Health, Safety, and Environmental Subcommittee

Meeting minutes March 2, 2020

Attending: Robert Arndt (Chair), Emilia Bak, Michael Bullard, Josphine Chambua, Mary Ann Jacobs, Kelly Moran, Charles Chavis, Claudia Nickolson (acting secretary)

Absent: McDuffie Cummings

Approved Minutes from Feb. 3 with no changes

Old Business:

Report from Robert, no update on our committee reviewing the Hazardous Waste Policy. Michael assured that policies and practices are in place to ensure safety and compliance with regulations.

New Business:

Discussed issue of students walking across road to campus from Courtyard and Village Apartments, ignoring the clearly marked crosswalks. It was agreed that this is an unsafe practice and difficult to prevent. Concerns that a student will get hit by motorist. Michael said he could facilitate getting a flyer or some communication sent to RAs to help educate students.

Educating motorists was also discussed as a way to address the problem. Emilia's fall public relations class may be able to take this on as a course project; to make drivers more aware of pedestrians and crosswalk safety.

Discussed notifications on campus about coronavirus and learned that an email will be coming out in coming days/weeks.