

 **CONTRA COSTA COLLEGE**
Sustainability Committee
Meeting Minutes

Date: March 7th, 2024 (every 1st Thursday of the Month) **Time:** 8:00 am – 9:00 am

Location: SAB-211

ZOOM: <https://4cd.zoom.us/j/82283789852>

Meeting ID: 822 8378 9852 **Passcode:** 090919

Voting Members

Chairperson: Robert Bagany (Acting Chair)

Managers: William Tandongfor, Tracy Marcial, Beth Goering

Faculty: Nader Sharkes, Joy Eichnerlynch, Michelle Naido, Vanna Gonzales, Dionne Perez, Bansal Gurtej, Natasha Lockett

Classified: Taliha Pasaoglu, Tadaletch (Tady) Yoseph, Jose Carlos Martin, Courtney Carson

Students: 2 vacant

Non-Voting Members

Managers:

Present:

Zoom: Robert Bagany, Maya Jenkins, Tracy Marcial, Katherine Chen, Natasha Lockett, Alejandra (Alexa) Simen

Called to order at 8:03am

| Item | Outcome/Decisions | Action Items |
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| I. Call to Order | | N/A |

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| II. Welcome and Introductions | | N/A |
| III. Action Items - None | | N/A |
| IV. Announcements | Arbor Day Celebration – 4/26/2024 @12 p.m. Earth Day Celebration – 4/22/2024 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. Bike to School Day – 05/16/2024 at 7 a.m. | |
| V. ASU Sustainability Committee – Alejandra Simen (10 Minutes) | <p>Overview of Earth week events at the end of April –</p> <p>Proposed that the campus extend Earth Day to Earth Week. The goal is to celebrate to continue to raise awareness of the environment in our community and to inspire and spread activism on campus, also increase partnership with CCC’s Sustainability Committee.</p> <p>Projects:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Green Thread Exchange, which is a clothing drive and swap. - Campus clean up. - Gogrim (grow pink pots and seed bombs) | Informational/Discussion |
| VI. Discussion Items | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Sustainability projects in the Culinary Dept. – Chef Nader B. District Sustainability Goals – Tracy Marcial <p>Announced next district wide sustainability meeting on 4/13, from 12pm -1pm.</p> <p>Working on the district wide sustainability report. That will be presented to the governing board in May.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> C. Compost and Recycling collection on campus – Jose Martin | Informational/Discussion |

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| | <p>D. Electric car charging station update Robert Bagany had no update(s).</p> <p>E. Recycling updates in the City/County/District - Regan Chung was former contact, now works at Republic recycle. Will contact him to see if he can still attend meetings.</p> <p>F. Two ongoing sustainability challenges with prizes for residents of Contra Costa County:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sustainable Movement Challenge <p>The Cleaner Contra Costa Challenge, which is called “The Walk in Lunch”. It's happening Sunday, March 10th in Lafayette from 10:30am To 12:45pm.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Winter Walk Challenge (ends on March 18th) <p>G. Zero Waste Analysis walk-throughs have been ongoing - conducted by intern, Juan Velazquez.</p> <p>H. Update on Knox Center recent sustainability meeting - No update(s).</p> | |
| <p>VII. Adjournment - 8:59 a.m.</p> | <p>Next meeting is Thursday, April 4, 2024 at 8:00 am.</p> | <p>Meeting adjourned</p> |