

Buildings & Grounds Committee  
Meeting Minutes #9  
January 27, 2009  
President's Conference Room  
4:00 – 5:00 p.m.

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<b>Guests:</b>		
Bill Blessing		

CO Michaelis			
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Of Murray			
Farmers			
Market			
on campus			
CC: President's Cabinet			
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Committee			
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suggestion			
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Sustainabi			
Complete			
lity			
5.7.5a	11/25/08 <b>Campus Posting</b>	Committee	On Hold
Committee	. We are	Guidelines have been submitted to the	Roundtable. The document was not
. We are	waiting	received favorably and we are	awaiting comments.
for a	proposal	so we can	fully
proposal	so we can	fully	evaluate
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10.28.4  
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the  
specifics.  
The Urban  
Village  
Farmers  
Market is  
the same  
group that  
brings the  
market to  
downtown  
Los Altos.  
They  
would like  
a location  
that would  
host them  
year  
round, not  
just May

11.25.1  
**Proposal  
for Tiered  
Hillside –**  
Outdoor  
Teaching  
Area  
Evolutiona  
ry Plant  
Terrace  
(hillside  
between  
Lohman  
Theatre &  
Science  
Bldgs at  
lower  
campus).  
B. Visas  
met with a  
M. Melia  
to discuss  
the overall

proposal  
and brief  
criteria.  
Her action  
item was  
to discuss  
funding  
the design  
drawings  
through  
the  
Measure  
C  
landscape  
project. At  
the  
meeting it  
was  
suggested  
by M.  
Diefenbac

11.25.2  
**Physical  
Sciences  
&  
Engineeri  
ng  
Complex  
(PSEC) –**  
Three new  
buildings  
will be  
built at the  
site of the  
old Vet  
Tech/OH  
complex  
in Parking  
Lot 4. In  
the next  
few  
months,  
the  
architect

will be  
asked to  
present  
their  
concept to  
the B&G  
Committee  
. February  
is our  
target date.

**1/27/09**

Bill  
Blessing  
of Ratcliff  
Architects  
presented  
a three  
dimension  
al model  
of the  
buildings

11.25.3  
**Measure  
C Site  
Improve  
ment  
(Landscape)  
Project  
Update –  
1/27/09**

The Steering Committee for this project has met with the Traffic Engineer to review Loop Road suggestions. Nothing

has been decided as of yet. The Landscape Architects, Meyers Silberberg will include a Memorial Garden in an undeveloped area between the Bamboo Garden and Building 6500. The

11.25.6

**Memorial  
Plaques -**

A  
suggestion  
was made  
by S.  
Banrami  
to  
consider  
putting a  
memorial  
wall  
somewher  
e in the  
bamboo  
garden  
since it is  
such a  
peaceful  
place to  
visit. B.  
Visas will

investigate  
this idea  
with G.  
Holler,  
caretaker  
of the  
garden.

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The  
bamboo  
garden  
was  
rejected as  
the final  
location  
for a  
memorial  
wall  
because it  
was not  
handicap

<p>1.28.4 Next Meeting: Wednesda</p>	<p>Libby Lucas from the California Native Plant Society joined us. She offered Native Plant Lists for our use with upcoming projects. She also mentioned she would like to see Foothill College win an award for water conservation. We would not make this year's deadline, March 22, 2009 but we could apply next year. If there is someone on the B&amp;G Committee that would like to work directly with Libby, please contact me. This position would also work directly with Karen Smith and Frank Niccoli of the Sustainability Water Reduction Group.</p>	<p>Information</p>	<p>In Progress</p>
<p>1.27.2</p>	<p>The architects for the Site Improvement (Landscape) Project will be presenting their ideas to us at the next meeting. Architects: David Meyers and Ramsey Silberberg.</p>	<p>Information</p>	
<p>1.27.3 Soccer and Softball Field</p>			
<p>Renovation presentation by Verde (Architects) will be scheduled for our March meeting. Date and time to be confirmed.  Information</p>			



<p>1.28.4 Next Meeting: Wednesday, <b>February 11, 2009.</b> <b>2:00-3:00</b> <b>President's Conference Room, Room 1901.</b> (Due to other conflicts, 1-2 timeframe with the Architect is not possible.)</p>		Information
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