



# The College of New Jersey

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Date: 8 April 2008  
Time: 3:00 p.m. — 4:30 p.m.  
Location: Administrative Services Building, Room 203

<u>Meeting Minutes</u>	
1. Minutes from February 26, 2008 and Retreat Minutes were reviewed.	M. Horst
2. Additions to Committee – discussion ensued and it was decided that the committee need not add members, but to encourage additional members to sub-committees, etc. The committee’s purpose and obligation is to guide, advise, and direct the sub-committees with projects and endeavors that fulfill the requirements of the original commitment.	C. Heuring
3. Updates— a. Accepted Students Day presentation—it was reported that turnout was poor. Families seemed to concentrate on academic, financial and question/answer sessions. A suggestion to include this presentation into the days activities next year was to use a more central area like the Student Center for the presentation. It was also suggested that the presentation be included in Student Achievement Day activities and to incorporate the Green House Inventory in it.	A. Mathe
b. Responses to Global Warming Forum (Bill Ball)—Everyone was encouraged to attend the forum and reminded that all must register. Tuesday, April 29, 2008, 6:00pm .	N. Stern
c. Earth Day—Due to the time constraints leading to Earth Day, the sub-committee shared that this year the committee would concentrate on raising awareness that day. There will be 2 full page ads in the Signal funded by the PCCC in support of this project.	C. Perry

<p>4. Other—</p> <p>a. Alternative Tangible Action- It was decided that the third initiative the committee will commit to will be travel offsets. C. Elderkin will share data at a future meeting.</p> <p>b. Dinner at B. Paul’s house—Approximately fourteen people were invited to dinner to discuss climate concerns and to gauge real interest of those in becoming involved in efforts on campus. M. Horst will share names of people who attended the dinner for future contact.</p> <p>c. Open Issues—</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Energy Star Purchases-standard language has been developed and waiting for approval to be placed in all contracts.</li> <li>2. Climate Neutrality Plan RFP – plan is in the draft stage and being reviewed.</li> <li>3. Sustainability in Curriculum—template is in the process of being created for an online tutorial.</li> <li>4. Dump and Run Program—signage will be created reflecting “how, what and where” information.</li> <li>5. Recycling Campaign—Trayless Tuesday is being tried to promote less food/water waste. Facts are being posted around campus.</li> </ol>	All
<p>5. Next Meeting—April 22, 2008 ASB 203 3:00pm</p>	