

Faculty Senate Parking, Transportation and Safety Committee

Monday, October 1, 2018

MH 395E

11:30 – 12:30 pm

Meeting Minutes

Meeting Attendees:

Nicole Damico
Paul Goldwater
Xin He
Natasha Jones
Heath Martin
Kristine Shrauger
Daniel Topping
Sai Deng
Ahmad Elshennawy
Min Tong
Michael Valenti

Guests:

Carl Metzger
Misty Shepherd
Kris Singh

1. Meeting called to order at 11:35 AM

Vote on approval of minutes from 01/2018 Meeting

- Minutes approved

2. No old business
3. New business - Agenda Items:

- 1. Golf Carts**

- a. Discussion began speed limit of 15 mph being too high for sidewalks. Since EHS is rolling out a new policy covering golf carts and other low speed vehicles, it was recommended that EHS attend the next meeting to present the new policy to committee members.
- b. Committee Chair Martin will be scheduling with EHS to make the presentation.

- 2. Active Shooter/Threat Concerns**

- a. Faculty expressed concerns about the ability to lock down classrooms during an active threat incident.
- b. Metzger discussed low cost, low tech immediate solution that was disapproved by the State Fire Marshal.
- c. Metzger also discussed exceptional budget approval of \$2 million for security upgrades, including the classroom lockdown option approved by the fire marshal, the throw bolt.
- d. It was recommended that Assistant Director of Security, Joe Souza, be invited to the next meeting to present an update. Metzger will coordinate with Chair to schedule Souza.

- 3. Lime Bikes**

- a. Concerns were expressed about the new Lime Bikes being parked in inappropriate areas, often blocking sidewalks and building entrances.

- b. Additional training for Lime Bike users has been utilized to educate users on appropriate parking locations, and there was general agreement that the situation has improved recently.
- c. Chair will schedule Dave Norville and/or Yara Colon to attend the next meeting with an update.

4. Loss of Faculty Parking Spaces

- a. Kris Singh, Director of Parking Services, provided an update on the additions and subtractions of parking spaces on campus. Following a detailed accounting of the recent changes, it was determined that the net gain was approx. 50 spaces.

40 Faculty/ staff spaces gained in lot C1 by the new research 1 building, however 16 removed from garage
 Garage C has approximately 70 staff/ faculty spots facing the research 1 building
 36 new faculty/staff spaces realized by Coburn Hall
 12 new faculty spots added by Duke Energy Welcome center
 No changes to the faculty lot, D1

- b. It was noted that residential students were moved from B Garage to Libra Garage, freeing up 760 spaces for other students, faculty and staff.
- c. See attached update from Parking Services for more specific information.
- d. The annual parking inventory started on October 1st, and Kris Singh will present updated information when it becomes available.

It was requested that committee members send Chair future agenda items.

Next meeting date/time/location October 22, 11:30-12:30, MH 395E.

Meeting adjourned at 12:01PM