

March 15, 2021, Sustainability Committee Meeting Minutes

Attendance:

Nanna Meyer, Marcus Ornelas II, Suzanne Cook, Jeff Spicher, Dylan Harris, David Havlick, Maggie Gaddis, Nancy Moore, Marie Hoerner, Sudhanshu Semwal, Elissa Stobaugh, Jayme Collins, Christine Biermann, Emily Shelton, Joel Tonyan, Cynthia Norton, Farida Khan, Kimberly Reeves, Kent Marsh, Jamie Dunston, Natalie Rodriguez

- **Announcements (20 minutes)**
 - Introduce Kent Marsh and Jamie Dunston
 - *Green Action Fund Project Coordinator Natalie Rodriguez (10 minutes)*
 - Natalie's Contact Info for Questions: st-sus01@uccs.edu
 - Green Action Fund Spring 2021 Application Deadlines
 - Notification of Intent to Apply for Funding: Friday, March 26, 2021
 - Large Grant Application: Friday, April 2, 2021
 - Small Grant Application: Friday, April 9, 2021
 - Research Seed Grant: Friday, April 9, 2021
 - Sustainable Conference Grant: Rolling
 - Application to Become a Committee Member: Rolling
 - *Other Announcements?*
 - Office of sustainability, Awarded funding for 150 trees to plant on campus in celebration of 150th anniversary of Colorado Springs
 - Opportunities to volunteer for tree planting
- **Sustainability Strategic Planning (70 minutes)**
 - Refresher Presentation about Strategic Plan from Kimberly Reeves
 - *Breakout Rooms (40 minutes)*
 - Break into four groups, one for each core strategy of the plan
 - People will be assigned to their respective group if they're a member; others will be assigned during the meeting based on interest.
 - **Task:**
 - Identify two goals your subcommittee within your respective area that you as a group would like to see become part of the plan.
 - *What is the action/goal?*
 - *What are ways we could achieve this action/goal?*
 - *Who would it need to involve on campus? (specific departments/people)*
 - *How could the success of this action/goal be measured?*
 - Operations Breakout Room
 - Education and Research Breakout Room
 - Engagement Breakout Room
 - Leadership Breakout Room