
I. Meeting Minutes
Meeting minutes from 1/20/17 were approved.

II. Reports
a) Recyclemania Subcommittee
Number one for game day 2 years ago! David suggested looking at holding Recyclemania at a Hockey game next year. Gary reports that the main goal is to have more recycle bins in TC & MF, would like a recycle bin next to each garbage bin.

b) CAP Subcommittee
Discussed having a celebration fall semester to get in the public’s eye and to celebrate finishing of light bulb/LED replacements. David reported that 500,000 bus rides were given and that there are 4 bike stations on campus.

c) Earth Day Subcommittee
Erik reported that there is the option to hold the Earth Day event on Earth Day or to tie it in with Volunteer Day. The plan is to pick up garbage on campus, if there is a large number of volunteers this would expand to pick up garbage at the homes of elderly community members. There is also talk of incorporating a scavenger hunt.

d) Marketing Subcommittee
Subcommittee plans on meeting later today. Discussed that they would like a flier and that it could be distributed during May orientation and August move-in. Before this can happen the committee must decide on a name and logo. Facilities would like LEDs promoted.

III. Other Business
a) Bee Friendly Campus
MSSA approved. This is a big task and needs student outreach. It is important that bee pollinator plants are purple and gold. Would like the bee problem on campus (bees in garbage cans) fixed before bringing more bees to campus. Current wants include bee gardens on the perimeter of campus, bee boxes on campus, house bees that do not sting, and to become a bee friendly certified campus. The question of making a profit off of the honey was raised.

b) Bike Friendly Campus
There is no fee to apply to be a certified bike friendly campus. There are 3 different levels: bronze, silver, and gold. Student could send out survey to students to gage interest. There are currently 100 bikes registered. Some things to think about: lines on streets, locks, covered parking, etc. An incentive to ride bikes on campus: there is a sensor on the bike and sensors around campus and you earn points as you ride.

c) Arbor Day
Plant natives, decrease invasives, decrease pesticides, and implement rain gardens.

d) **General Fund**
We received $750 in donations. Discussed the possibility of grant writing.

IV. **Announcements**

a) David reported that 2 bus shelters have solar panels to provide light at night.

b) The dining hall used to produce 26 bags of garbage per day, now they produce 2 bags of garbage per day.

c) Minnesota Water Action Day is April 19th, 2017 (see below).

d) Sustainable Learning Committee - Robyn

Join us on Wednesday, April 19th for the 2017 Minnesota Water Action Day! This is a day of public action and advocacy to let lawmakers know we care about our water. This all-day event will include a rally, issue trainings and meetings with your legislators. Come for all or part of the day.

There will be trainings in the morning, both on how to actively engage legislators and on the water issues that we face in Minnesota. Throughout the day there will be events and other ways to keep people engaged, and the rally will be held in the Capitol Rotunda at 1pm.

What: Water Action Day
When: Wednesday, April 19th
- Meetings with your representatives throughout the day
- Rally in the Rotunda at 1pm
Where: Christ Lutheran Church - 105 University Ave W, St. Paul, MN 55103
Why: Because now is a time we need to Protect Our Water
*Transportation is being coordinated from Greater Minnesota
*Parking information, both free and low cost, is included in your registration confirmation email.

Register at this link: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/minnesota-water-action-day-registration-31483505011

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Future Meetings (3rd Friday each month)

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