

MINUTES
ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE
11.12.07 MEETING
3:30 PM IN GATHERING ROOM

Members Present: Crystal Osman, Edward Ehlert, Tania Galligan, Tim Kroll, Steven Schultz, Nick Vlies, Sara Duginske, Nick Cibula, Dean Rodeheaver

Resource Liaison: Dean Rodeheaver, Professor of Human Development

- I. **Sustainability Committee Report** – Goals of the Sustainability Committee are in the Chancellors hands right now and will be discussed at some point in the near future. The student’s priorities were well received, so the Environmental Affairs Committee can move forward on their goals in respect to the goals of the Sustainability Committee. Also, Dean informed everyone of the Eco-Summit, December 5th at St. Norbert College. The Chancellor will be subsidizing the \$45 cost of the summit and students are encouraged to sign up to go. A group of students, staff and faculty will be getting together to go.
- II. **America Recycles Day, Thursday Nov. 12th – can we do anything?** Yes! We will be making posters and putting up a few flyers about recycling around campus and hopefully within the dorms. The Committee will be meeting to make posters in the Banner Room at 5 pm on Tuesday, Nov. 13. Crystal will talk to Ellen in RHAA to see what we steps need to be taken in order to get info up in the res. Halls. Also, the committee is thinking about working with Glen Grey on more recycling bins within the dorm rooms.
- III. **Finalize and vote on goals –**
 - 1) **Focus the Nation**
 - 2) **Energy Proposal**
 - 3) **Transportation Proposal**
 - 4) **Educational Campaigns**
- IV. **Next steps for Step It Up event**
 1. **Discuss support for Wisconsin Safe Climate Act via resolution** – Resolution UWGB11122007-2 passed the committee 5-0!
 2. **Visit Senator Hansen** – Will take the resolution, along with postcards etc to Senator Hansen either November 26th or December 3rd. Anyone that would like to go along, let Crystal know.
 3. **Postcards**
- V. **Eco-Tips** – Quick discussion on what will be happening, waiting for Kristen to get back to Crystal about them.
- VI. **Conservation Lobby Day – WLCV** – We are still going! We will be working with the University Governance Committee for the arrangements.
- VII. **Announcements** - None