

CHARTER COMMITTEE ANNUAL REPORT TO THE SHARED GOVERNANCE COUNCIL**Committee: Campus Planning Committee****Report Year: 2014-2015**

Committee Chair(s)	Barbara Burlison Mooney
Committee Members	<p>Faculty: Barbara Burlison Mooney (chair Spring 2015), Paul Hanley, Claire Sponsler, John Fuller, Jay Currie</p> <p>Staff: Chris Lake, Matthew Berg, Michael Geneser</p> <p>Students: Deirdre Heneghan, Alyas Widita, Kaitlyn Brennan</p> <p>Administrative Liaisons: Don Guckert , Rod Lehnertz</p> <p>Administrative Support: Shawn Albaugh Kleppe</p> <p>Invited Guests: Kevin Kregel, David Ricketts, Irwin Levin</p>
Committee Charge	<p>Charge to the Committee. The Committee shall be governed by the terms of the General Charter.</p> <p>In addition, the Committee shall: Advise on the establishment of general policies for the orderly, efficient and attractive development of the University's physical campus and facilities, giving particular attention to aesthetic and ecological considerations;</p> <p>Advise on proposals for major development or building projects and proposals for major revisions in ongoing projects, giving consideration to compatibility with existing standards and policies and site selection; Advise on policies of space allocation and utilization, major modification or reallocations of existing facilities and the response to development proposals of all affected elements of the University.</p>
Current Year Meeting Dates	August 21, 2014 (cancelled); September 4, 2014 (cancelled); September 18, 2015; October 2, 2014; October 16, 2014; November 6, 2014 (cancelled); November 20, 2014 (cancelled); January 12, 2015; February 2, 2015; March 9, 2015 (cancelled); march 23, 2015; April 6, 2015 (cancelled); April 20, 2015 (cancelled); May 4, 2015; May 18, 2015; June 1, 2015; July 6, 2015 (cancelled); July 20, 2015; August 3, 2015
Please indicate the typical frequency of meetings (e.g., first Tuesday of month at 4 pm). If there are subcommittees, please indicate	The Campus Planning Committee meets approximately twice a month. During the fall 2014 semester, meetings were scheduled from 1:30pm to 3pm on Thursdays. During the spring 2015 semester, meetings were scheduled from 11am to 12 noon.

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<p>Current Year Activities</p>	<p>Discussed Lindquist Center banner; Psychology and Learning center Building; Pharmacy Building; Herky on Parade; Charter Committee Revision; UIHC remote Centralized Emergency Power Generation Facility; Kinnick Stadium Antennae; Gibson Square veterans Tribute; Duane Banks baseball Stadium Site Upgrades; Power Plant Boilers 10-11 Air Regulations Compliance; Power Plant Perimeter Fencing and Trees; Med Labs Renovations to Third Floor; Adler Banner; Campus Recreation and Wellness Center Window Clings; Boyd Law Building Banner; Biomass Fuel Project Planting; Biomedical Research Support Facility ;IMU Historical Markers; Madison Street Residence Hall; Stanley Hydraulics Laboratory Outdoor Furniture; Bicycle Master Plan; Biodiversity Management Strategy; Hydraulics Wind Turbine; IMU Footbridge Redesign, Bicycle Friendly University Signage; Carver-Hawkeye Arena North Entrance Lighting; We Are PHIL Banners; Iowa Avenue Railroad Bridge Murals; Dental Science Building Exterior Signage and Fourth Floor Awning</p>
<p>Topics your committee anticipates addressing during the coming year</p>	<p>The CPC anticipates more requests for exterior banners. It is also likely to review materials for the Madison Street Residence Hall. Other projects will address a West Campus residence hall, West Campus Energy Plant, improvements to Kinnick Stadium, master plan for Hawkeye Campus, additions to existing buildings (including Nursing Building) that may have a visual impact, and other projects yet to be defined.</p>
<p>Other issues of concern</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The chief area of concern is identifying potential members for the CPC who are sufficiently conversant and attentive to aesthetic and ecological considerations. In as much as the University of Iowa would not want professors from a broad number of disciplines making critical decisions concerning surgical protocols at the UIHC, neither should critical decisions concerning the visual aesthetics of the campus be made by those who have little or no knowledge of or interest in aesthetics and sustainability just for the sake of diverse campus representation. Consequently, potential members of this committee should not be rejected just because they come from a narrower base of faculty, staff and students. 2. The proliferation of visual pollution represents a recurring challenge. While the committee acknowledges the need to provide information to members of the University and larger community, it also is concerned that excessive banners, signage, and other forms of advertising will not only diminish the visual appeal of the campus but will eventually be ignored. 3. Another area of concern is the need to prioritize sustainable architectural, planning, and landscape practices with aesthetic and budgetary considerations.

What should we tell applicants for this committee regarding expectations of members (anticipated workload, existence of subcommittees, etc.)?	Prospective members of the Campus Planning Committee should have experience and interest in serving as a voice for enhancing the visual, aesthetic, and sustainable character of the campus.
The Faculty Senate Office collects agendas and minutes from the charter committees to send to the university archives. Please let us know the best way to get that information from you (e.g., direct us to a website, put us on the committee's distribution list, etc.).	Please contact Shawn Kleppe, Administration Services Specialist at kleppes@uiowa.edu
<i>Recommendations, if anyone shared governance groups.</i>	