CHARGE/PURPOSE

The purpose of the Campus Community Centers Advisory Council (CCCAC) is to advise the Senior Vice Chancellor on improving the quality of campus life for students, faculty, and staff at UCSF. It is also to function as a resource to university departments, organizations, individuals and the neighboring communities involved in efforts to improve and sustain a high quality of campus life as well as to develop and implement efforts that have broad quality of life application to all campus constituents. The CCCAC and similar campus organizations give the University a critical advantage in recruitment and retention of UCSF students, faculty and staff.

ACTIVITY

The CCCAC focused on physical improvements to multiple UCSF campus locations, including Mission Center Building, SFGH, Parnassus, and Mission Bay. Additional efforts involved review of several Campus Life Services initiatives including, fitness & recreation center fee increases and restructure of the Bear Hugs gift card program managed by Arts & Events. Space considerations and recommendations for the UCSF Long Range Development Plan (LRDP) were presented to the LRDP committees of Parnassus, Mission Bay, and Laurel Heights. And the council made headway in the creation of a quality of life endowment.

PROGRESS and KEY ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The CCCAC strives to improve the quality of life at UCSF and create an environment where faculty, staff and students can thrive. In 2011-2012, the council made progress on several efforts.

- Developed four quality of life white papers for capital giving campaigns. The concepts were supported in general terms by Renee Navarro, MD Vice Chancellor Diversity and Outreach, and Joe Castro, PhD Vice Chancellor Student Academic Affairs.
- Collaborated with Capital Programs on shading solutions for Gene Friend Way at UCSF Mission Bay.
- Identified spaces for mini fitness centers at SFGH and MCB.
- Produced designs for shading at Gene Friend Way on the UCSF Mission Bay campus.
- Recruited incoming Chair, Christina Homer sustaining the tradition of UCSF student chairperson.
- Identified Gail Mametsuka, Asst Director of Campus Life Services Programs & Services, as replacement Committee Manager to fill the gap with Director Tracey Gearlds’ retirement.

RECOMMENDATIONS

We recommend this advisory council continue with a faculty co-chair working alongside the traditionally appointed student co-chair. The faculty co-chair will create greater exposure for the council and will provide a foundation for strategic leadership engagement.

Additionally, we recommend the council meet with the Chancellor to provide her with an overview on the quality of life issues on campus and the role of the council in
meeting those needs.

PRIORITIES and NEXT STEPS

- Continue to vet the quality of life giving campaigns with University Development and Alumni Relations.
- Ensure minimal impact of the William J. Rutter Center renovations on the building occupants and the UCSF community.
- Partner with Capital Programs on Saunders Court renovation as part of their Parnassus Beautification Project.
- Install shading on select areas of Gene Friend Way.
- Open mini fitness centers at SFGH and MCB.
- Begin open space projects at the Kalmanovitz Library and Koret Quad.
- Participate in the design development of improvements to Millberry Fitness & Recreation Center.

Approvals

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