

Facilities & Sustainability Minutes

Wednesday November 5, 2025 – 1:00 pm Zoom Meeting

Admin: Co-Chair: Marcos Rodriguez, Faculty Co-Chair: TBA

Admin Reps: Kristin Rabe, Justin Berhow & Stephanie Foster-Reynoso

Faculty Reps: Tim Heasley, Marah Meek, Michael Huerta Jr., Mychael Phillips & Vic Posey

Classified Reps: Leah Prendez, Amanda Brucker, Martha Gonzalez, & Rachel Salazar

Students Reps: Gavin Perez & Aydin Garcia

Attendees Role for 11/05/25: Marcos Rodriguez, Kristin Rabe, Martha Gonzalez, Tim Heasley, Marah Meek, Rachel Salazar, Mychael Phillips, Michael Huerta, Jr., Amanda Brucker, Gavin Perez & Aydin Garcia.

Absent Role for 11/05/25: Justin Berhow, Vic Posey, Stephanie Foster-Reynoso, Leah Prendez.

****UNAPPROVED Facilities & Sustainability 11/05/25 Meeting Minutes ** Call to order at 1:03 pm**

- I. Approval of October Minutes – (Rodriguez)**
 - Marah Meek motions to approve the minutes, Tim Heasley seconds.
 - Committee votes to approve. No opposition. No abstention
- II. Approval of Agenda – (Rodriguez)**
 - Marah Meek moves to approve the agenda, Tim Heasley seconds.
 - Committee votes to approve. No Opposition. No Abstention
- III. Facilities Requests – Program Review 2024-2025 (Rabe)**
 - Tabled for the February 2026 Facilities and Sustainability Meeting
- IV. Measure J Update – (Rodriguez)**
 - Agriculture Science is moving along to completion with an estimated time of completion in June 2026 and to open Fall 2026.
 - Horticulture Lab Greenhouse & landscaping is completed. There were some operational issues with the micro irrigation system and controls in the building; however, we have worked through it and it is connected to the network.
 - New Gymnasium/Renegade Athletics Complex is complete. Minor repairs and updates that were requested are being completed as needed.
 - Arvin Campus is open to students and faculty. A food pantry will be added to the facility along with additional HVAC systems and lighting.
 - Delano Campus – LRC – Landscape Project Phase Two of the project will include increasing the size of the parking lot, sump area, and better accesses to the roads.
 - Bond Oversight Committee – A Power point was shared with the committee to show an overview of each project under Measure J and the funds spent thus far. The bond oversight committee reviews bonds to ensure funds were used correctly and communication to the community is accurate. Questions arose about the accessibility and bringing building up to code. We have had an Architect along with an ADA Specialist tour the campus; they have a

master list of improvements that need to be completed. We have continued and will continue to do improvements on the campus.

V. Other Construction Projects (Rodriguez)

- Solar Project Parking Lot 8 – It is starting to produce some solar energy; however, we are restricted by PGE on how much energy we can produce.
- Student Housing project – Construction is moving along with an estimated Completion by July 2026.
- Men's Baseball Dugouts – Buildings have been constructed with an estimated completion by the end of November 2025.
- Delano – New Welding Lab & Shade Structure – Project is pending DSA review/approval and is scheduled for next Summer.

VI. Work Order Report Overview – (Berhow)

- The Brightly Work Order System – Tabled for the next Facilities and Sustainability Committee Meeting.

VII. Sub-Committee Discussion – (Rodriguez)

- A CMAA Green Leadership and Invitation Across California Colleges presentation was shared with the committee to show how LA Unified School District has worked together on different sustainability initiatives. Questions arose about a sustainability plan for Bakersfield College campus/s and persons who would like to be involved with this initiative.

VIII. Campus Recognition – (Rodriguez)

- SCCMAA - Southern California Construction Management Association of America – Arvin General Education Center was selected for an award - A presentation was shared with the committee. Bakersfield College has also been selected for awards for the Veteran Resource Center in 2022, Science & Engineering in 2023 & the Welcome Center in 2024.

IX. New Business – (Berhow)

- None

X. Adjournment – (Berhow)

Motion to adjourn by Tim Heasley
Second was by Marah Meek

Meeting adjourned at 1:45 pm

Next Meeting December 3, 2025