



MEETING MINUTES

Project: Tarrant County College District Master Plan **No. of Attendees:** 21

Subject: Northwest – Students

Recorded By: Wendy Shabay and Bill Cotten

Date: 07-29-04

Location: Northwest Campus

Attendees: Jacob Spharler, Peggy Lile, Brandy Grimes, Marilu Reyes, Savy Vongphrachanah, Luong Quach, Lindsay Barrows, Jennifer Kira, Tiffany Gomas, Stacey Miller, Penny Miller, Susan O’Neal, Jeff Gagliano, Karry Broadway, Michelle Edwards, Stephen Welborn, Matthew Rice, Cynthia Gonzalez, Betty Mahnke, Crystal Marin, Elisa Rodriquez, Wendy Shabay, Bill Cotten

Comments:

Things students like about Northwest Campus:

- Like view of lake
- Like how its connected and can be sheltered from rain
- Cleanest, friendliest, nicest campus of all 4
- Buildings are confusing – hard to know what _____.
- Landscaping is nice, nice water features

NEEDS:

- Like the large white boards that can also _____.
- Like to have buildings covered so can go from class to class
- Larger desks and chairs
- Like tables with chairs instead of fixed desks
- Don’t like “No pull-through” parking
- Wish computer labs were open on weekend
- Like the media A/V fixed in rooms and need more of them
- Like outdoor places to sit
- Wish rooms were larger
- Need covered loading for H/C area
- Need better lighting in parking lot
- Plenty of restrooms but could be larger
- Access onto campus needs to be worked on
- Way finding – more and larger signs on buildings



- Locks and people that are locked in
- Need better signage in parking lots
- Hard for visitors to know where to park
- Need more kiosks and signage throughout
- Signs in the ground are confusing
- Need more entrances into campus
- More student-type food and a separate eating area
- Need lockers for students
- Emergency phones for parking lot
- Need stop signs at Northwest Parkway – people are speeding through and hard to exit
- Police speed too fast through campus
- Evacuation plan is not in place or not known
- Maintenance comes through campus too fast
- Front of entrance is dangerous for pedestrians
- Enjoy jogging trails and wish there were more
- HVAC system is very inadequate – either too hot or too cold
- Need to provide an attractive area for smokers – gazebo with fan
- Need more vending machines or snack bars
- Recycling
- Study lounge couches are terrible
- Need more study areas
- TV lounge loud, cafeteria loud – need quieter and more study areas. Most go to cafeteria, but cafeteria too loud.
- Library is good for individual but needs to have areas for group study that you can have drinks.
- Outdoor quiet study areas
- Like sectioned off in library for study and computer labs
- Glassed in conference or meeting rooms that students can use
- No true van H/C parking – need to address all ADA issues
- Enough parking, but not all distributed well
- Need H/C drop off and covered areas for H/C
- Need to find different colors for parking distribution.

The following reflects our understanding of the items discussed during the subject meeting. Please notify writer of any discrepancies within 10 days.
