

Campus Development Committee Meeting Minutes

DATE: Thursday, February 22nd, 2018

TIME: 10:30AM-11:30AM

LOCATION: Burruss 130

Present: Jeri Baker, Richard Blythe, Gates Breeden, Ted Faulkner, Heinrich Schnoedt, Ken Smith, Jason Soileau, Laura Steinberg, Robert Sumichrast, Susan Volkmar

Absent: Chris Kiwus, Brett Jones

Guest(s): Bob Massengale

1. Welcome and Call to Order
 - J. Soileau called meeting to order at 10:30am
2. Membership Resolution
 - J. Soileau discussed membership adjustment process
3. Universal Design & Accessibility
 - J. Washington presented overview of concept of Universal Design (UD)
 - Committee noted UD not point of life related – e.g., children in wheelchairs; 70 year olds running marathons
 - Discussion of updating capital project threshold
4. Cowgill Access Improvements
 - B. Massengale presented conceptual design for improving access to Cowgill Hall
 - Discussed truck access to Lavery Hall; current need to drive past and back in

- Desire for vehicle-free sidewalks
- Committee exhorted Facilities to align any Cowgill design with Randolph replacement
- Discussion that vehicle access control gate would most likely stay
- Committee voiced concern on impact of closing Perry Street to student access to Cowgill service / loading area
- Discussion surrounding need to maintain student driving access to Cowgill for delivery of projects and materials; access desired at all hours of day
- Resolution to issue likely to come from policy, rather than design
- Discussion of how to maximize movement of persons from Surge building, particularly into Durham Hall and between Lavery and Kelly Halls.
- Truck access to Hitt Hall must also be considered

5. Master Plan Update

- J. Soileau provided update on status of current draft; review schedule for administration and deans

6. Five Year Capital Project Timelines

- J. Washington presented updated capital project timelines

7. Open Discussion

- Meeting adjourned at 11:32am