



**MINUTES**  
**Facilities & Environmental Improvement Committee**

**Friday, February 28, 2014**  
**2:00 P.M. – 3:00 P.M.**

**Board Room**

**MEMBERSHIP**

Jeff Enz – Chair/CMCA Representative  
John Lau – Administrative Representative  
Sergio Lopez – Administrative Representative  
Jose Lopez – Faculty Representative *Absent*  
Ricardo Pradis – Faculty Representative *Absent*  
Todd Hansink – Faculty Representative *Absent*  
Jim Mecate – Faculty Representative *Absent*  
Rick Webster – CMCA Representative  
Rhonda Ruiz – Classified Representative  
Carol Cortes-Ramirez – Classified Representative *Absent*  
Hector Curiel – ASG Representative *Absent*  
Priscilla Ortiz – ASG Representative *Absent*  
Emily Blancarte – ASG Representative (alternate)

Recording Secretary: Angie Gallo

**I. WELCOME**

**II. ACTION ITEMS**

Approval of the November 25, 2013 Committee Minutes  
**M/S/C Webster/Ruiz Approved.**

**III. DISCUSSION ITEMS**

**a. Construction Update**

The construction of the 3100/3200 buildings will be the last for at least 3 years. Buildings 200/300/800 would be next on the list for renovations. IVC does not currently have the budget for any future renovations. John Lau stated if the school bond passes, IVC will submit projects to the State for joint funding.

The scheduled walk through of the 3100/3200 building is April 1, 2014. Substantial completion is scheduled for March 31, 2014 with a ribbon cutting ceremony on May 1, 2014.

The plans are to move equipment from the current CTE locations into the new buildings during Summer 2014. Classes are scheduled to begin Fall 2014 inside the new buildings.

Sergio Lopez inquired about vending machines outside the 3100/3200 buildings. The vending machines currently outside the 500 building could be moved since the 500 building will be demolished. John Lau asked Sergio to attend the next Construction meeting to discuss the vending machines.

The 900 building is now complete. I.T., Parking & Campus Safety, as well as Reprographics have all moved in.

The demolition of the 500 building is scheduled for the end of May – beginning of June. Grass and trees will be planted in place of the current 500 building. A new Student Government building is planned in that area in the future.

**b. Campus Displays – areas of interest and possible locations**

Update to the Minutes from 11/25/13 meeting – the Art Gallery Pavers project has been restarted.

A mosaic tile project is also planned for an area in the entrance of the gallery. The Art Department is working on displaying a mural on the wood fence of the 1600 building facing the quad area. The mural(s) are to be wood panels attached to the fence which could be easily removed/replaced.

Because the 1600 mural and gallery mosaics projects are ready to go, Carol Hegarty will be asked to attend the next F&EIC meeting to address any concerns.

**Beautification of campus** – The Committee will decide on what locations to target; priority areas to display artwork, sculptures, etc. The current Art Department projects are self-funded.

**Lighting issues on campus** – F&EIC isn't the committee to address safety issues. Rick stated the concern was addressed and taken care of by the Environmental Health & Safety committee and the Maintenance department. "Dark" areas of concern were due to lights being out and/or overgrown trees blocking the lights. There were a few places that needed lights added and those have been installed. Some places where lights were requested are too expensive to add lights. The back rows of parking lots are one of those areas.

The committee will discuss the idea of fundraising for esthetics, and funds for displays, and beautification of the college at a future meeting.

**Overflow parking and additional future parking lot site** – The Committee discussed options, one option would be to go into the farm site or grass strip along Old Highway 111. The Committee to start earmarking future parking lot sites. There is no urgency but topic does need to be planned and put together for funding.

**Emergency blue posts** – Posts should be placed out in parking lots where people would get assaulted, not in populated areas. The problem is getting power and signal to posts for phones. The first 2 posts to be installed are working well. Currently having an issues with no response.

**c. Vision of Facilities & Environmental Improvement Committee**

F&EIC should be working with the Art Department and others to designate areas of interest on campus. There is a lack of procedures for content approval of displays on campus. The committee agreed all campus projects and displays, like the pending Art Departments projects should be filtering through the F&EI Committee specifically for approval of content but also for approval of display location.

Ex: 2700 lobby paintings – border line

*Art Show – there was a painting facing the preschool that displayed nudity. Had very upset parents picking up children at preschool.*

The question raised was whether all displays should be approved. If the display is within the art gallery fine, but if it's a display that will be on campus for the public, the display should go through F&EI for approval.

Departments on campus interested in displaying art work, need to come before F&EI Committee for prior approval.

The area inside 2700 lobby built specifically for sculpture display. Architect included as part of the design.

**IV. ADJOURNMENT**

Meeting was adjourned at 2:45pm.