



CESAS Meeting Summary  
102 Ward Hall, Kansas State University  
May 21, 2013

#### **Participants**

Larry Erickson, Representing Ch.E. and KNRC  
Kelly Greene, Public Safety  
Oral Saulters, CHSR  
Lee Skabelund, LA/Planning and College of Architecture

#### **Review of the Agenda**

- There were no changes to the agenda

#### **Technical Assistance for Sustainable Kansas (TASK)**

- The Univ. of Kansas has found a major donor for their new building for sustainability research.

#### **Sustainable Brownfields (TAB)**

- There was an excellent Brownfields Conference in Atlanta with participation by the K-State Brownfields team.

#### **Eco-literacy Book Club**

- We will use the new book *The Future* by Al Gore for the summer meeting of the book club. Oral has a friend who worked with Al Gore on the book.

#### **Solar Parking Project and New Charge Station**

- Dave Richter-O'Connell is working on an electric assist bicycle project and he has expressed interest in the ongoing work on solar powered charging stations.

#### **Dialog on Sustainability**

- Planning for this event is continuing. Those present approved \$500.00 from the CESAS account to be used for the Dialog on Sustainability.

#### **Kansas Interfaith Power and Light, June 4**

- The Rev. Canon Sally G. Bingham will be the keynote speaker for the June 4 meeting at 6:30 p.m., at Ecumenical Christian Ministries, 1204 Oread, Lawrence, Kansas; see <http://kansasipl.org/> for more information.

#### **Summer student groups**

- There will be students at K-State for Research Experience for Undergraduates (REU), Summer Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program (SUROP) and a State Dept. Program for European Youth.

**Sustainability Seminar** will be at 8:30 a.m., Fridays, in Rathbone 1052, starting May 31, with a presentation on Climate Change by John Harrington.

#### **E-Waste Event**

- The amount collected was about 13,000 pounds and Howie's received the waste. Electronic waste can be taken to Howie's. There is some dialog on having a collection day for pharmaceutical waste at a future date.

#### **Provost Lecture Series nominations**

- We discussed the opportunity to submit nominations for the Provost Lecture Series.

#### **Future Event**

- K-State will be participating in the Fourth Roundtable Discussion on Current Issues in Climate Change, starting at 7:00 a.m. CDT, in Ward 102, on Friday, June 7, 2013. The meeting is hosted by Kremenchuck National University, Ukraine. Contact Larry Erickson or Sheree Walsh for more information.

**Next Meeting:** Tuesday, June 25, at 3:30 p.m., in Ward 102.