

# PARKING AND TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES

April 9, 2019 2:00 pm

206 TAPS

## ATTENDEES:

**MEMBERS:** Keith Rambo, Jennifer Clark, Scott Washburn, Ann Wehmeyer, Bruce Welt, Cynthia Williming

**LIASONS:** Maj. William Barber, Linda Dixon, Chad Doering, Scott Fox, Allen Masters, Ray Thomas, Matthew Williams

**NON-MEMBERS:** Ron Fuller, Stuart Cullen, Lili Du, Frank Javaheri, David Wood, Nina Shubert (Recording)

**MEMBERS NOT IN ATTENDANCE:** Yenisel Cruz, Micaela Gibbs, Sydney Honeycutt, Stanley Kaye, Michelle Leonard, Sven Normann, Christian Sutton, Robert Schulte, Sandra TenBroek, Killian Thrush, Angel Zavala

**CHAIR:** Keith Rambo

## CALL TO ORDER:

Meeting was called to order at 2:00 p.m. by Keith Rambo.

## APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Keith Rambo asked the committee to review and approve of the minutes from March, 2019. There were no recommended changes. Scott Washburn moved to approve, seconded by Jennifer Clark. The minutes were approved.

## TAPS UPDATE

**PRESENTING: RON FULLER, TAPS**

### **DISCUSSION:**

- Exploring Parking Options at Vet Med/Animal Sciences Area
- Garage XIV Progress – Under budget for ground fill. Surface is stable.
- Garth Brooks Concert – Football level crowd attendance
- Electric Dock-less Scooters – (*Scott Fox presented information*) The City of Gainesville has amended ordinances and these vehicles will operate like bicycles. Expecting scooters on campus by the end of summer. Committee's concerns were:
  - ✓ Increased congestion on campus
  - ✓ Interference with bike traffic
  - ✓ Bike and pedestrian safety
    - Dismount zones
    - Speed bump deterrent – Not safe.
- Faculty/Staff Decal Rush – Process is going smoothly.
- Garage X Lighting Retrofit Completed

## UPDATE ON PARKING GUIDANCE AND MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY

**PRESENTING: DR. SCOTT WASHBURN, PATAAC, DR. LILI DU, UF CIVIL AND COASTAL ENGINEERING**

### **DISCUSSION:**

Dr. Lili Du presented an overview of parking guidance and parking management technology for the University. The talking points included:

- Campus Parking Inventory
- Parking Challenges
  - ✓ Supply
  - ✓ Customer demands
  - ✓ Improving space usage – Advance surveying for information data analysis
- Establishing Smart On-line System
- Tasks

- ✓ Understanding parking demand with apps and test bed.
- Monitoring
- Detection/Collection of Parking Data
  - ✓ Duration of parking
  - ✓ Variation time in parking areas
  - ✓ Prediction of parking need for area
  - ✓ Real time reports for parking demands – Mobile apps
- Broader Impacts of Parking Technology
  - ✓ Improve sustainable parking facilities
  - ✓ Provides good testing data
  - ✓ Students will have hands-on experience with new technology and effects on campus life.
- Vendors
  - ✓ WGI (T2) – Presented costs
  - ✓ Genetec – License Plate Recognition (LPR) system
  - ✓ Temple – Visited by a company representative
- Enforcement – Technology for garages
  - ✓ LPR follows vehicles for violations
  - ✓ Pinpointing locations for parking advisories
  - ✓ Scheduled timed decal parking behavior – Impact parking decisions

**ACTION:**

This was for presentation and discussion.

**UF-640 IFAS BLUEBERRY RESEARCH FACILITY**

**PRESENTING: DAVID WOOD, PD&C**

**DISCUSSION:**

David Wood presented the programming phase for the IFAS Blueberry Research Facility. The building will be a one story, 9,200 GSF structure located on the north side of Fifield Hall. The building will house research and teaching labs, classrooms and an office. This project is funded by the Blueberry Seed Fund which is IFAS state funding. Construction is to start October, 2019. The committee had questions and discussed the following:

- Classroom capacity – 900 students
- Parking –
  - ✓ Addition of appropriate number of ADA spaces.
  - ✓ Other than state vehicles and Disabled, decaled parking for this building will be in other appropriate decal lots.

**ACTION:**

Bruce Welt moved to approve this phase of the project, seconded by Jennifer Clark. The project programming phase was approved.

**OTHER BUSINESS:**

There were questions raised regarding summer housing closures. The summer schedule begins May 11.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

A motion to adjourn was set by Keith Rambo, seconded by Scott Washburn. Meeting adjourned at 3:01 p.m.