

Senate Sustainability Committee

Committee Meeting Minutes: January 10th, 2013

Anthropology Conference Room, Sparks Hall

Attending: David Caudill, Dabney Dixon, Crawford Elliott, Jeffrey Glover, Brenna Helmstutler, Jerry Rackcliffe, Vincent Rehder, Stephen Rosner, Allen Wilbanks

Visiting: Michael Black, Keith Campbell, Scot Matusz

Business:

1. Guests Keith Campbell and Scot Matusz talked about options for reducing energy use in conjunction with information technology. Virtual servers and possibilities for turning off computers not in use were discussed. They will return in March for further discussions.
2. Brenna Helmstutler will investigate reducing computer electricity use in the library.
3. The College of Education and the Student Center are having a recycling competition.
4. New LEDs in the parking garages are expected to save \$9800/year.
5. Michael Black led a discussion on GSU's text for a brochure that the City of Atlanta's Office of Sustainability is writing.
6. The Student Activities Fee Council (SAFC) has approved a \$10,000 allocation for a green/sustainability fee council that will distribute the \$10,000 allocation to registered green/sustainability groups on campus.