

College Council on Community Policy

Meeting Minutes

March 2, 2018

The meeting began at 12:10.

Co-Chair Michael Ireland began the meeting by stating two important issues that impact our community and that we will continue to monitor. 1 – changes to DACA and 2 – High School shooting in Florida.

The majority of the meeting was a presentation by Dano Weisbord, Director of Sustainability and Campus Planning who outlined the current state and vision for Smith Campus Environmental Sustainability and Planning.

The two primary areas of Dano's work are:

Sustainability – How do we use resources? Look at the gap between where we are and where we want to be.

Planning – Learning Space and Landscape Planning

Dano walked the CCCP through the “Report of the Smith College Study Group on Climate Change” which was published in March of 2017 after over a year of information gathering.

The Report includes five areas of recommendation:

Academic, Campus Programming, Campus Operations, Investments, Institutional Change.

The full report along the on-going work of the office can be found on their website:

<https://www.smith.edu/about-smith/sustainable-smith>

The meeting ended at 1:00