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To:

Cal Poly Academic Senate

From:

Neal MacDougall

Chair, Academic Senate Sustainability Committee

Re:

Winter Quarter 2014 Progress Report

Date:

April 7, 2014

The Committee met twice during Winter quarter. Because of the lack of a chair of the committee (which is now occupied by the previous chair), the committee is continuing to focus its winter quarter activities on producing a resolution on sustainability and GE. This was recommended by Steve Rein, the chair of the Academic Senate.

ASSC Committee Charge for 2013-14:1

- 1. Continue assessing SLOs. Summer 2014.
- 2. Work with GEGB on incorporating sustainability into GE.
- 3. Develop resolution on CP Sustainability catalog tag GE courses or SUSCAT courses as a sustainability requirement ~2015-17. **Spring 2014. Must have suggestions on what to incorporate by Winter 2014.**
- 4. Work with students to better integrate approaches to sustainability inside and outside the classroom/curriculum. **Low priority.**
- 5. Promote/extend the Green Campus/Star Certification. Low priority.
- 6. Determine the role of sustainability in the University's strategic plan/action plan. **Low priority. Summer 2013.**
- 7. Develop procedures and guidelines needs more clear/explicit charge. **Low priority.**

Progress on Committee Charges During Winter Quarter 2014

- 1. Continue assessing SLOs. **Due winter 2013.**
 - No work done due to committee not meeting.
- 2. Work with GEGB on incorporating sustainability into GE.
 - Developed a resolution on sustainability and GE
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¹ www.academicsenate.calpoly.edu/content/acadsen_comm/sustainability

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- 6. Determine the role of sustainability in the University's strategic plan/action plan. **Low priority. Summer 2013.**
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Note: Other issues were addressed in meetings but were not developed to any particular degree. They can be found by reading the minutes.