

Senate Community Relations Committee Meeting
Minutes
May 18, 2010

Attendees: Genevieve Barbee, Community Human Services; Kim Barlow, University Times; Denise Chisholm, SHRS, CRC Co-Chair; Laurie Cohen, ULS; Linda Hartman, HSLS; Bruce Rabin, Medicine; Wesley M. Rohrer, GSPH, CRC Co-Chair; Peggy Rosenzweig, Nursing; Tracy Soska, Social Work; Martha Ann Terry, GSPH; Tara Sherry-Torres, OPDC; Steve Zupcic, Community Relations.

Old Business:

Minutes from CRC Meeting of April 20, 2010: Distributed and approved.

Updates:

ONE: Pittsburgh (Oakland Neighbors Engaged) / Community-Based Participatory Research
Genevieve Barbee provided information and announced the final session – Understanding the Community From the Community: Where Do We Go From Here? – Thursday, May 27th, 5 to 7 pm, Rm 2017, Cathedral of Learning

Community Service Events

Steve Zupcic provided information . . . The No-Nonsense Food Drive is concluding and the Greater Pittsburgh Community Food Bank is always looking for volunteers for food distribution days (last Thursday of the month).

Community Engagement for Research, Teaching and Service (CERTS)

Tracy Soska provided information. See Tracy if you want to get involved.

COPC / Office of Community Relations

Tracy Soska provided information on Keep It Clean Oakland; Bridging the Gap.

Sprout Fund Grant for Public Art

Denise Chisholm let the CRC know that Peoples Oakland was not selected as one of the sites for a mural.

Other Announcements

Community Gardens – Frazier Farms

OPDC – Mural (MLK – Moving the Lives of Kids – <http://www.edwarddrawson.com/mlk/>)

University Athletic Complex

Community Human Services Fundraiser – Shadow Lounge, June 12th

Day of Caring – target date is late September – looking for high impact projects with continuing impact – contact Steve Zupcic with project ideas

Future Meetings:

Next CRC meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, June 15, from 12:00 – 2:00 pm at Community Human Services.

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