



Student Sustainability Committee
Voting Meeting #1 Agenda

Meeting 3-24-24 | 12:00pm-3:00pm

Posted: 3-23-24

This meeting is being facilitated through Teams and the Campus Instructional Facility Room (2039)

Claire Keating
Chair

Liz Witek
Vice Chair Internal

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Vice Chair External

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Reed Thibaudeau
Internal Intern

Mia Seaton
Outreach Support Intern

Sheri Glowinski
SSC Associate Director

Codie Sterner
SSC Advisor

ITEM	SUBJECT	PRESENTER
01 Action	Call to Order 12:05pm-	Claire Keating <i>Chair</i>
02 Action	Roll Call 12:05pm-12:10pm	Reed Thibaudeau <i>Internal Intern</i>
03 Action	Approval of Minutes from Last Meeting* 12:10pm-	Claire Keating <i>Chair</i>
04 Information	SSC Executive Updates 12:10-	Claire Keating <i>Chair</i>
05 Information	SSC Working Group Updates	Liz Witek <i>Vice Chair Internal</i>
06 Information	SSC Social Initiatives Updates	Lily Perez <i>Vice Chair External</i>
07 Information	SSC Communications Updates -12:30pm	Tori Lawlor <i>Vice Chair</i> <i>Communication</i>
08 Action Step 1	<u>Wymer Hall</u> \$150,000 12:30pm-12:40pm	Claire Keating <i>Chair</i> <i>Working Group</i> <i>Energy</i>
09 Action Step 1	<u>Shipping Containers for Bike Storage</u> \$85,000 12:40pm-12:50pm	Claire Keating <i>Chair</i> <i>Working Group</i> <i>Transportation</i>
10 Action Step 1	<u>UIUC Digital Campus</u> \$14,860 12:50pm-1:00pm	Claire Keating <i>Chair</i> <i>Working Group</i> <i>Transportation</i>
11 Action Step 1	<u>Krannert Center Light Replacement</u> \$181,030 1:00pm-1:10pm	Claire Keating <i>Chair</i> <i>Working Group</i> <i>Energy</i>
12 Action Step 1	<u>Campus Lumber Project</u> \$84,581 1:10pm-1:20pm	Claire Keating <i>Chair</i> <i>Working Group</i> <i>Land, Water, Air</i>
13 Action Step 1	<u>Green Research Program</u> \$67,002 1:20pm-1:30pm	Claire Keating <i>Chair</i> <i>Working Group</i> <i>Education and Justice</i>
14 Action Step 1	<u>UIUC Plastics Recycling Station</u> \$48,961 1:30pm-1:40pm	Claire Keating <i>Chair</i> <i>Working Group</i>



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		Food and Waste
15 Action Step 1	Intersectional EJ Summit \$31,430 1:40pm-1:50pm	Claire Keating <i>Chair</i> <i>Working Group</i> Education and Justice
16 Action Step 1	Digital Fashion Design \$43,300 1:50pm-2:00pm	Claire Keating <i>Chair</i> <i>Working Group</i> Education and Justice
17 Action Step 1	Hydration Stations \$130,350 2:00pm-2:10pm	Claire Keating <i>Chair</i> <i>Working Group</i> Food and Waste
18 Action Step 1	Illini Solar Decathlon \$150,000 2:10pm-2:20pm	Claire Keating <i>Chair</i> <i>Working Group</i> Transportation
19 Action	Adjournment	Claire Keating <i>Chair</i>

*Minutes will be made public via Reed Thibaudeau

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SSC Board Meeting

The Student Sustainability Committee is a group of undergraduate and graduate students dedicated to building a more sustainable Illinois campus, with the partnership of a team of staff and faculty members. SSC allocates funds annually toward the development and seed-funding of projects that have an environmental impact on the university community.

- I. Meeting Called to Order on: 3/24/24
- II. Meeting Called to Order at: 12:33pm
- III. Purpose of Meeting: Step 1 Voting Meeting
- IV. Attendance
 - a. Present: Claire, Liz, Lily, Tori, Charles, Mayank, Ellen, Annika, Aman, Karina, Natalie, Tessa, David, Charleston, Teague, Whitney, Alyssa, Mia, Reed, Andrew, Kara, Daphne, Eric, Miriam
 - b. Absent: Linc, Jessica, Kevin, Esther, Lisa, Morgan
- V. Agenda Items
 - a. Minutes from 3-20-24 approved
 - b. Vice Chair Treasurer discussion
 - i. Motion to approve
 1. Seconded
 2. Yea: 16
 3. Nay: 0
 4. Abstain: 0
 5. APPROVED
- VI. Action Items
 - a. Project: Wymer Hall (Energy)
 - i. Would fund Wymer Hall's geothermal energy, providing heating and cooling for the building
 - ii. Motion to approve

1. Seconded
2. Yea: 16
3. Nay: 0
4. Abs: 0

5. APPROVED

b. Project: Shipping Containers for Bike Storage (Transportation & Infrastructure)

