Minutes

Meeting of the Health, Safety and Environment Committee (HSEC)
Monday, August 27, 2012
University Center (UC), Room 251
3:30 p.m.

Members Present: Michael Alewine, Robert Arndt, Travis Bryant, Chris Locklear, Ottis Murray, Larry Freeman, Mordechai Inbari, Arthur Herns, and Elizabeth White

Guest(s) Present: McDuffie Cummings

The meeting was called to order at 3:36 p.m. by Michael Alewine. The agenda was approved, as were the minutes from the previous meeting.

The first order of business was the election of a chair for the upcoming year. Ottis Murray was elected as chair. Robert Arndt will serve as secretary.

There were no reports from administrators as this was an organizational meeting.

Old Business:

a. SGA Bill 04 (see attached document) Enforcement of Campus Smoking Ban—Travis Bryant
   This item was discussed with no action taken. Arthur Herns will speak to Steve Martin about getting the link to smoking areas working. Discussion about how to enforce and track the smoking distance from buildings to see where legal smoking zones can be located. Discussed making campus aware of smoking cessation programs and to alert students of smoking zones, and smoke out days.

New Business:

a. Chris Locklear reported his concern about students crossing Prospect Road. Chief Cummings reported that the Campus Police and Public Safety had tried to get a grant to fund radar equipment and officer to patrol that location, but the grant did not get approved. Travis Bryant and Chief Cummings will approach the Chancellor about possible funding for the equipment and an officer. Chief Cumming is going to contact Chuck Miller with DOT about appearing at the October meeting to see what steps need to be made to perhaps get a light and crosswalk on Prospect Road.
   b. Arthur Herns and Travis Bryant reported the AEDs have been distributed and encouraged areas and departments to participate in training.
   c. Travis Bryant and Chief Cummings encouraged every to view the active shooter video located on the Campus Police and Public Safety website or Active Shooter training course on the FEMA website.

Adjourned: 4:30 p.m.

Next meeting will be October 1, 2012 in UC 251.

Submitted by Robert Arndt