Minutes from the PPPC meeting on Monday, April 29th – Mohican Room, Davies Center

Committee members present: Jason Mathwig, Sean Hartnett, Susan O’Brien, John Pollitz

Guests: Mike Rindo, Terry Classen

1. Meeting commenced at 2:10pm
2. Minutes from April 15th meeting were approved
3. Terry Classen gave an update on the HFA air quality issue
   a. Building has had problems with humidity and chemicals from art department in past
   b. Recently checked air temp & air quality and are ok
   c. John Baltes on campus works with health related issues in buildings
   d. Susan O’Brien says that there issues of layers of black dust coming out of the ventilation
   e. O’Brien said that some people have been having respiratory issues
   f. There seems to be 2 main issues:
      i. Air quality
      ii. Taking a look at dust coming out of vents
   g. Classen said it seems more or less that the vents just need to be cleaned and shellacked on the inside with fiberglass insulation deteriorating
   h. Facilities will look into the issue further with the help of Baltes and an indoor environmental testing company
   i. Will develop a plan after testing
   j. Sean Hartnett raised a question of, “do we want to create a procedure sheet/manual for these types of environmental health issues in the future for any buildings?”
4. Committee reviewed design plans for the old and new campus mall areas
   a. Only concern was how will the campus mall be affected by any future campus bicycle policy/plans
5. Reviewed campus bicycle policy proposal
   a. No real concerns or ideas were presented at this time as it is very early in the process
   b. Only concern is will student be ok with limited or no biking on campus?
   c. Definitely wants to make sure that the PPPC is in on the help of the design as there has been history of this committee working with a bicycle plan in past
6. Rindo gave brief update on Confluence Project
   a. No new updates or changes have happened lately as it is still in very early stages
   b. Still working on funding and approvals from various constituents
7. Discussed potentially having one more meeting this spring semester
8. Meeting was adjourned at 3:10pm