



Student Housing & Residence Life

Student Housing Advisory Committee
Thursday, September 21, 2017, 8AM-9AM
OPH Boardroom

AGENDA

Present: Ashley Wong, Jessica Latocha, Joanne Tsao, Salman Hassan, Noelly Irias Bonilla, Lucia Banos Arenda-Vargas, Peter Cuthbertson, Abdullah Nasser, Chad Nuttall, Brian Kennedy, Beth Spilchuk, Chris Lengyell
Absent: Jayaditya Kedia, Sowrya Kasim

1. Group Introductions (ALL)
2. Introduction to SHAC and Expectations (Chad)
3. SHAC Handbook & Ground Rules (Chris)
 - Handbook - Overview
 - Purpose
 - Attendance & punctuality
 - Glossary of terms
 - Ground Rules
 - Mutual respect
 - Ask questions – of us and others to do what you can to best represent your community, chat with folks, participate fully & take advantage of this opportunity
 - SHAC rep contact info / ListServ
 - Contact info to be circulated on SHRL Website & in newsletter
4. Other Consultation
 - Fire extinguishers in EH are perhaps due for service (Peter) – Beth to confirm
 - Complaints of bed height for a tall student in EH (Joanne)
 - Cleaning concerns for new families who moved in (Lucia)
 - Washing machine not working in SW – multiple visits from Coinomatic (Lucia)
 - ‘Children at Play’ signage – request to improve visibility and location (Lucia)

- Concerns of accessibility in Roy Ivor Hall: perhaps no button on the inside of the study room area. Not necessarily from students with needs – but others just being mindful of accessibility for others (Abdullah)
 - Roy Ivor Hall - concerns about the blinds in the rooms do not block out sunlight, old style, have been deteriorating over time (Salman)
 - Summer to fall Residence transition: feedback that students were not given enough notice to vacate unit. Male student was given an extension – but female student moved in and he was there for 3 days (Ashley)
 - Eaves trough in some family units has vegetation growing – requires a clean out. Some are not positioned well – they don't catch the water, it flows directly over top. Some of the positions of the drains themselves drain directly onto pathways (Lucia)
5. Upcoming Meetings:
- SHAC Meeting #2 – Thursday, Sept 28 (Budget Process & Governance)
 - SHAC Meeting #3 – Thursday, October 5 (Draft Budget, Consultation)
 - No SHAC for Fall Reading Week
 - SHAC Meeting #4 – Thursday, October 19 (New Draft, Consultation)

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