



The Mission of EPP is to promote awareness, opportunities and educational experiences concerning environmental policy and planning.

EPP Meeting Minutes – Tuesday, March 4, 2008

Attended by: Matt P, Sara S, Nick K, Briana O, Katie M, Brett H, Suzannah H, Samantha C, Aaron D, Ray N, David Gerber, Robert Kirkpatrick

- I. Welcome/Introductions: What was your favorite EPP event this term?
- II. EPP Rocks!
  - Great work everyone on a very productive term. Yay for our hardwork.
- III. Elections
  - Start thinking about EPP officer elections. They will be held early next term. The positions are president, secretary, and treasurer. To be nominated, you must have attended at least 1 EPP meeting. Feel free to chat with Aaron (president), Kate (secretary) or Matt (treasurer) about the positions and what they entail—this is also included in the by-laws.
- IV. InDesign debrief
  - Thanks Ray for teaching us InDesign!
  - Folks had great things to say about the tutorial and praised Ray for setting it up well by giving us the files and a document to try to re-create. It provided the basics, but too bad it was on a Friday afternoon.
  - Brett reminded folks that the computing library in the basement of McKenzie has How-To DVDs available for checkout.
- V. Update on Baldwin Film Fest/Lecture Series
  - Brett killed some trees by handing out a list of the films and lectures under consideration. I didn't take very good notes during this section because I assumed Brett was—check with him if you have further questions. Or come to the meeting Tuesday, March 11, 2008 at 3:30pm.
  - The few notes I did take:
    - Live/Move is meeting Thursday, March 6 and would appreciate a visit from EPP folks if they are going to sponsor and pay for Source to Sea, and bringing the producer down to speak.
    - We're still trying to finalize the lectures. Matt is going to look into a panel on ecosystem services by asking Josh Skov to see if he'd like to participate.
    - Sustainability Coalition is looking into someone from Cascadia Rising Tide.

- The Real Dirt on Farmer John will probably be the 2<sup>nd</sup> film for HOPES.

VI. Holy Cow

- Robert Kirkpatrick came to discuss the controversy surrounding the non-renewal of Holy Cow Café's lease. He asked the group if they were willing to submit a letter in support of Holy Cow Café to the Daily Emerald and the EMU. The group discussed the issue, resulting in the first actual motion of the year. The motion was to write a letter in support of Holy Cow Café. The motion was seconded, and the motion passed on a vote of 6 in favor, 1 against, and 1 abstention. Brianna was going to write the letter and send out over the EPP listserv for comments and edits.

Adjourned 4:30ish

Let me know if you notice anything out of place in the minutes!