Aesthetics Committee Meeting  
Friday, April 11, 2014  
Palanakila 117 at 11:30 am  

Present:  
Lillian Cunningham, Mariko Kershaw, Donita Garcia, Roy Fujimoto, Ryan Koo, Deacon Hanson, Toni Martin, Bonnie Beaston, Carol Cunha and Paul Nash.  

Agenda,  
1. Approve March Minutes and new member.  
2. Wooden Stairs/Railings  
3. Entry Sign to College  
4. Trees  
5. Beautification day  
6. New Business  

1. Minutes: Ryan Koo, motioned to approve, Toni Martin, seconded, minutes passed for March.  
New member Carol-English Lecturer has been approved for voting rights.  

2. Wooden Stair Structure: Outside of Palanakila there are wooden steps that leads to the Science Building has become a safety issue that needs to be addressed and passed on to Kevin Ishida and Rick Murray. Aesthetics Committee is recommending that the wooden stair structure be taken down and or a permanent staircase be created.  

3. Entry sign is embarrassing because it is very dirty. Paul will set up another meeting with Kevin Ishida about the cleaning of the entry sign to the college. The cleaning solution that Bonnie has been experimenting with Wet & Clean is working very well for controlling the mold. Information will be passed on to Kevin Ishida.  

4. Trees: Bonnie asked about the health of our banyan trees. She would like an official report about all the longevity of the banyans on campus. She suggests Kevin Eckert as a tree expert who could survey our banyan trees. There is also the issue of systematic replanting of new trees to replace old trees that must be removed. Paul will talk to Doug and Kevin about all the trees on campus.
5. Beatification Day: Bonnie is working on the idea of a volunteer day to include painting, pulling weeds, gardening, removing mildew etc. Paul will meet with Doug and Kevin about the idea. Student Council might also cooperate in this.

6. New Business: Campus needs more ground maintenance workers & janitorial workers. Paul will talk to Kevin Ishida and see what his needs are.

Patients from the State Hospital are hanging out at the back of the campus, making for an uncomfortable environment for students, staff, and faculty. Doug is working on borderlines between the State Hospital and the campus. Paul recommended that the Student Council meet with legislators about changing the rules so that a secure fence could be put between the hospital and the campus. Paul will check with Doug about when the next meeting with KYA is on the issues with the State Hospital and college safety.

Next meeting: May 8th 10:00 AM Thursday, Palanakila 117

Recorded by Donita Garcia and Lillian Cunningham
Aesthetics Chair, Paul Nash