Current Proposed

PURPOSE

The Environmental Sustainability Committee (ESC) is responsible for educating faculty, staff, and students regarding recycling, conservation, and hazardous waste disposal. The Committee investigates projects and policies that encourage compliance with AB 75 and encourages the College to satisfy the guidelines of SABRC (State Agency Buy Recycle Campaign). The Committee oversees sustainable development on campus and works with building committees and green architects. The Committee reviews the annual AB 75 report, and summarizes the findings for the Academic Senate. The Committee assesses campus needs regarding recycling and environmental stewardship and provides feedback to the President.

PURPOSE

The purpose of the Environmental Sustainability Committee (ESC) is to provide a forum for campus-wide efforts to improve environmental sustainability, and to develop and coordinate the implementation of Mesa's Climate Action Plan. The committee will collaborate with relevant governance groups and provide recommendations to the President's Cabinet.

GOALS

- 1. Raise awareness of environmental issues on campus and in the wider area.
- 2. Identify, promote and support initiatives that promote sustainability on campus.
- 3. Sponsor campus events and activities that support sustainability.
- Promote interdisciplinary cooperation and inclusion of sustainability topics into the curriculum.
- 5. Help students identify "Green" career paths.

GOALS

- Identify, develop, and implement initiatives that improve sustainability on campus, including Mesa's Climate Action Plan.
- Raise awareness of environmental racism, of the equity implications of climate change, and of other environmental issues on campus and in the community.
- 3. Sponsor campus events and activities that support sustainability.
- 4. Promote interdisciplinary cooperation and inclusion of sustainability topics into the curriculum.
- 5. Help students identify "Green" career paths.

MEMBERSHIP 2021-2022

Co-Chairs

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- (1) Faculty Representative
- (1) Faculty Representative
 - Leslie Seiger Professor, Biology
 - Waverly Ray Professor, Geography, ESC Webpage Representative

MEMBERSHIP 2022-2023

Chair

 Dean Leavitt Professor, Biology

Faculty (12 Representatives from across the curriculum and providing expertise on the social, economic, and environmental aspects of sustainability)

- Daniela Bruckman Biology
- Paige Connell Biology
- Leslie Seiger

Faculty

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- (1) Science Representative
- (1) Art Representative
- (5) Representatives (disciplines should have substantial environmental impact)
 - Becca Arnold Professor, Economics
 - Daniela Bruckman Professor, Biology
 - Paige Connell Professor, Biology
 - Jill Moreno Ikari
 Professor, English Depart

Professor, English, Department Chair

- Dean Leavitt Professor, Biology
- Sam Lee

Professor, Computer and Information Sciences

- Alison Primoza Professor, Languages
- Michelle Rodriguez Professor, Political Science
- Ron Sandvick
- Professor, MathematicsAllan Schougaard
- Professor, Computer and Information Sciences
- Scott Starbuck Professor, English

Classified Senate

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- (2) Representatives
 - Sara Beth Cain
 Classified Senate Representative
 - Nancy Cortés
 Classified Senate Representative
 - Gerry Vanderpot Classified Senate Representative

Associated Student Representatives

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- (2) Representatives
 - VACANT
 Associated Student Representative
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 Associated Student Representative

Biology

- Sam Lee Computer and Information Sciences
- Allan Schougaard Computer and Information Sciences
- Ron Sandvick Mathematics
- Alison Primoza Languages
- Michelle Rodriguez
 Political Science
- Erin Evans Sociology
- Amy Aswell Interior Design
- Raul Rodriguez Counseling
- Jill Moreno Ikari English, Department Chair

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- (3) Representatives
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 - Gerry Vanderpot Classified Senate Representative
 - Sara Beth Cain
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Student Representatives

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- (1) Associated Students Representative
 - VACANT
- (1) Representative from student environment club (TerraMesa)
 - VACANT

Consultants

- (1) Facilities Manager
- (1) Cafeteria Manager
- (1) Reprographics Manager

Managers

(1) Facilities Manager
(1) Cafeteria Manager
(1) Reprographics Manager
(1) Bookstore Manager
(1) Bookstore Manager
Director of Communications

(1) Representative

Jennifer Nichols Kearns
Public Information Officer

(1) Bookstore Manager