CU Going Green Committee
Nov 6, 2008

Call to Order: 4:00pm by Faculty Senate Chair Mary Penick

Members Present: Dennis Frisby, John Hodgson, Frankie White, Mike Estep

Minutes: None for approval (first meeting)

Old Business: None

New Business:

Faculty Senate Chair Mary Penick arranged the first meeting of the CU Going Green Committee in order to help initiate committee meetings and business. Frankie White was elected Chair (motion to nominate by John Hodgson, motion to second by Dennis Frisby). Mike Estep was elected Secretary (motion to nominate by Dennis Frisby, motion to second by Frankie White).

The initial meeting consisted of a brainstorming session over various ideas for realistic short and long term campus sustainability. These ideas included: Grant and foundation funding, solar water heating, turning off lights, automated turning off of computers, recycling bins, student involvement in recycling and drives, composting, use of native plants/trees on campus, community garden (organic), faculty and student sustainability education/training, and a true 4-day work week (with electricity off for 3 days).

Next Meeting: Not established.

Adjourned: 5:00pm motion to adjourn by John Hodgson, motion to second by Dennis Frisby.

Respectfully submitted,
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