



## UO Safety Advisory Committee

Meeting Date: 12/15/22

Attendees:

Ruby Thompson		Theodora Ko Thompson	Laurie Graham
Steve Stuckmeyer		Brittany Jayne	Debra McLaughlin
Justin Zunker		Julie Quelch	Cody Weaver
Michael Philley		Farrah Meade	Tina Davidson

### INJURY REPORT

- Theodora asked for clarification on incident # 2. Steve explained that the mouse racks were being moved around toward the end of a truck in Klamath Hall loading dock area when the injury occurred.

### REVIEW MINUTES

- The November meeting minutes were reviewed and approved by the committee.

### OLD BUSINESS

#### Review

- E-bike & E-scooter parking and charging on campus**
- Space Heaters**
  - ACTION ITEM: Haily will provide follow up on heating blankets.
- Night Safety Walk, November 9<sup>th</sup> 530-7pm**
  - <https://map.uoregon.edu/night-safety>
  - There was mention of having the safety walk occur later in day, when it is much darker outside (i.e.11pm). Would people attend at that hour?
- Reviewed Safety Training Schedule and Safety Sheets**
  - December Safety Training (In Person/Instructor Lead):
    - Preventing Slips, Trips, and Falls – 2 sessions available
    - Wednesday, December 14<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 am – 10:00 am or Wednesday, December 21<sup>st</sup>, 9:00 am – 10:00 am, 1715 Franklin Building, EOC, Rm 271, Instructor: Haily Griffith
    - Sign up [HERE](#) for either session!
  - December Safety Sheets (Department Lead):
    - Week 1: [Shoveling](#)
    - Week 2: [Severe Weather \(English\)](#) | [Severe Weather \(Spanish\)](#)
    - Week 3: [Cold Stress](#)
    - Week 4: [Slips/Trips/Falls \(English\)](#) | [Slips/Trips/Falls \(Spanish\)](#)



### Update on carpet cleaning hose incident

- There were previous questions about the carpet cleaning hose. Steve provided an update and confirmed that the mechanism of using the hose on the outside is necessary. However, there is a way to minimize risk with retaining straps that bridge connection points on the hose.
- ACTION ITEM: Ruby will follow up with Haily to look at other equipment as an alternative.

### NEW BUSINESS

#### Welcome Justin Junker, Occupational Safety Officer.

- Justin put his email in the chat in case anyone has any question for him, [izunker@uoregon.edu](mailto:izunker@uoregon.edu)

#### EHS will have a new Occupational Health and Safety Specialist

- They will start Jan 4<sup>th</sup>- more news to come!

#### Cones in trees

- Justin noticed cones in trees on E. Villard and 15<sup>th</sup>.
- Ruby- in this case take pictures and send to Work Control.

#### Knight Campus Bike Map

- Potential issue with traffic and cars seeing bikes, please beware as you are driving through this area.
- West side tree median will be construction boundary, with narrowing down to two lanes for median removal.
- Ruby noted some lights out along the path some of the path, and very dark under the bridge near Millrace Parking Garage. There is a work ticket in place and a request in with the city.
- Apartment construction along path will wrap up in the spring as well.

#### Bike Safety on 13<sup>th</sup> street

- Debra mentioned a potential hazard on 13th street turning toward town, by Duck Store; Stop sign tucked behind another object, making the sign too difficult to see.
- Ruby will follow up to see if we could make this sign more visible.

**Next Meeting: January 19, 2023, 9:00-10:00 a.m.**