

S&F Chair Glenn Gittings attending UPDC Monthly construction meeting on March 9<sup>th</sup> and April 13<sup>th</sup>.  
Next scheduled meeting May 11, 2021.

- Roof work and brick work on Residence Hall 1 and Cultural Center being completed as they closer to completion of the newest residence hall. Will soon start exterior site work cleanup. Beginning coordination meetings with Cultural Center and Housing to plan moving into the space. Still on time and will open for Fall 2021.
- Demolition of Threlkeld Hall is complete. Site preparation work has begun. Target completion date of Residence Hall 2 is July 2022.
- UofL in Phase 2 of a long-term multi-phase FAA noise mitigation project that impacts multiple buildings across the Belknap campus.

S&F Meeting: Met over Microsoft Teams on March 11, 2021. Members Present: Glenn Gittings, Dennis Thomas, Linda Leake, John Morgan, Korinne Quire. Next meeting scheduled for April 22, 2021

- Discussed the multi-project fencing overlap surrounding the multiple construction projects (Miller, Threlkeld, and steam tunnel concrete repair).
  - For the Spring semester and early summer, all three of these projects will be co-existing causing this large amount of fencing. These projects will phase out though sequentially and creating more access as they phase out
    - UPDATE: Steam tunnel repair has been completed and the fencing impeding the ramp area has been removed which provides a much better access to the area.
    - Residence Hall 1 replacing Miller should finish by July and would remove all the fencing on one side of the SAC ramp that connects near the West Plaza and Red Barn. Then the only remaining fencing is what surrounds the Threlkeld Hall project.
  - Discussed a question on Red lot return next to the Red Barn after Residence Hall 1 construction is complete. No definitive timeline in place yet.
- Informed committee of a proposed SGA Bike Garage project that would provide safe and covered storage for bicycles on campus.
- Committee commended physical plant grounds for cleaning up under the viaduct on Cardinal Blvd.
- Informed committee of new upgraded camera installed on exterior of SAC by ULPD to better observe the roundabout
- Informed the committee that Housing offers monthly tours of the Residence Hall 1 and encouraged everyone to attend the tour if interested.
- Question asked about any knowledge of plans for the old Taco Bell property and the strip mall property by the Ville Grill. No confirmed information was known.
- Encouraged everyone to keep eyes out as we all return to campus for things that S&F need to try to address for repair or improvement.
- Also encourage to think proactively on our role as S&F Committee on how we can continue to add value to the campus experience.

All meetings will have an option of utilizing Teams and all meetings will be recording to be able to send out to those that couldn't attend.

**Staff Senate Services & Facilities Committee Questions fielded from constituents and answers provided from Mark Watkins:**

- Pedestrian crosswalk area leading from CEHD/Alumni over to Manual HS there is some significant paver stone walkway pieces missing that has created a large pothole. I know that is part of a city street but wanted to at least see if it can be addressed. **Photo 415 attached. This**

pothole appears to be a slumping of the concrete adjacent to the paved sidewalk. Unfortunately, it is in the middle of eastbound Cardinal Boulevard, which is a City street. Greg Schetler also toured the area with Glenn Gittings and Glenn agreed that Greg should place a 311 request with The City and receive a request number to fill-in the pothole. (Greg/Donnie to follow up with City for completion ETA)

- The black paint on the letter stenciling for the brick campus entry in front of The Clubhouse and across from Denny's seems to have faded and may need to be touched up. Attached is photo 411. This monument sign does not appear to have ever been designed to have the carved portion of the letters painted. Other monument signs are more recently installed versions. Some of those do have painted black letters but in checking the sign at University & Arthur Street; the painted letters are flat and are not carved into the stone face. Physical Plant plan on cleaning and power wash the monument sign – April.
- Banners throughout campus are showing wear and age with definite fading and tearing. Is there an ability to update these? Attached is photo 419. It appears that in the past The Foundation purchased these types of banners and they were installed by PP. Apparently, the Foundation has not had funding to purchase new banners; recommendation UPDC to track the rotted and worn banners and report to PP on which ones to remove.
- The sidewalk areas bounded Natural Sciences and Grawemeyer seem to get overly flooded during rain periods which make them tough to traverse without getting soaked. Are there longer-term things that can work to alleviate this? Attached is photo 420. This area is a low-lying area and is prone to flooding in heavy rains. Last spring PP used an air knife on 36" centers and drilled vertical drains and then filled the holes with rock. It improved drainage from what it was before. However, to truly improve the ponding on the sidewalks in the area; they will need to be removed, raised, and re-poured. (UPDC/PP team to assess these sidewalks and provide replacement cost estimate – May)