

UCCS University Center Advisory Board Minutes

UC 304

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CALL TO ORDER:

ATTENDEES: STEPHEN HOLMES, CHAD GARLAND, RAY FISCO, LAURA EMMOT, AMANDINE HABBEN, RANDY ROSSO, DARIUS PARDNER, JACOB GODINO

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

DISCUSSION ITEMS

1) UC programming update -

Stephen: The last Adulting 101: Social media and privacy is coming up

Chad: We received final approval to hire a program coordinator for UC programming. This position will work with Student Life, Housing, Dean of Students. This position will be the conduit and bring more awareness to programming in the UC. They will find the niches in programming in the UC and fill the void. The intent is not to double program but be focused on late night and weekend programming. I would like it to be posted by end of the month.

2) Café 65 update -

Chad: The budget came in higher than we expected. \$440,000 was the total budget and I had put aside \$270,000. The project will be pushed off until next summer.

Carlos, Robin, and I need to look at budgets and see where we can find more money. We might have to cut down on some of the furnishings.

3) Expiring Board Positions – When do we want to request replacements

SPECIAL ORDERS

1) UCCS Radio - Madison Ellis (student manager of the UCCS Radio)

Madison: UCCS Radio is located in the Student Life lounge. We are expanding our operations by adding more student employees and creating a new culture around the Radio. Right now the only space we have is the radio station and it gets pretty tight in there. We have been thinking about the space where the five computers are at in Student Life for expansion. This space would be to meet as a staff, meeting with students, and to advertise the Radio.

Chad: That space is managed by Student Life so they will have final say. We can take ideas and then start a dialogue with Student Life.

Randy: Would it be a closed off space?

Madison: No. The radio station would stay the same size. It would just be an additional space to meet, work, and talk with students.

Stephen: We need to start thinking about the next 10 years, if there was a new building - what would be the ideal space for the Radio? We are in the works for the 2030 strategic plan.

2) Dr. Sentwali Bakari (Vice Chancellor of Student Success)

Dr. Bakari: I wanted to provide you an update on the Career Center and where it could be located. We would like to re-image the our Career Center. Students are looking for a return on investment from college - that would be a job. Could the Career Center could be placed in the UC? We are not asking for any additional fee money from students. It would be funded by the institution or potentially a donor. Dr. Connie Staley is heading a working group that is focused on the Career Center and what it could look like on our campus. The working group has come up with an "Apple Store" concept. First space we thought about placing the Career Center is where the pool tables are in the UC.

Students said no to use the Student Life space. We like the idea of UC because of the foot traffic that his building receives. This new space would be open after hours so that student could have access to the space in the evening. This would create more traffic for the center with the intent that they would know where to access the Career Center.

Handed out a floor plan of the UC 1st floor.* Discussed proposed design of the Career Center and that the recreation space would be moved the first floor storage closet.

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