

Sustainability Committee Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, May 1, 2018
8:00-9:00 AM; MET 214
Attendees: Jessica, Michelle, Joe

- 1) Welcome
 - a. Review of old business: **Sustainability Coordinator- see below for ASCOCC May ballots**

 - 2) New business/Updates:
 - a. Committee positions: openings and chair position? **Jessie sent a description of the committee needs to Amy Harper; anyone interested in chair?**

 - b. Go Clean Energy conference July 13, 2018 **see attached flyer in email; Jennifer can you put this on the website, please; anyone interested in attending-GoCleanEnergy.org**

 - c. Coordinator position: ASCOCC May ballots: **May 14-17 voting; Gordon has been a great advocate, and seems to feel pretty positive about possible results**

 - d. 350Deschutes Film Event: **very low turn out, no students. Quick debrief with 350Desch led to ideas of offering during lunch and free food- external motivation can work to initiate change.**

 - e. Projects- subcommittees updates:
 - i. Website – Jennifer
 - ii. Dining services, food recovery program: – Owen, Laura
 - iii. COCC Spring Farm and Food Faire Report- Owen **owen sent email with update for the projects he is involved with**
 - iv. Centralized trash/recycling – Kevin and Owen **Joe Viola presented info**
****Kevin and the custodial staff will be transitioning the following buildings to CTR in the near future. They’re going to need money for containers, signage, pre/post waste audits, and maybe some campus-wide marketing.**
 - 1) CTR buildings: Cascade, Health, Pioneer, HR, Library
 - a. Classrooms
 - b. Offices
 - 2) Standardized containers and signage (\$)
 - 3) Pre-post waste audit (\$)
 - 4) Staff and faculty education**Campus services is wanting to continue with the idea of centralized trash in more buildings; change in structure to 2 collection bins at each identified site: 1 for all trash, and 1 for “Refundables”; most of the recyclables being collected by campus services is contaminated and goes into the landfill; the idea is so simplify, refundables is fairly universally understood, the monies collected could go back into the system toward sustainable projects, clubs, etc....**
Joe will send Jessie the funding request, and she will email out info
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- 3) Current budget
 - a. Funding Requests: Centralized trash program (where does funding come from?)
See above- Joe will send

4) Future meetings

May 30th, Wednesday 1:30-2:30 LIB 221

June 12th, Tuesday 11:00-12:00 MET 214