University Environment Committee Meeting of 8/18/2021 Virtual on Zoom

Attending: Gary Kaczmarczyk, Cliff Knee, Michelino Puopolo, Mona Ramonetti, Fred Walter, Tom Wilson

Called to order by Chair Tom Wilson at 1:10pm.

Due to low attendance, consideration of minutes from May 12, 2021 were deferred and the agenda was abbreviated.

Wilson gave a Chair report:

- Perhaps our remote work survey may have given some assistance to the pilot SUNY Telecommuting policy.
- There has been no meetings of the parking committee advisory board and Administration lead Neil Werner has left the University. No others in attendance have heard anything about the board, Wilson has inquired about the status and will report back to the committee.
- As per Senate rules, the Chair of standing committees is elected at the first meeting of each academic year. This election will be at the next committee meeting. Wilson is willing to continue serving but others are invited to stand for the position if they wish.
- The date and time of monthly meetings will also be discussed.

Wilson asked if anyone else had anything to bring up:

- Fred Walter is happy to see the field hospitals are coming down.
- Gary Kaczmarczyk asked for an update on the level instrument in the East REcharge Basin / Lake Brianna. Wilson replied that he thinks it is functioning and should be able to check on it soon. A lot of data has been collected and Wilson hopes to find a student to manage and analyse the data soon. The survey level GPS is now available that can provide centimeter level standard for the level measurements and basin geometry and capacity. Kaczmarczyk said the safety plan should be looked at,, Wilson said it can be updated as needed, any new students that work on site will be added, and the results filed with EHS.

Wednesday Sept 8th at 1pm next meeting.

The meeting was adjourned by mutual consensus at 1:20pm.

Notes by Cliff Knee, edited by Tom Wilson.