

STUDENT TOWN HALL

11/13/2019

1. Add Honors to Learning Communities.
2. Mention a potential childcare facility.
3. Does Foothill want to take on the responsibility of housing?
4. Do older items of the FMP list have priority?
5. If projects require hiring new employees does this affect priorities?
6. Will the FMP address landscaping & overgrowth of flammable material (vegetation)?
7. There is a serious lack of electrical outlets in most rooms.
8. Should we specify areas for wi/fi upgrades on the Bond/FMP?
9. Important to keep all software applications up to date.
10. What is transitional housing? Will it meet student needs?
11. Does the parcel tax have a list of projects (specific expenditures)?
12. How much is the per parcel cost?

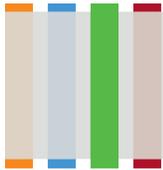
Emails & Online Form Responses

Housing

1. Housing needs to be studied further. Is it the mission of a community college? Other entities are addressing the issue.

Allied Health

1. No examples of joint projects between the two colleges
 - Allied Health Building to combine all the programs into one site
2. "I'm deeply concerned that health science programs are not directly listed on these spreadsheets & documents, whereas a number of other department facilities are noted specifically."
 - The health programs need more space to accommodate students, patients & updated medical-dental equipment.
 - The Dental Hygiene, Dental Assisting & Respiratory Therapy Programs have been at Foothill for over 50 years and are still in the same facilities, with only minor renovations.
 - Radiologic technology also has a long history and is struggling with facilities for instruction.



Student Town hall

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Emails & Online Form Responses (Cont.)

Allied Health

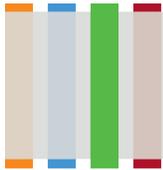
3. The health sciences programs (dental hygiene, dental assisting, rad tech, respiratory therapy, DMS) do not have adequate space for classroom, clinic and lab instruction.
 - The programs prepare students for jobs in the workforce
 - Dental Hygiene has been at the college for 60 years and is operating in the same space.
 - Only a few minor renovations over the years
 - A new health sciences building that meets HIPAA and all ADA requirements is critical for the workforce and provide dental hygiene care for our patients.

Observatory

1. Upgrade the observatory to also support automated observing, which would support astronomy classes (ie-students could plan observations, and work with resulting images), could open up further outreach opportunities. The three main areas of the upgrade would include:
 - Setup dome for computer controlled operations
 - Telescope for camera operations (new telescope as Peninsula Astronomical Society owns the current one)
 - Computer systems software for operations and data distribution

Miscellaneous

1. No examples of a project that needs immediate attention just a laundry list of projects “nice to do”



Student Town Hall

11/19/2019

1. Blue Phones not working
2. Vans/Shuttle Services between the two campuses
3. Clipper Cards for outside of VTA for students commuting a long distance
4. Gender Neutral Restrooms on campus
5. Not enough counselors
6. Mental Health/Psyche Services expansion and more services
 - Not enough drop-in sessions
 - Hard to access services
 - Students don't know about the services
7. Housing is favorable, but one student felt that it puts pressure on families who own property and are struggling to pay their mortgage and higher property taxes.
8. Diversity of Faculty being hired
9. Security Cameras
10. Additional Parking Lots