

Staff Senate minutes: October 15, 2015

Noon, 2420 North End Center

Mr. Parrish called the meeting to order and gave an update from CSPA. The Commission has designated a committee to review a proposed campus dog policy, LeeAnn Ellis is chairing.

The Communication and Policies and Issues committees are seeking chairs. Contact Dan Cook if interested.

Richard McCoy spoke on the new remote parking pilot program. It's for employees in pay bands 1 or 2. 40-45 people expressed an interest in the program and 42 signed up. They park in the Chicken Hill lot and take the CRC bus route to other parts of campus. The program will be reviewed at the end of the year. They are looking at establishing an earlier bus route (for those who start work earlier than the current 6:45am) and opening the program to pay band 3.

Steve Mouras spoke on preparations for a new parking and transportation master plan. The last one was put out 10 years ago. He is now presenting to eight stakeholder groups (including staff today). Details about the process and proposed plan are available on their [website](#). They've also released a Virginia Tech Moves app for iOS and Android where pedestrians and bicyclists can map their routes and note trouble spots.

The September minutes were distributed and approved on a voice vote.

Respectfully submitted,

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