MEETING NOTES OF THE
UNIVERSITY FACILITIES PLANNING BOARD
June 8, 2010

Members Present: Jim Becker, Kurt Blunck, Ritchie Boyd for Joe Fedock, Jeff Butler, Michael Everts, Brad Garnick, Mandy Hansen, Pam Merrel for Tom McCoy, Robert Lashaway for Craig Roloff, Tom Stump

Members Absent: Susan Agre-Kippenhan - Chair, Walt Banziger, Allyson Bristor, Jeffrey Jacobsen, Mary Miles, Jim Rimpau, Jim Thull, Kasey Welles – ASMSU, Allen Yarnell, Brenda York

Guests: Victoria Drummond and Dennis Raffensperger, Facilities Planning, Design & Construction

Victoria Drummond chaired the meeting in the absence of Susan Agre-Kippenhan and Walt Banziger. The University Facilities Planning Board met beginning at 3:30 pm to discuss the following:

ITEM No. 1 – Approval of Meeting Notes
Brad Garnick moved to approve the meeting notes from May 25, 2010. Mike Everts seconded the motion. The meeting notes were approved unanimously.

ITEM No. 2 – Executive Committee Report
There was no action from the Executive Committee to report.

ITEM No. 3 – Consent Agenda - None

ITEM No. 4 – Recommendation – Draft Design/Construction Staging Guidelines – Parking Lots
Robert Lashaway requested the board recommend approval of the draft Design/Construction Guidelines – Parking Lots. On July 10, 2007, the UFPB supported the shift towards using parking areas for staging, following a cost comparison analysis of the aesthetic and monetary restoration costs in which using green open spaces cost more. If approved by UFPB, the draft Design/Construction Guidelines – Parking Lots will be effective immediately and incorporated in the MSU Design Guidelines and Construction Standards currently being developed.

The draft Design/Construction Guidelines – Parking Lots for consideration covers the following topics:
1. Background
2. Construction Staging in Parking Lots
3. Parking Permanently Displaced by a Building Project

Lashaway explained to the UFPB that we are looking at construction costs, not the value to the University of the parking space itself. A parking permit is based on the cost of constructing the space, not the convenience of using it.

Discussion opened with Tom Stump questioning how the state would view a building being built on parking spaces – would the project include the funds for new parking spaces? It may or may not; the state may tell the University to pick an open spot. History and specific arrangements have much to do with the effect of replacing Auxiliaries Services buildings on a project basis. Mike Everts suggested including a background section that includes the statement that the appearance of the campus is a valuable resource and the University tries to minimize as much as we can these disruptions regarding the academic use of the campus.

Brad Garnick asked if the cost of staging will cost more if parking lot spaces are replaced with parking garage spaces. Lashaway suggested the UFPB send him notes, suggestions and comments within the next week so they may be addressed and the recommendation be brought back to UFPB on June 22, 2010.

ITEM No. 5 – Information – UFPB Application
Everts reported that the ADA Advisory Committee suggested an application form/check list be created for those who would like to be included on the UFPB agenda. Also suggested was the formation of a subcommittee to review the applications. Victoria Drummond has a meeting scheduled with Brenda York on Monday, June 14th, to discuss this issue.
Victoria Drummond suggested UFPB members review the Horizon Items and send their suggestions for topics of discussion from the Horizon Items to add to the agendas along with their comments to Lashaway.

This meeting was adjourned at 4:00 p.m.

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ASMSU President
Jody Barney, Budget and Fiscal Director, Office of Dean and Director
Patricia Chansley, Assistant to the Provost
Cathy Conover, Vice President, Communications & Public Affairs
Victoria Drummond, Associate Planner
Lisa Duffey, Assistant to the Dean of Agriculture
Heidi Gagnon, Assistant to the Vice President, Administration & Finance
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Charles Nelson, Registrar and Director of Admissions
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