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Parking Sub-Committee Meeting Summary: February 6, 2018

Attendance:

Charles Lowe, Police and Public Safety Captain Lourens Latona, Police and Public Safety Jill Nocella, Nursing Department Jim Shelly, Physical Plant Operations Eric Rosenberg, Information Technology Kevin Garvey, Administration

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Steve Bolyai, Administration and Finance

Kevin Garvey has assumed duties as chair of the Sub-Committee. Duties will include preparing agenda, supplemental materials, and meeting summaries. Rebranding the committee to reflect the range of pedestrian and vehicle transportation and circulation issues it frequently discusses, was brought up to committee members with no concise name change. Members were encourage to review and be prepared to discuss at next meeting.

2017 Project Update:

All paving previously proposed, except the Rec Center Drive, were completed over the summer recess including Lot 1, Pioneer/Heritage, University Drive between Lots 5 and 6, Dorm Road Driveway, Entry 4 and sidewalk, and University Hall Sidewalk. The Rec Center Drive will be completed after the construction of the new residence hall.

Kevin Garvey reported that Hunziker Hall will be completed and ready for occupancy for Summer 2018. Majority of construction fencing has been removed.

Sitework is complete on the new residence hall. Construction has begun. Progress update was shared with the committee.

Overlook North is scheduled for demolition in 2019. Additional walkways and exterior lighting will likely be required to traverse the site of the existing building. This is part of the design scope for the new residence hall architects, who have also been commissioned for the demolition of Overlook North.

Jim Shelley reviewed the revised scheme to provide access gates in Lot 8. Work will be done over summer 2018; Jim Shelley and PPO working with NJ Transit to replace the bus shelter on Pompton Road at Lot 8. NJ Transit will also be replacing shelters at Pioneer/Heritage stops as well as shelter at the bottom of Pioneer/Heritage stairs.

The shuttle buses have been re-wrapped with University graphics. Physical Plant has reviewed vendors for GPS apps that can advise patrons of schedules and expected waiting times. App will be tested over summer will roll out to be set for 2018 Fall Semester. PPO will work with Student Development on exact schedule.

PPO has updated the Shuttle Bus website to include the new shuttle stop at Hobart Hall.

New Business:

PPO is working on obtaining and installing in ground lighting and lit signage for pedestrian crosswalk at Lot 5 to main campus entrance. Plan is to have lighting in place over spring break.

Kevin Garvey has informed committee that PSE&G will be installing new street lighting on new power poles. Plan is to light the gaps in WPU street lighting along University Drive.

Charles Lowe has recommended that PPO and Public Safety meet with Student Development and walk the campus at night to identify any pedestrian areas that may require additional lighting. Kevin Garvey will make the arrangements.