Transportation & Parking Committee

Tuesday, March 8th 12:30 PM- 1:30 PM Via Zoom

Committee: Diane Agud, Paul Avey, Mac Babb, Jeri Baker, Michael Dunn, Kirk Felton, Sandra Gabbert, Kristin Link, Eric Martin, Haley Michel, Polly Middleton, Nick Quint, Jaden Ringley, and David Tribble Absent: Hunter Bluey, Dr. Ashley Heflin, Jenny McCoy, and Pamela Tate

1. Welcome

Polly called the meeting to order and welcomed attendees.

2. Approval of minutes from 2/8/22

A motion to accept the minutes of the February meeting was made by Eric Martin, seconded by Paul Avey, and approved by the group.

3. No updates on the budget as of 3/8/2022.

Q: Can we share the budget with our co-workers?

A: Yes, you can, but please continue to refer to it as a draft form, we won't have a 100% approval until sometime in June.

4. Nick Quint on the Parking Survey

There has been 978 Responses so far 220 dropped out, and 758 that have completed the full survey. A combination of 366 F/S and 592 Students. Our goal is for 1,000 F/S and 2,000 Students to complete the survey. Survey is still live and will remain live until May 4th.

The survey is used several different reports, for different awards, and how we are measuring up to goal 9 which is to reduce vehicles by 20% by 2025. Data is also used for student projects. If you can share the survey link so we can meet our goal of 3000K.

Charging Stations:

So far, we have 3 public charging stations on campus. Each have 2 ports a total of 6 ports. We have seen a steady increase of use since the launch on November 19th. There are 37 unique drivers accounting for 166 sessions. Average session is about 2.3 hours 2.2 charging time and 10 minutes idle time. If vehicle idles more than 15 minutes the there is a fee. Most popular time is between 10-4. We will increase the number of charging stations as needed. There will be 2 stations installed in the Perry Street Garage.

Q: where are the stations located?

A: Squires lot at the bottom of the stairs side

If we get the charging stations as a grant we need to put them where they are accessible to the public and not just those on campus. So that will determine where we can actually put the stations. This will best insure that we are supporting the climate action commitment.

Meeting concluded by Polly at 12:52 PM.

The 2022 Transportation Survey is now live. Please take it and get the word out. 2022 Transportation Survey