



**CENTRAL**

**Facilities Planning Committee  
January 9, 2025  
Via Teams**

**Attendees:** Sal Cintonino, Chief Operations Officer  
Dr. Kellie Byrd Danso, Vice President of Student Affairs  
Dr. George Claffey, Chief Information Officer  
J. Dahn, Provost Office  
James Grupp, Director of Facilities Management  
Hank Altman, University Architect  
Dr. Kim Kostelis, Provost  
Sarah Petras, UPBC  
Dr. Stephen Adair, Faculty Senate  
Lisa Bucher, Chief Budget & Planning Officer  
Stacey Votto, University Counsel

**Library Annex/Media Center**

- Updated work to rectify electrical capacity issues in the Annex
- Media Center contract at AG's office, some refresh work to take place over Spring Break, remainder Summer 25
- Learning Commons
  - Creation of Proscenium (H2O Media) space will require a tremendous amount of support
  - Increased presence of Help Desk and On Site in this area (relocation at start of semester or just after)
  - Adjacency to ITDRC
  - Centralized support to different areas on campus
- Consultant investigation in Library to determine source of leaks in windows/parapet

**Maria Sanford 314**

- Computer Science request for student collaborative space/use as classroom. Furniture can be repurposed from Bassett Hall, however minor construction needed.

**Copernicus Hall**

- Work in 416 scheduled for summer, determine next set of labs for renovation
- CHRS wing expansion, potentially outer ring (Nursing in this area already)
- Health Education Clinic phase II-health simulation, assessment and meeting space

**Memorial Hall**

- Project underway, infrastructure updates (lighting, HVAC, grease traps, etc) to improve student dining experience

**Willard DiLoreto Lobby**

- Structural settling going on, evaluation by consultant to determine cause and potential repairs

**Ed Advance**

- Continued work on working with this group to create higher education path for their students

**Carroll Hall**

- Phase II Drop In Center-create experiential learning opportunities/small group instruction/multipurpose room (typically not found in pre school spaces)

**Bichum Lab**

- Working with legislature on funding for Forensics space
- Flume has been relocated to Copernicus Hall

**Other**

- Lock upgrades multiyear project to replace locks no longer supported
- KCATF event end Jan/Feb
- Geography/Anthropology departments will be merged and combined into one suite. Economics will be moving into Anthropology space

Respectfully Submitted

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