Green Campus Committee Meeting

May 11, 2010

Present: Alice Benzecry, Mary Morhineway, Cynthia Radnitz, Ed Lynch, Allen McDaniel, Bethany Reid.

Alice is getting phone calls from staff/faculty who want to come to the Greenhouse to visit and buy plants. We are considering having “office hours” for the greenhouse. We will send an email suggesting we want to have an “office hour” once per week.

Alice is considering hiring a student to water plants and keep the greenhouse in order. We can probably get about 10 hours for her.

The accounts are in the process of being opened. We have made about $340.

Ed suggested having a Recycling Center with bins. For batteries, ink cartridges. Ed suggested 10 Woodridge. You should be able to drive your car up to it. We could also have it possibly in the dorms. Ed is willing to coordinate with Dick Frick about this.

Maybe a student group could “recycle” stuff from when students move out in May. We could call the Veterans or Lupus foundation to come pick it up. There’s also a lot left in the dorms after the students leave. We may be able to get a cleaning crew to separate the garbage. Ed will speak directly to Diego. Alice thinks we should do this next year.

We could put a bookshelf in the commuter lounge where people could leave books/take books. Craig is responsible for the commuter lounge, Jeepers. We could speak to someone in the library about it. Allen will look into whether there is a bookshelf.

We need to create a calendar for walks/cleanups. We have chosen the following dates: Sept. 15, Oct. 14, Nov. 15. 2 pm. Meet at the footbridge. Cynthia will call Jessica Harris about this. We are considering calling them “green walks.”

Our next meeting will be Wednesday, August 25 at 11:30 am