College Environmental Advisory Group

Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, October 22, 2008

In attendance: Kristin Jensen Sullivan, Frank Nunez, Veronika Lane, Lisa Denham, Jeanine Hawk, Susan Malmsgren, Ralph Riddle, Bonnet Saussol, Emanuel DaSilva, Ferdinand Batis, Lee Denton, Sean Lee, Huong Nguyen, Peter Woolhouse, Rudy Tamayo, Joe Cooke, Julie Ceballos

• Frank Nunez Updates

~ Student volunteers: update process, reporting, time cards/sheets; daily (white) work sheets to Joe Cooke, Joe to Frank
~ Frank will send e-mail reminder to fill out monthly (pink) time cards around the 27th of every month for pay on the 4th
~ Friday student meetings

• Joe Cooke Update on STARS, student e-mailing, meetings and choosing category

~ Grounds: AASHE sustainability credits: organic and irrigation: what is required to be an organic campus
  - Moving to native/drought resistant plants, composting, non-potable systems for irrigation: 4000 gal. water tank with new building start construction 2009 and function 2012
~ Update on trees: replaced w/natives (Raywood ash, live oaks, madrones); state-of-the-art irrigation system
~ People to contact on campus – let them know that there will be SMP student workers approaching them

• Eco-Pass

~ Ballot measure passed in spring $5/quarter for all full-time students
~ Jeanine Hawk met with VTA/DASB; VTA ready to design and provide stickers, Winter 2009 quarter; who will distribute stickers. Need to dispel all myths regarding this issue.

• Future CEAG agenda items:

~ Highlights from SFSU convergence (what other schools are doing); students attending Oct. 24-26, 2009
~ Updates from our SMP student workers/STARS work updates
~ Green festival
~ Communication/marketing strategies
~ How other school market to their schools