

Safety Committee Meeting Minutes

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
December 11, 2001	2:00 – 3:30 p.m.	Martha Dennison Rondileau Room, Maxwell Library

Members Present	Members Absent
Patty Delaney, Environmental Health & Safety Officer	John Rocharz, Technical Assistant II, Biology
Claire DeVincentis, Clerk IV, Elementary Education	Brian Townley, Maintainer II, Residence Life and Housing
Melinda Lamoureux, Staff Assistant, Human Resources	David Tillinghast, Chief of Campus Police
Denis Maguy, Director of Facilities	
Steve Scott, Plumber, Facilities	
Jane Thomas, Assistant Director, Human Resources	

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Student Affairs Committee Safety Day, January 15, 2002
- Catch Basin Clean Up, January 3, 2002
- A discussion was held regarding the salt melt that is used at the state and residence hall buildings for the sidewalks. Ms. Delaney stated that it is calcium chloride that is used and it melts and dissolves faster, but it leaves white footprints going into the buildings. If people need more calcium chloride call Cathy at the garage.
- Ms. Delaney stated that there is a possibility that a container of dinitro toluene, would need to be tested, and treated by Triumvirate Environmental with permit from the state. The container is now located in the central storage area in the Science Building. It would need to be treated due to the fact it cannot be shipped in its current condition as a reactive chemical. This will be extremely costly.

TO DO:

- Ms. Delaney will ask Campus Police about blood borne pathogen policy. Where is policy standing? When is it in excess, etc? She will also ask about training concerning this policy. Is it sufficient? Officer Rushton said it is not the training. Campus Police can't ask a person to clean up a large spill of blood. The Campus Police are the first responders to emergencies. She has given the Campus Police a copy of the Environmental Health and Safety issues on Blood borne pathogen policies.

NEXT MEETING SCHEDULED

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
Tuesday, February 12, 2002	2:00 – 3:30 p.m.	Martha Dennison Rondileau Room, Maxwell Library

Patricia A. Delaney
Safety Committee Chairperson