Sustainability Charter Committee

Thursday, April 20, 2017

8:30 AM – 10:00 AM

**Suite 1650, University Capitol Centre**

(Office of Sustainability)

AGENDA

1. Call to order –Dawn Kluber and Ty Priest, Co-chairs
2. Discussion with UISG student representatives on Priority Action Plan and Letter to President Harreld
3. Discussion on state budget cuts to environmental centers
4. Next meeting and adjournment

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Meeting Minutes

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MEMBERS/LIAISONS PRESENT: Amanda Bittorf, Barbara Eckstein, Sarah Gardner, Rich Hichwa, Dawn Kluber, Ty Priest, Heather Sander, Antonio Senio, Brian Thompson, Jennifer Thompson

OTHERS PRESENT: Shawn Albaugh Kleppe, Shelby Cain, Sara Maples

UISG Student Representative on Priority Action Plan and Letter to President Harreld

Shelby Cain, representing the University of Iowa Student Government reported on priorities of UISG regarding sustainability and current initiatives.

The Priority Action Plan will be shared with the members of the UISG asking for their support.

The letter to President Harreld….. and he will be invited to attend an upcoming meeting to discuss the ………

State Budget Cuts to Environmental Centers

Members discussed the recent state budget cuts involving environmental centers and brainstormed on ideas and opportunities to keep these initiatives at the forefront.

An invitation will be extended to Jeneane Beck to speak to committee members about using IPR as a vehicle to help communicate and engage the local media on the importance of sustainable.

Other potential guests could include Theresa Magnum who represents the UI Speakers Series, Emily Heaten from ISU, and Erin Hazen from our biomass program.

NEXT MEETING: May 16, 2017

9:00 - 10:30 AM

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