

Faculty Council on University Facilities and Services 2019-2020 Annual Report

Summary:

During the 2019-2020 academic year, the Faculty Council on University Facilities and Services met eight times in regular meetings, conducting its routine review of matters relating to capital project planning and development, priorities for project funding and implementation, inclusive project processes and design impacts; transportation, mobility, and accessibility issues; campus climate action initiatives; adequacy and continuous improvement of campus learning environments; maintenance and improvements of campus landscapes; and major administrative services including provision of daycare, financial reporting, and addressing Seattle housing affordability for faculty and staff.

Major topics the council worked to address and/or completed during the year include:

❖ Capital Projects

A general update given to FCUFS in October 2019 reported the New Burke Museum to be nearly completed. UW Bothell is also planning for a new STEM building. The Health Sciences Education Building has had some concern with funding and accessible routes, but the updated noted it was built to incorporate outside space within the larger UW Master Plan. The Population Health Facility project, the first integrated design-build, has been moving relatively well. Seismic improvements for the first group of buildings have been completed.

❖ Annual Review of Classrooms

Representatives from UW Bothell and UW Tacoma presented information on classroom space inventory, utilization, and future planning in April 2020. Both campuses intend to expand housing and renovate campus spaces to meet the needs of a growing student population. Seating capacity and mobile furniture will be enhanced within instructional areas. Campus representatives will provide the council with new information about Autumn 2020 opening

❖ Annual Review of Transportation

The 2019-2020 update provided by the UW Transportation Services Director focused on COVID-19 impacts on parking, shuttles, passes, and the department's response. Renewals of parking pass and UPASS holders has decreased since COVID-19- with that includes an expected

reduction in revenue. Back-to-Work planning will determine what operations can continue throughout the Summer and into Autumn 2020.

Council members during 2019-20 academic year:

Faculty Code Section 21-61 A: Ann Marie Borys (Chair), Bruce Balick, Ashley Emery, Bill Erdly, Andy Hoofnagle, Laura Little, Murray Maitland, Giovanni Migliaccio, Gundula Proksch

Faculty Code Section 21-61 B: Alena Wolotira, John Carroll, Bruce Balick, JoAnn Taricani

Presidential Designee: Lou Cariello

Guests: Anne Eskridge, Mike McCormick