



Campus Planning Committee Meeting Notes

Meeting Date: August 13, 2024

Members Present: Brian Baxter, Michael Flatte, Richard Fosse, Bryan Garter, David Hensley, Dusty Persinger, Scott Spak

Others: Shawn Albaugh Kleppe, Brent Amelon, Anna Bednarko, Joe Bilotta, Ryan Dehart, Mitch Frazier, Matthew Jensen, Michael Kearns, Rod Lehnertz, Kent Lutz, Brooklyn Vaske, Justin Whitty, Chet Wieland

Fieldhouse Transformer Location

A proposal to replace and relocate the Fieldhouse transformers and switchgear was presented.

This project would eliminate the 5kV and replace with 15kV service. Several locations have been vetted with the most popular location able to accommodate this equipment located along the eastern façade north of the loading area (near the northeast corner of the building).

Because this location is prominent, screening options were shared ranging from solid fencing to reed grass and shrubbery.

Discussion included replacing the current 3 transformers in place, impact on trees in the area, costs associated with hardscape versus landscape screening, and long-term plans for the Fieldhouse.

No consensus was reached on placement. Each had its merits. No specific recommendations were formulated.

Madison Street Services Building – Expand Facility

A proposal for an expanded section of the Madison Street Services Building to accommodate the Distribution Team and the relocation of the Landscape Services Team to the West end of MSSB was presented.

The proposal depicted a pre-engineered building located on Lot 51 West of the University Services Building.

Discussion included what this area was planned for in the Campus Master Plan, other locations considered, reduction in staff parking and construction timing.

Committee members approved but expressed more consideration be given to the look of the building while in design.