- i. Would fund the purchase of 6 to 7 shipping containers to store 400 - 450 bicycles at a time. These storage units will be used to store abandoned bikes and provide bicycle storage (during summer/winter breaks as well as the school year) for students.
- ii. Motion to approve, require itemized budget & mandate attendance at working group meeting before Step 2 deadline

1. Seconded
2. Yea: 16
3. Nay: 0
4. Abstain: 0

5. APPROVED WITH ABOVE CONTINGENCIES

c. Project: Interactive UIUC Campus Digital Twin in Minecraft (Transportation & Infrastructure)

- i. Would create a to-scale, digital twin of the UIUC campus using Minecraft for use by students, prospective students, staff, and faculty. This world will be hosted online and will provide digital infrastructure for a virtual campus gathering space.
- ii. Motion to deny

1. Seconded
2. Yea: 16
3. Nay: 0
4. Abstain: 0

5. DENIED

d. Project: Krannert Center for The Performing Arts Cyc Light Replacement (Energy)

- i. Would cyclically update incandescent lights at Krannert Center for the Performing Arts to energy efficient, LED lights.
- ii. Motion to approve require to attend a working group meeting

1. Seconded
2. Yea: 16
3. Nay: 0
4. Abstain: 0

5. APPROVED WITH ABOVE CONTINGENCIES

- e. Project: Campus Lumber Project (Land, Air, & Water)
 - i. Would fund the equipment, materials, and student wages to operate a sawmill for the purpose of milling trees that are taken down on campus into useable lumber for campus student groups, workshops, and the F&S Mill shop.
 - ii. Motion to approve and require attendance at a working group meeting
 - 1. Seconded
 - 2. Yea: 14
 - 3. Nay: 0
 - 4. Abstain: 2
 - 5. APPROVED WITH ABOVE CONTINGENCIES
- f. Project: Green Research Program (Education & Justice)
 - i. Would fund student salaries and task materials to hire student interns to work and operate under the Green Research Coordinator role.
 - ii. Motion to approve, require attendance at working group
 - 1. Seconded
 - 2. Yea: 8
 - 3. Nay: 6
 - 4. Abstain: 2
 - 5. APPROVED WITH ABOVE CONTINGENCIES
- g. Project: UIUC Plastics Recycling Station (Food & Waste)
 - i. Would create a plastics recycling hub at Siebel Center for Design (SCD) that focuses on collecting and recycling plastic waste from laser cut acrylics and 3D printing filament.
 - ii. Motion to approve, require attendance at working group meeting
 - 1. Seconded
 - 2. Yea: 16
 - 3. Nay: 0
 - 4. Abstain: 0
 - 5. APPROVED WITH ABOVE CONTINGENCIES
- h. Project: Intersectional Environmental Justice Summit (Education & Justice)
 - i. The Women's Resources Center in partnership with the eight other cultural and resource centers seeks to host an Intersectional Environmental Justice Week (or two!) dedicated to bridging the topics of environmental justice, identity, feminism, social justice, and indigenous knowledge in the conversation of environmentalism.
 - ii. Motion to approve, ask team about sticker details
 - 1. Seconded
 - 2. Yea: 16

3. Nay: 0
4. Abstain: 0

5. APPROVED WITH ABOVE CONTINGENCIES

- i. Project: Digital Fashion Design: Teaching and Learning for a Sustainable Future (Education & Justice)
 - i. Would fund digital fashion design classes and workshops open to students all over the campus using specialized 3D garment modeling software CLO3D within the School of Art and Design, CITL (Center for Innovation in Teaching & Learning) and the Siebel Center for Design.
 - ii. Motion to approve
 1. Seconded
 2. Yea: 16
 3. Nay: 0
 4. Abstain: 0

5. APPROVED
- j. Project: Installation of Enhanced Hydration Stations in University Residence Halls (Food & Waste)
 - i. Would fund an increase the number of enhanced hydration stations with bottle fillers in university residence halls. Increasing access to the enhanced stations will encourage students to use reusable bottles and reduce plastic waste created by disposable bottles.
 - ii. Motion to approve
 1. Seconded
 2. Yea: 16
 3. Nay: 0
 4. Abstain: 0

5. APPROVED
- k. Project: Illinois Solar Decathlon Build Project (Transportation & Infrastructure)
 - i. The Illinois Solar Decathlon Build Team is building and designing a home for a low-income family chosen by Habitat for Humanity. Their project purpose is not only to build an environmentally resilient home, but also to educate students on the green technologies that can be applied in the modern-day construction industry.
 - ii. Motion to approve, ask for refined budget
 1. Seconded
 2. Yea: 15
 3. Nay: 0
 4. Abstain: 1
 5. **APPROVED WITH ABOVE CONTINGENCIES**

VII. Items to be Discussed at Forthcoming Meeting

VIII. Date of Forthcoming Voting Meeting: May 5th, 2024 (Step 2)

Good of the Order

IX. Meeting Adjourned at: 2:56pm