Agenda, October 22, 2012
Sustainability Working Group

Meeting 3:30 AM – 4:30 PM in the Apple River Room

Introductions (if needed)

Approve Previous Minutes

ZimRide Update- Student Senate Consideration on November 13 & Student Interest

Questions

UWRF is contemplating whether to invest in a software based carpooling system, Zimride. Zimride is currently being used on eight other UW system campuses. This system would restrict use/ access to UWRF students and staff. There is no cost to join the program. Those looking for riders would post their trips online. Those seeking a ride could post their request online or view the “riders wanted” page. The program would calculate the cost for all trips and financial transactions would be conducted electronically through the software program. All fees for trips taken (if any) go directly to the drivers. Please answer the following questions to help us gauge interest in this program here at UWRF.

1) How interested are you in utilizing Zimride for frequent commuting to/ from campus?
2) How interested are you in utilizing Zimride for commuting to/ from campus on weekends?
3) How interested are you in utilizing Zimride for commuting to/ from campus for recreational or sports destinations?
4) Would you be more likely to use Zimride over a map/ paper based system?

Suggest a 5 point Likert-type scale. 1 no interest – 5 definite interest.

Campus Sustainability Day: October 24, 2012

“FRESH” Film Public Viewing – November 5 – co-sponsored by SALSA & SCISCD

Future Farm Tour:

Student Satisfaction Survey – Residence Life: SWG recommendations for content

Faculty Fellows Update: (Mary, Claire, Dean or Charlie)
Office of Sustainability: Concept Proposal

Strategic Plan Initiatives: Any sustainability–based proposals for next year’s budget

Other Items: (Sustainability Incubator Initiative & Sustainable Community Development Masters)