



Campus Safety Committee Meeting Minutes

Members

([P] indicates member present at today's meeting)

Employee Represented:

- [P] Tom Bennett (TBe), Civil & Environmental Engineering
- [P] Paul Boevers (PB), Transportation & Parking Services
- [P] Deanna Britton (DB), College of Liberal Arts & Sciences
- [P] Joshewa Fulton (JF), Global Diversity & Inclusion
- [P] Lorenzo Guzman (LG), Office of the Registrar, Chair
- [P] Erica Hunsberger (EH), Environmental Health & Safety
- [P] Aaron Landreth (AL), Office of Information Technology
- [] Nate Parsons (NP), Graduate Employee Union
- [P] Joe Potter (JP), Facilities & Property Management
- [P] Clare Quinn (CQ), College of Liberal Arts & Sciences
- [] Jeffrey Smith (JS), Diversity & Multicultural Student Services
- [P] Susan Tardif (ST), College of Urban & Public Affairs
- [P] Karin Waller (KW), International Affairs

Employer Represented:

- [] Todd Bauch (TBa), Campus Recreation

- [P] Erin Burns (EB), Helen Gordon Child Development Center
- [P] Abby Chroman (AC), School of Business
- [P] Tyler Hartman (TH), Human Resources
- [P] Sarah Kenney (SKe), Construction & Real Estate, Vice Chair
- [] Shaun Kohn, Smith Memorial Student Union
- [P] Mike McNerney (MM), Campus Public Safety Office
- [P] Jeffrey Rook (JR), Environmental Health & Safety
- [] Gaby Sysyn (GS), Center for Student Health & Counseling
- [P] Leslie Walters (LW), Facilities & Property Management

Alternate:

Ad Hoc:

- [P] Joshewa Fulton (JF), NASCC
- [P] Jacen Greene (JG), PSU Homelessness Research & Action Center
- [P] Alyssa Thompson (AT), EHS Student Employee

Meeting Call to Order

Date: 12/08/2021

Time: 1:00 pm

Quorum Met: Yes

Approval of Meeting Minutes from Previous Meeting (Vote)

([x] indicates members vote)

Minutes approved as is	[x]
Minutes approved with minor corrections	[]
Minutes not approved – corrections required	[]
Minutes not approved – quorum not met	[]

Announcements

(Whom provided by, description of announcement, date of event or impact, if applicable)

- New committee member Joshewa Fulton from Global Diversity and Inclusion

Presentations / Discussions

(Whom provided by, description of presentation or discussion, date of event or impact, if applicable)

- MM- HB 2367
 - HB 2367 would end the criminalization of homelessness by establishing that people are legally not allowed to be harassed, arrested or cited for sitting, sleeping, or lying down in an unobstructive manner.
 - HB 3115 merely states that the laws used to harass, cite, and arrest people for conducting these survival activities must be reasonable.
 - JG- HB 2367- The bill was written in the spirit of the [Martin v. Boise ruling](#), a 2018 U.S. 9th Circuit Court of Appeals decision that bans governments from criminalizing living in public spaces if the local government is not providing enough shelter beds for each homeless person.
 - JG- The City of Portland's [One Point of Contact Campsite Reporting System](#) is the mechanism community members can use to report issues of illegal camping or related garbage within Portland. Webpage contains other resources as well
- JG- Presentation from PSU Homelessness Research & Action Center (jacen@pdx.edu)
 - [HRAC presentation](#)
 - [Portland Street Response](#)
 - Currently PSR do not cover PSU campus area
 - JP- Resources on campus in requests for assistance
 - JG- there is conversation to expand Portland Street Response to respond and provide assistance at PSU in lieu of CPSO. There is no timeframe at the moment for this.
 - DB- Sanitation
 - [Impact Reduction Program](#)
 - PB- Are there projections for evictions once mandorium expires? Do we know about students?
 - [Updated Cost of Oregon of Evictions Report](#)



- LG- Are there resources to address urgent needs?
 - 211
 - PSU [Find Help](#) Resource List (top of list is student specific)
 - [Mythbusters: Homeless Myths v. Facts](#)
- JR- IMT
 - January 3rd- [HR Return to Campus Guide](#)
 - [Inclement Weather](#)
 - PSU [COVID-19 Vaccine Requirement](#)
 - Testing plan for unvaccinated employees starting next year
 - SRTC construction- next 7 months, labs remodeled, then SB1

Accident / Injury Report (provided by Human Resources)

Reportable Incidents

(Date of incident, location, description of incident, committee recommendations)

Non-Reportable Incidents

(Date of incident, location, description of incident, committee recommendations)

- 11/02, Campus Rec pool, twisted foot
- 11/12, Parking Structure 2, slipped on wet stairs while descending
- EH - Update on PS1 Slip from 10/17/2021
 - Sheet metal installed between edge of building and gutter to prevent runoff down the building
 - Corrective action included to be mindful of surfaces that are wet when walking

Quarterly Inspection Update (provided by EHS staff)

Next building to be inspected: FMH

Quarter of inspection: TBD

Completed Inspection Review

(Date of inspection, locations inspected, description of inspection findings, description of follow-up or resolutions, if applicable)

- [Inspection Sheet \(blank\)](#)

Old Action Items and Safety Concerns

(Date reported, description of action item/safety concern, whom it was assigned to, description of follow up, date investigated/resolved)



- 11/10 AC- Reach out to PSU Homelessness Research & Action Center for possible speakers to speak with the committee on workplace safety issues as it relates to homelessness on campus
- 11/10 EH- Safety in Motion for office workers training or resources
 - TBA
- 11/10 JR- IMT meeting update for Inclement Weather
- 11/10 EH- Coordinate workplace safety inspection with members
 - compiled a current list of people interested in participating. There will be an impact notice about dates and times that inspection will take place sent out

Rounds / New Safety Concerns

(Reported by, description of safety concern, description of committee recommendations, whether follow up is required as an action item)

- SKe- feedback CPSO on timely warning, language update vague and to be readdressed
- PB- Gate UCB for entrance after 8 and before 6pm will prevent access on stairwells
- JF- NASCC
 - Safety Concerns are transient population using overpass- jump fences, break in, plug in to HVAC system, fighting, sharps
 - JR- Sharps Containers- Who is responsible for providing containers and collecting them
 - LG- Permanent containers?
 - JR- 500 found on campus beautification
 - LW- crew find a lot on sharps on campus every day

New Actions Items and Safety Concerns

(Date reported, description of action item/safety concern, whom it was assigned to)

- JR- Follow up on KMC building; Different items found blocking the fire curtains (4th & 5th floor)

Meeting Adjourned

Time: 2:25 pm

Next Meeting

Date: January , 2022

Location: Zoom