom

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MEMBERS: *CO-Chairs:* Megan Moscol & Aline Gregorio *Management:* Larry Lara, [vacant seat]
Faculty: Kristen Shedd [resigned 5/9/22], Josh Ashenmiller, Sergio Banda, JP Gonzalez *Classified:*
[vacant seat], Marwin Luminarias *Associated Students:* Sheree Brewster, Lilly Avila, Roberto Mendoza
Staff: Tyler Deacy

Absent: Larry, Marwin, Roberto, Josh

REPORTS

- Student Reports
 - Earth week events & student engagement results
 - Passed 2 resolutions
 - AS Earth Week Resolution
 - Resolution to reserve earth week and earth day for appropriate activities
 - Resolution to Recommend Findings of Environmental Equity Study
- Faculty Reports
 - Earth Day Symposium (Aline & Josh)
 - Case for divestment
 - 2 trustees and Vice Chancellor of Finance attended in full
 - Recordings:
 - Community College League of California - So Cal Divestment Network with Trustee Dunsheath
- Classified Reports
- Manager Reports
 - Tyler
 - ASHRAE Audit
 - No update
 - ROI analysis
 - Solar feasibility
 - Narrowed down a sizing option
 - USGBC LA
 - Larry
 - Meter installation is happening on campus

- Megan
 - Plans for additional EV charging, South of Chapman in the Wilshire lot which will provide additional opportunities for charging. It is still free of charge. Conversations happening about considering adding it as a parking fee benefit.

OLD BUSINESS

1. Divestment
 - a. Divestment Policy with Vice Chancellor Fred Williams (Megan)
 - Commented in favor of divestment at the retirement board committee 4/13
 - Follow-up meeting with CSU CO investment office and advisors
 - To continue conversation re: fiscal responsibility at next retirement board meeting
 - b. Divestment policies at the state, SB-1173, the Divestment of Fossil Fuels. The bill is sponsored by California Faculty Association as well as Fossil Free California and has the support of 40 organizations including CTA's Oakland Educators Association. Here is the [Fact Sheet](#) and [Bill Language](#). Placed in suspense file 5/2.
2. Sustainability Plan Models
 - a. Sustainability Plan budget? (Megan & Tyler)
 - Tyler & Megan will ask Rod about funds for sustainability plan publication
3. Mapping Environmental Disadvantage, Geography Department & OIRE (Joseph Diminutto, Victor Manchik, Aline Gregorio) [ACTION via email (Megan moved to collect votes via email and JP seconded)] - unanimous support from members present.
 - a. Recommendations:
 - Create an interactive map
 - Create/publish transportation plans for disadvantaged communities shown in the study
 - Increase/improve green spaces on campus
 - Connect with economically disadvantaged students not receiving financial aid via care mail
 - Increase environmental justice education/partnerships
4. Aline's sabbatical: Co-Chair Election, Fall 2022
 - a. Temporary co-chair replacement, in-committee election
 - Roman deJesus selected as faculty rep replacement by Academic Senate
 - Elect new co-chair for Fall 2022
 - Nominations
 - a. Roman De Jesus, Earth Science
 - Send the ballot electronically

NEW BUSINESS

1. Tyler's STARS Report [Information]

Feedback for Tyler:

- Data on the OCTA bus pass
- Include Sustainability Fashion Event into the report
- Include Horticulture plant sale
- AS freebies, reusable lunch materials
- Double check on the event about events on Social Justice specific to students from students
 - Get info from Sheree
 - Participation in District antiracism campaign
 - Participation at ENCORE
- Aline:
 - Antiracism statement
 - Effective start date

2. The Sustainability Initiative Proposal [Action]

FUTURE GOALS:

1. Sustainability Initiative
 - a. Goal -> Amita
 - b. PAC -> DCC
2. Sustainability Plan
 - a. Securing a budget for a public facing plan
3. Sustainability Ambassador Course
 - a. Proposal for two professional experts to build this for the whole campus
4. Maybe a Sustainability Professionals workshop for students?
5. Divestment Resolution through Faculty Senate, to guide endowment funds.
6. Earth Week 2023

NEXT MEETING -----> **SEPTEMBER**
13th 2022