

Meeting minutes of the Health and Safety Committee, 3 May, 2006

Members Present:

Beth Albertson
Neal Nelson
Marshall Robinson
Joe Pollock
Nicole Allen
Marty Beagle
Robyn Herring
Peter J. Pessiki (Peter, the spell checker wants to change your name to "Pessimism")
Matt Lebens
Ed Sorger

1. Ed Sorger, new Interim Director of Police Services, was introduced to the group.
2. The minutes of the April meeting were approved.
3. The accident report was reviewed and accepted without comment.
4. Campus Smoking Policy - Management changes were approved.
5. There was a question about aluminum cleats being applied to various concrete walls and structures - these are intended to reduce or prevent "grinding" by skateboarders, which damages the edges of the concrete. They are relatively costly to purchase and install, and are being installed at this time in critical areas. Similar techniques are being explored to protect handrails, which are subject to the same abuse.
6. A number of committee members went on a tour of the campus steam tunnels, with particular attention being paid to access/egress issues in the Lab Building area, where some proposed electronic lock implementations would likely impact the safety issue of being able to rapidly exiting the tunnels.

And I added Ed Sorger to the Committee DL, removing Kim Zangar.