

## University Facility Fee Advisory Board

Minutes

Thursday, March 7, 2019

5:00-6:00 pm

303 GSB

### Members Present

Nick Bohn	Chair
Dillon Donaghy	Secretary
Natalie Miller	CVMBS
Arnold Paecklar	Graduate School
Madi Sanchez	Health and Human Science
Quin Kuechenmeister	Business
Kevin Clausen	Agricultural Sciences
Rowan Hilend	Natural Sciences
Marie Cusik	Liberal Arts
Logan Johnson	Natural Resources
Mauri Richards	Engineering

### Associate Members

Cassie Gardner	Liberal Arts
Allison Kuderka	Agricultural Sciences

### Members at Large

Andrea Fairfield	ASCSU
Kanayo Okolo	ASCSU
Tristan Syron	ASCSU

### Other Members

Becca Mueller	Program Manager
Tom Satterly	Advisor

#### 1. Renovation of SOCR Graduate Student Office – Courtland Kelly

- a. Remodel of office space in Soil and Crop Sciences department
  - i. Offices are for graduate students
- b. Current space has not been remodeled for at least 20 years
  - i. Carpet is very stained and difficult to clean
  - ii. Very few power sources and old desks make it difficult to work
- c. Benefit to students
  - i. Space is 100% student used, largely for graduate students
  - ii. Would provide a space for better mentoring and teaching
- d. Proposed upgrade to office
  - i. Increase space and desks in the office
  - ii. Create a cleaner and more organized space

- iii. Transition to laminate from carpet for easier cleaning
    - iv. Some desks will be able to transition between sitting and standing
  - e. Alignment with bylaws
    - i. Exclusively a student-used space
    - ii. Enhance productivity within this space by making it a nicer place to work
    - iii. Design will look more aesthetically appealing than the current space
    - iv. Design allows for more sustainable upkeep and long-lasting benefits
  - f. Partial funding options
    - i. Go without paint job and purchase lower tier furniture
    - ii. Prioritize replacement of furniture
  - g. Vote of Legitimacy – in favor-12, opposed-0 Project is legitimized
- 2. Early Childhood Center (ECC) Exploratory Gardens and Mini Oval – Lise Youngblade and Karen Rattenborg**
  - a. UFFAB funded renovation of Washington School (built in 1919) for use by the ECC in 2013
  - b. ECC is devoted to training students to teach children
  - c. ECC has received donor help for the development of the outside of the ECC
  - d. Use a teaching philosophy that highlights the environment, along with parents and teachers, as one of the main parts of a child’s early education
    - i. Need to bring the environment up to par in order to best educate children
  - e. Benefits to CSU students
    - i. Primary goal of ECC is to train students to become better teachers
    - ii. High demand for observation opportunities
    - iii. 132 CSU students at ECC in 2018
    - iv. Trains students for careers working with children in both education and occupational/music therapy
    - v. Hope to train students in using this teaching model that has an emphasis on the environment in the learning process
  - f. Need for the project
    - i. Need to develop exterior spaces to enhance childhood education and CSU student learning
    - ii. Will also allow for better representation of the University by making this part of campus look better
  - g. Project funding
    - i. Total goal of project is to raise \$190,000
    - ii. Requesting \$100,000 from UFFAB and will raise the remaining \$90,000
  - h. Project design
    - i. Want to emulate the Oval at the ECC to make a good place for children to be a part of CSU traditions like Cans Around the Oval and Homecoming
    - ii. Inclusion of pollinator garden and picnic areas
  - i. Vote of Legitimacy – in favor-8, opposed-4 Project is legitimized