

Climate Commitment Implementation Committee Update
January 30, 2018 Meeting Notes & CCIC Faculty Proposal for Completion of CAP
Chisa Uyeki and Chris Briggs

Dear President Scroggins,

Thank you for taking the time to meet with us today. Below please find a summary of what we discussed and our proposal for the completion of the CAP.

30 January 2018 meeting with President Scroggins, Chisa Uyeki, and Chris Briggs

- Shared updates on Climate Action Plan (CAP) work and timelines.
- President Scroggins supported the following proposal for completion of the CAP:
 - **Extending the scope of work** included in the **HMC contract** to cover the work necessary to complete the CAP. This extension may include working with CCIC members on feasibility assessment of CAP recommendations made by subcontractors. This will require gathering input from key campus areas. (There may other additional activities included in their scope of work- we will work to clearly articulate the division of tasks between CCIC faculty and HMC.)
 - **Allocating 9 LHE of release time** for the Spring 2018 semester, to be divided as appropriate among faculty for further work on completing the CAP. (It is likely that this will be divided among Chisa, Chris & James- pending division approval- details to follow.)
- President Scroggins suggested working references to the CAP into the Education & Facilities Master Plan so that sustainability developments included in the EFMP are guided by targets set in the CAP as this will help with planning beyond the current bond and this edition of the EFMP. For example, "campus fleet will be converted to electric vehicles, as guided by CAP," and, an analysis of the impact of the new transit center on campus will include how well it is contributing directly to CAP goals.
- President Scroggins expressed interest in the CAP being an addendum to the EFMP, however it is not feasible for the CAP to be completed to meet the deadline for the EFMP.
- President Scroggins supported our recommendation to **end Mt. SAC's contract with Xiomara Chavez**.
- President Scroggins reminded us that the campus may still be under obligations to Energize Colleges, for future parts of their program.

Additionally, we feel it is important to bring up that staffing for campus sustainability planning and implementation continues to be a challenge. The development of the CAP and the challenges working with Energize Colleges are demonstrative of this issue. The implementation of the CAP and fulfilling commitments such as deliverables with Energize Colleges require dedicated human resources. CCIC faculty strongly recommend moving forward with the hiring of a Sustainability Director and allocation of reassigned time for a faculty Sustainability Coordinator.

Thanks for reading, and we'll be in touch!
Chisa and Chris