

Sustainability Committee Meeting Minutes
September 28, 2009

Location: Physical Plant Conference Room
Presiding: Kathleen Smythe & Dave Lococo
Present: Kelly Akers, James Cave, Steve Cobb, George Farnsworth, David Mengel, Shane Mulvihill, Molly Roberstshaw, Greg Schaber, Kathleen Smythe, Caroline Solis

Next Meeting: November 2nd, 8:00 to 9:30 a.m. Physical Plant Large Conference Room

Meeting called to order at 8:00 a.m.

Minutes from 8/31/2009 approved

Change to the committee

Molly Robertshaw will be replacing Mary Rosenfeldt as the liason to the Student Life and Leadership Sustainability Committee. Welcome, Molly.

Sustainability Day Items

- Invite being launched today (“magnet” on portal)
- Sheeran and Micky-Boggs announcements will be forthcoming this week.
- Kathleen and Dave will have a meeting with Mike Graham to discuss budgetary concerns, sustainability efforts going forward, etc.

Kathleen & Dave report on Greening the Campus

- Sustainability movement among higher-ed institutions gaining momentum nationwide
- Need to create a list of ways in which students can interface on the topic
- Dissemination of information is key
- Lots of work to be done in terms of engaging the student body

Sustainability Day Presentation by Committee

- Moving toward the idea of having two separate pieces—here’s where we are/here’s where we’re going
- Do we want to provide multiple discussion opps?
- Kathleen, Steve and James will present where we are in the AM.
- Tuchman will follow them.
- The afternoon should be used to outline what works for others and what we do going forward
- Live blog and disussion leading—would like to include students in this as well

Meeting adjourned at 9:30 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,
James Cave