

HCC Ybor City Campus Planning Council Minutes

Friday October 22, 2010

In attendance: Dr. Emery Alford, David Liller, Chuck Holmes, Christina Acosta, Suzanne Crosby, Loretta (Rose) Ramsay.

Update on the Arts On Ninth building lease/acquisition:

Dr. Robinson has gone through the space and it is his opinion that due to the historic nature of the building and the amount of work and funds it would take to bring it up to code, the space is cost prohibitive and other options for additional dance space need to be investigated. In addition, there would be additional costs of maintaining a historic structure and our Master Plan specifies that we need to be considering non-historic structures to serve the needs of our program expansions.

Update on Renovations:

There will be a meeting next Friday from 8:30 – 10:30 that will take place in the first floor YLRC for campus input into the design of: YLRC 1st Floor, YFAC first floor, the expansion of the Career Center, The reconfiguration of the old Testing Center, and the possible expansion of the cafeteria out onto the Patio. The meeting will be run by Ben Marshall (Facilities Planning), David Cabecieras (Director of Facilities Planning and Construction), and Long and Associates (architect for the renovation project)

New Dance floor for HCC Collaborative Studio:

All the quotes are in. Everything needs to go for approval, and then the materials will be ordered. The installation will be handled in-house.

YBOR 303A conversion to an office:

Dr. Robinson has approved the conversion. Rose has a ticket in the work order system to have the counter removed and will update the work order with the new information.

Faculty Resource Center Planned for YADM 205:

Discussion was held regarding the planned use for the room and Dave Liller provided a concept drawing from FBI interiors. It was suggested that the faculty be polled as to what they would like to have included in the room, and Dr. Alford presented the idea that in addition to this room, perhaps we could convert YADM 203 back to being a part-time faculty work area (similar to the YADM building floor plans shown in the Master Plan document (the floor plan in this document is not as-built), except the open area shown in the floor plan in the hall would be closed and perhaps include a doorway to make it a closed room. YADM 202 could be utilized as either an office, a place for filing cabinets, or space to meet privately with a student, and somehow incorporate the reception area as well into that space for better utilization of the suite. It would depend upon whether or not that space has been designated to be reassigned for some other purpose. We could use the Resource Center as presentation space, interview space, webinar space, and the other area would be the brainstorming, working, planning space.

It should be noted that conversion of YADM 203 back to a part-time workspace could be accomplished with minimal cost, as the workstation tables and network infrastructure already exist.

If Dr. Robinson has no objections to utilizing the additional space for this purpose, the idea will be presented to the Learning Council for collaboration on the creation of the Faculty Resource Center.

The next meeting date will be Friday, November 19th, at 1:30 P.M. YADM 304 (Dr. Alford's conference room).

The meeting adjourned at 11:40 A.M.