

University of Central Arkansas
RESPONSIBLE UCA COMMITTEE
(Cost Containment)

MINUTES
May 12, 2014

Meeting was called to order at 1:36 PM in Wingo Hall 210, by TJ Johnston, Chair.

Attendees Present:

TJ Johnston, Chair
Bunny Adcock, Board Member/Community Representative
Terry Starnes, Administrative Representative (sitting in for Larry Lawrence)
Chad Hearne, Staff/Staff Senate Representative
Fredricka Sharkey, Staff Representative/PR Representative
Angie Howard, Community Representative/Recycling Expert
Steven Shook, SGA Representative

Absent:

Francie Boelter, Faculty/Faculty Senate Representative – Retiring May 15
Laura Young, Administrative/Faculty Representative
Linda Lentz, Budget Office/Staff Representative

Discussion Items:

- Diane to approve “Green Ideas” submitted by faculty and staff across campus. Then responses will be posted on our website.
- A Howard sent over 25 “Coke” black recycling containers.
- Terry Starnes & Fredricka Sharkey noted we just received a grant from Coco Cola and ACRC for containers only (no money.)
- Check on re-using paper. We need to put recycling containers for “white paper only” in hall ways.
- Recycling campaign – input from Bunny Adcock and Terry Starnes –
 - We need students passionate about the campaign.
 - Campaign needs to happen yearly.
 - Bring campaign to the attention of students during orientation, meetings with RA’s/dorms, contact Greeks so they can get involved, and through SOAR and Welcome Week.
- E-waste – TVs, computers, refrigerators left by dumpsters at the end of every semester – can we recycle.
- Turning lights out – automatic on/off switches can be expensive.
- Annual report to legislature is sometime in September.
- Camps – do we have recycling programs set up for camps held on campus? Connie will contact departments to ask for list of their camps and forward them to Angie Howard. She will contact them and offer to speak to campers on recycling and/or setting up extra recycling bins during these camps. Let Larry know where bins need to be placed.

Topics for next discussion:

- Name of Committee
- Be Green & Save Green

Future presentations suggested:

- Invite Dave Dennis to speak (Recycling & Bicycles)

Next meeting:

- May 27th at Xperiod in Wingo 210.

Meeting adjourned at 2:20 p.m.