

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, FRESNO
CAMPUS MASTER PLAN COORDINATING COMMITTEE
Minutes
May 10, 2006

Members:

Present: Cynthia Teniente-Matson, Robert Boyd, Kathy Johnson, Mark Aydelotte, Deborah Adishian-Astone, Ganesan Srinivasan, Robin Tricoli, Bernard Vinovrski, Kenneth Shipley, Michael Botwin, James Kus and Jennifer Reimer

Absent: Thomas Boeh, Doug Hensler and Julie Tone

Guests: David Moll, David Huerta, John Waayers, Jeannine Raymond, John Briar, Bob Harper (for Doug Hensler), Paddy Tillett, Bob Wood and Ross Ainsworth

The Campus Master Plan Coordinating Committee meeting was opened by Cynthia Teniente-Matson at 9:38 a.m.

The focus of the meeting was to review the first draft of the master plan.

The draft master plan is based on assumptions made by the architect about which buildings should be demolished in 10 years and new facilities that should be built during that same time.

The ten year projected increase in space is approximately one million GSF (this accounts for today's shortage, space in demolished buildings and new facilities projected).

The main entry concept was discussed. This entry should be seen from Shaw Ave. A water feature could be added to the proposed entry as an identifier of the university.

The science benches show the sort of "green rooms" needed throughout campus. The university work force is health and wellness conscious: they need recreation opportunities and places to find relief from their work place during the day.

New quad buildings seem to create too much classroom space. This needs to be reviewed as part of the 10 year needs list.

Save Mart Center event nights create more impact on parking. Therefore, student parking is gated off to protect it for evening students. Routes between Woodrow & Maple along San Ramon are kept open to help relieve exits for events, but daily use by the general public creates pedestrian issues by Science II.

The equestrian/rodeo area will remain in its current location, but seems out of place next to a parking structure in lot J. Listed below are ideas for a possible solution to the location of the equestrian/rodeo area.

- Create a playfield near the equestrian area to act as a buffer to the parking structure
- Relocate equestrian/rodeo area to back of campus (O'Neal Park) and replace the current area with development.

Amphitheater – Students would like to use this space, but do not because of the "red tape" associated with using it. The signing process for use of this space should be simplified.

Childcare facilities - There are four (4) childcare facilities on campus which generate a large amount of traffic, twice a day. Having easy access, good traffic circulation and a designated drop off zone is important for these facilities. The following items were suggested for childcare facilities:

- Combine and consolidate all programs to education
- Begin with a new facility and address the needs of each group/program
- Retrofit a portion of the warehouse site into a childcare facility (childcare does not have to be on campus)
- Locate the facility to a peripheral site on campus (emergency preparedness). For emergency purposes parents should be able to pick-up their children as they exit campus
- Run two (2) childcare sites – one on campus and one off campus

The Coordinating Committee will continue to meet to discuss the master plan and these specific points:

- Which buildings are most feasible to demolish?
- What is possible in 5, 7 and 10 years?
- What is a realistic change in parking
- Main entry concept

Handouts: Minutes from the April 5, 2006 meeting.

The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, July 17, 2006 from 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. in Plant Operations Conference Room

The meeting adjourned at 11:08 a.m.

