Student Sustainability Task Force  
Meeting 10/15/14 

Agenda 

• Announcements  
• Club Updates  
• Old Business  
  o Green Revolving Fund  
    ▪ Nothing from Kenny yet  
  o Other Projects  
    ▪ Sodexo  
    ▪ Urban farming  
    ▪ SustainAffinity  
  o Gmails for Google Drive  
  o Recruitment  
    ▪ Email people who were at People’s Climate March  
• New Business  
  o Constitution  
  o Sustainability Newsletter Email  
• Project Break-Out Groups  

Attendance  

• Elizabeth  
• Etc.  

Minutes  

• Announcements  
  o Elizabeth talked with people—Claude Rounds  
    ▪ Role of SSTF on campus: Originally cabinet-type deal, working closely with administration—“organize and prioritize” projects  
    ▪ ROI not high enough for RPI to do solar panels, maybe look for a grant  
      ▪ Maybe if they have a specific ROI in mind, we can know what we’re working with.  
    ▪ Kyle will be meeting with him in a few weeks and talk about stuff including GRF  
      ▪ This is why we need a GRF  
  o SEP meeting tonight Shellnut Gallery 9-10 pm  
• Club updates  
  o Ecologic  
    ▪ Eco-princess festival Nov 22nd
- Budget proposal
  - Vasudha
    - DFWI trip coming up in two weeks (email sent out by Natalie)
    - Work has been done on garden

- Old business
  - GRF
    - Kenny will get stuff to us soon
    - Someone to lead project
  - SustainAffinity
    - Alumni network, btw alumni and current students (similar to SEP)
      - (Google “uprise of 5” rpi—student protest ’08-’09 school year. Afterward, no unregistered protests on campus. No complaints have been addressed.)

- Recruitment
  - List of emails from People’s Climate March - Elizabeth
  - Bother residents – Jesse
  - Visible campus projects – Jessica
    - Water bottle refill fountain? Mascarenas wants to do it with Vasudha.
    - Collaborative project SSTF-Vasudha, bring youngsters into our club
    - Even if we just do one

- New business
  - Constitution
  - Sustainability newsletter email
    - October newsletter
      - Info on everything that’s going on from each club and project, send paragraph to Elizabeth by next Wednesday

- Work on projects.