

STUDENT SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE

Funding Award and Acceptance Letter

May 11, 2015

Project Leaders: Tony Herhold

Project: Allerton Park Compost Toilet

Dear Mr. Herhold:

On behalf of the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign Student Sustainability Committee (SSC), I would like to thank you for considering the funds raised by the Sustainable Campus Environment Fee to implement a project that improves the sustainability of our campus. SSC is pleased to inform you that we are recommending to the Institute for Sustainability, Energy, and Environment (iSEE) that the Allerton Park Compost Toilet project receives \$15,000.00 in grant funding.

In order to remain eligible for this award, you must agree to the following conditions:

- 1. A final report of all work completed should be provided to the SSC Program Advisor by May 2, 2017.
- 2. Project status updates and detailed account statements must be provided at the end of each semester until the project is completed.
- 3. Any substantial modifications to project scope, budget, or timeline must first be approved by SSC. These requests must be submitted in a formal letter to the Chair and Program Advisor.
- 4. All projects will be expected to follow campus policies and procedures as well as any applicable State and Federal laws.
- 5. SSC reserves the right to revoke funding if the project does not comply with the terms and conditions outlined in this letter.
- 6. Any signage involving the project or events surrounding this project should include SSC's logo and/or a statement of which fee funded the project.
- 7. Any press releases or educational/promotional materials involving the project should acknowledge SSC funding. Projects must communicate with the SSC's External Vice Chair to come up with appropriate marketing for the project.
- 8. Projects must participate in the Campus Sustainability Symposium at least once before June 30, 2018.

If you agree to the terms and conditions for the funding, please sign on the designated line at the bottom of this letter. If you have any questions regarding these requirements please contact the Chair, Amy Liu, at amy.linqin.liu@gmail.com or the SSC Program Advisor, Micah Kenfield, at kenfield@illinois.edu. You will be notified when the Institute for Sustainability, Energy, and Environment officially approves this project. Again, thank you for your interest in improving the sustainability of the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. We look forward to working with you in the future.



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Project Information

Project: Allerton Park Compost Toilet

Funding Source: Sustainable Campus Environment Fee

Funding Amount: \$15,000

Award Code: 1-303692-XXXXXXX-XXXXXX

Receiving Campus Unit: Allerton Park and Retreat Center

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Project Description:

In keeping with recent sustainability projects currently underway, Allerton Park would like to install a Clivus Multrum compost toilet system at the park's Schroth Trailhead, providing park volunteers, trail-hikers and other visitors the ability to use the restroom in an environmentally sustainable and convenient manner without needing to travel all the way to the Visitor Center to do so. Allerton would like to install permanent restroom facilities at the Schroth trailhead, replacing the need to rent portable restrooms for every outdoor event or volunteer day. The addition of the Clivus Multrum compost toilet will provide Allerton with a much-needed restroom facility located at the Schroth Trailhead while at the same time providing University of Illinois students and members of the general public the opportunity to learn about the technology available that can help society manage waste sustainably. Additionally, the compost created by the compost toilet may be used directly on park grounds or integrated into the compost system at the Diversified Farm at the park's northeast edge, augmenting the quality of the present compost system.