

SEMC Meeting Minutes for Wednesday, October 13, 2021 via Zoom

- Tassie Hermann: overview of agenda
 - Policy renewal
 - Goals
 - Group Updates
- Policy Renewal
 - Tassie Hermann introduced policy renewal needed with new administration
 - 2 weeks for comments (due last Friday of October)
 - Tassie Hermann relayed comment from absent member:
 - Add research and curriculum to “supporting sustainability education and outreach;”
 - Suggestion that curriculum and education are tied already
 - Howard Meek suggests we reflect University language
 - Monica Hartmann suggested creating document in Microsoft Teams so all can see and add comments
 - Howard Meek shared screen to allow group to see policy statement
 - Zofia Rybkowski asked about measurable goals
 - MH answered that measurable goals and not needed here since it is more of a mission statement
 - TH – add about stormwater and wastewater to bullets
 - Manish asked about community outreach in the statement
 - Byron – committee charge covers responsibility
 - Manish – is it out of scope to suggest to the university about reusing before new construction
 - Byron – future of TAMU will be garages to service students
 - Tabling policy conversation
 - Tassie Hermann will draft and send out to group for final approval
- Goals
 - Core group meets during summer
 - Comprised of Jeff, Nathan, Tassie, Kelly, chairperson
 - Marketing
 - Advertising for SEMC, Green Labs, EPI
 - Suggested to plug into TAMU app and add sustainability page to it
 - Recycling
 - Taylor Cooleen, Solid Waste Specialist, come up with goal for recycling that SEMC can assist with
 - Review policy
- Updates
 - Tassie Hermann:
 - Stream Clean 2021 is Saturday October 16th
 - White creek retention, Hensel park

- Green labs certified first lab in Zachry
- Kristianna Bowles: Sustainability dinner and awards program is October 26th
- Byron Prestridge: Veoride
 - Veoride has had over 136,000 rides
 - Saturday Aggie Football (BTHO BAMA) Game day yielded 6,500 rides
- Darryl Peterson
 - Campus sustainability day 10am-1pm on Wednesday, October 20th
- Barbara Musgrove
 - Texas arbor day celebration is November 5th at Ross Plaza
- Taylor Cooleen
 - America/Texas recycles day is in rudder is November 15th from 10-1

Meeting Adjourned

- Attendees

TEEX	Howard Meek
TVMDL	Casey DuPont
UES- Supervisor for Energy Improvement Program	Darryl Peterson
SSC	Barbara Musgrove
Res Life	Carol Binzer
Construction Science Faculty Representative	Zofia Rybkowski
EHS Staff	Monica Hartmann
EHS Staff	Tassie Hermann
EHS Staff- Student Worker	Kyla Hall
SASE	Chris Meyer
Guest- Res Life	Kristianna Bowles
Transportation Services	Byron Prestridge
Mays Business School Faculty Representative	Leonard Bierman
	Taylor Cooleen
	Christina Robertson
TTI	Stuart Denner
	Manish

- **Next meeting: December 8th, 2021**