 **Sustainability Committee**

ZOOM: [Link.](https://www.google.com/url?q=https://fullcoll-edu.zoom.us/j/82615239267?pwd%3DOEFYemtDTlVTZjJBdkg4VnA2UFNQdz09&sa=D&source=editors&ust=1724795715987972&usg=AOvVaw2STRIXvaBGCUs_BPmxjaJR)

Meeting Leads: Tyler Deacy, Vacant

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**Purpose:**

The purpose of our first meeting is to create an overall plan for the committee’s goals and outcomes for the 2024-25 year, going into more detail on what specifically needs to be achieved going into the early Fall Semester.

**Members:**

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| Co-Chairs:* Tyler Deacy (FC Interim Director of Sustainability)
* Roman de Jesus (Natural Sciences, Earth Science)

Managers:* Larry Lara (Director of Facilities)
* Khaoi Mady (Manager, ACT)

Students:* Vacant x3
 | Faculty:* Josh Ashenmiller (Social Sciences, History)
* Kristen Shedd (Social Sciences, History)
* Daniel Scarpa (Humanities, English)
* Aline Gregorio (Social Sciences, Geography)

Classified:* Megan Harris (Senior Research and Planning Analyst, Office of Institutional Effectiveness)
* Nichole Crockrom (Administrative Assistant, Campus Safety)
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**Outcomes:**

* Elect 2024-25 Faculty Co-Chair
* 2024-25 Year Plan
* Finalize Logistics for the Fall Community Resource Fair (9/10) and CA Coastal Cleanup Event (9/21)

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| **FOLLOW UP ITEMS – 10 min.** |
| * None
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| **MAIN AGENDA** |
| **TIME** | **TOPIC** | **PRESENTER** | **PURPOSE** | **ACTION** |
| 5 min | Manager Reports* Rule changes to parking/EV charging slots – the 4 hour limit seems to be gone.
 | Managers | Updates |  |
| 5 min | Student Reports* Volunteer to attend A.S. w/ Tyler 9/4
* Biology Student Jules joined us as a visitor to the committee this meeting to spectate.
 | Students | Updates |  |
| 5 min | Faculty Reports* Roman is planning to submit a public comment to Faculty Senate regarding the curriculum and general education requirements to attempt to include sustainability into those requirements.
* Several colleges have sustainability requirements in their curriculum already, including Arizona State.
 | Faculty | Updates |  |
| 5 min | Classified Reports * None
 | Classified | Updates |  |
| 5 min | Director Report* Solar Project Updates
* District Sustainability Planning Efforts
* Solar project mostly complete – will be energized by April 2025.
* District plan is to go to Faculty Senate at Cypress.
 | Tyler Deacy | Updates |  |
| 5 min | New Member and Faculty Ballot Results* All faculty have been re-appointed to the committee
* Aline nominates Roman for co-chair. Unanimous vote yes.
 | Tyler Deacy | Formalize Committee Structure for 2024-25 | Elect Faculty Co-Chairs. |
| 5 min | Fall Community Resource Fair* Will be at the fair advertising the cleanup. Tyler offered to advertise others. Seminar Tues Oct. 8th 4-5pm about how to keep hopeful despite the climate crisis.
 | Tyler Deacy | Finalize Logistics |  |
| 5 min | CA Coastal Cleanup Day* Josh will be there. Waiver checks will be more annoying than last year. Josh will help on-site in the morning.
* Encourage people to bring their own water bottles.
 | Tyler Deacy | Finalize Logistics | Get Headcount, Choose Site Leaders + Drivers. |
| 20 min | Spring Sustainability Survey Results* How is it that we can get more students to respond? We’ve had better results from other surveys.
* Literacy survey was less valuable than its culture equivalent.
* A second distribution this Fall/Spring? Incentive from the Earth Day funds?
 | Tyler Deacy & Megan Harris | Share and Discuss outcomes of Spring 2024 survey | Identify data which we can use for 2024/25 committee objectives.  |
| 20 min | Campus Sustainability Plan Progress and 2024-25 Action Items* SAGE Training Course Updates
* EUL Inventory – Larry

Suggestions for the Year* Earth Day Speaker / Theme
* Tyler presented information
* Will go out to the Senates this Fall to present
* Tyler to create form to fill out for speaker recommendations.
 | Tyler Deacy | Review current progress of 2023-26 plan, prioritize remaining items | Create a list of projects and initiatives which we will focus on for the 2024-25 FY.  |
| 10 min | Sustainability Committee Date/Time* Keep as-is.
 | Tyler Deacy | Verify best time to meet this semester | Finalize best meeting date/time for Fall 2024. |

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| **RESOURCES** |
| * [Campus Sustainability Plan](https://sustainability.fullcoll.edu/wp-content/uploads/sites/73/2023/07/Fullerton-College-Sustainability-Master-Plan-2023.pdf)
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| **Fall 2024 Meetings: Sept. 3rd | Oct. 1st | Nov. 5th | Dec. 3rd** |