## 3354:1-20-08.1 Sustainability procedure.

- (A) The executive vice president of finance and business services is responsible for establishing, communicating, and overseeing the development, maintenance, and implementation of sustainable practices within the College's operations.
- (B) The executive vice president for academic and student affairs is responsible for establishing, communicating, and overseeing the development, maintenance, and implementation of sustainable practices within the College's teaching and learning environment.
- (C) A sustainability steering committee will be established to implement sustainability activities at the College. A college-wide sustainability advisory committee will also be chartered to formulate ideas and recommend new directions to the sustainability steering committee.
- (D) The College will develop and maintain a sustainability plan that will detail future sustainable goals and actions, including but not limited to:
  - (1) Promoting the purchase of "energy star" certified products whenever possible.
  - (2) Looking for ways to improve operational and maintenance efficiencies.
  - (3) Providing the appropriate recycling containers so that all faculty, staff and students can recycle all appropriate materials.
  - (4) Incorporating the use of renewable energy sources whenever possible.
  - (5) Promoting the purchasing of environmentally friendly goods and services, including paper with recycled content.
  - (6) Working toward obtaining the U.S. Green Building Council's LEED standards for new construction and as a basis for renovations.

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- (E) The sustainability steering committee shall perform annual assessment of the sustainability plan and the College's progress towards its stated goals and actions.
- (F) The president or the president's designee is hereby directed to take all steps necessary and appropriate for the effective implementation of this procedure.

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