**Los Medanos College**

**Sustainability Committee**

**Wednesday, November 21, 2012**

**CORE Room 423 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM**

Agenda

Our mission statement:

*Research effective practices of sustainability which are replicable at LMC*

*Develop, implement and assess sustainability activities on campus*

*Effectively inform students and staff about campus sustainability activities in which they can participate.*

Our Charges:

**CHARGE #1:** Establish a purpose and related goals and objectives for the Sustainability Committee.

**CHARGE #2:** Research effective practices of sustainability which are replicable at LMC.

**CHARGE #3**: Develop, implement and assess sustainability activities on campus, including but not limited to: a Recycling Program and Earth Day Activities.

**CHARGE #4:** Effectively inform students and staff about campus sustainability activities in which they can participate.

1 Review Goals Identified by Sustainability Committee Last Year – All

1. **Recycling Program** – Bruce has secured funding from the LMC Foundation. Russ to get official price quotes so these may be purchased. We need to decide how to distribute
2. **Computers Deep Freeze Software** –Russ talked to Mike Becker no change from last report. Still no change Kurt tells us that the software has bugs.
3. **Earth Day** – update from Janelle about contacting various groups to present ideas. Update from Kurt about ideas for demos from him and other staff.
4. **Construction Projects** – Moving along, Scheduled completions are getting close.

2 We have a new clothing recycling bin out in parking lot B.

3 Develop Plan for use of motion sensor power strips

 Update from Russ

4 Update on energy savings projects using the funds from the energy savings contest.

 I have a couple of price quotes. Now looking into Induction lighting.

5 LMC Sustainability Committee Website

 Still looking for more ideas. Photos are welcome

6 Report back from Janelle about Grant writing workshop that she attended.

 Carry over from last meeting.

7 Kurt and Russ working on car charging station.

8 Open discussion for all new business and comments.

9 Confirm next meeting date, time and location.

 Do we want to have it on 12-19-12 (last day before break) or hold off until January 16( first week of spring semester)