**iCAP Team Recommendation**

Name of iCAP Team: Transportation

iCAP Team chair(s): Lindsay Braun, Eleftheria Kontou

Date submitted to iWG:

Recommendation title: Electric Vehicle Task Force Members Recommendation

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*For internal use only*: Date reviewed by iCAP Working Group:

**Specific actions/policy recommendation**:

We recommend a list of potential members to be considered to participate in the EV Task Force. We suggest Parking to review the list that the Transportation iCAP Team compiled and recommend members as they see fit.

**Suggested unit/department to address implementation**: Parking

Rationale for recommendation: The EV Task Force is expected to be a continuation of the EV Charging Task Force that was formed to “recommend steps that the university should take to make charging available to commuters.”[[1]](#footnote-1) The EV Task Force is expected to be composed by students, staff, faculty members, and community members. The role of this task force is to provide recommendations on electric vehicle issues on campus, particularly associated with EV transitions, charging availability and pricing, fleet sustainability, and campus commuting.

**Connection to iCAP goals**: The proposed project will directly address the 3.3 iCAP objective to “establish an electric vehicle task force to identify key goals for supporting the use of electric vehicles on and off campus by FY22.” The EV Task Force can be a source of feedback and recommendations for actions that will prepare the university and parking for the EV transition including the charging infrastructure deployment and its management that electrification requires.

**Perceived challenges**: Identifying members from all campus groups (students, staff, faculty, community) might be a challenge and solicitation of interest through an open call might help achieve the much-needed diversity of the EV Task Force.

**Anticipated timeline of implementation**: Spring 2022

**Anticipated budget (identify if cost is up-front or continuous)**: n.a.

**List of Members:**

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| Name | Student/Staff/Faculty/Community | Title/Description | Contact information | Member of Previous Task Force? (Bold Choice) |
| Morgan White | Staff | Associate Director of F&S, Sustainability | mbwhite@illinois.edu | **Y** | N | ? |
| Stacey DeLorenzo | Staff | Transportation Demand Management Coordinator | sdeloren@illinois.edu | Y | **N** | ? |
| Peter Varney | Staff | Transportation & Automotive Services | pvarney@illinois.edu | **Y** | N | ? |
| George Gross  | Faculty | Professor in Electrical & Computer Engineering | gross@illinois.edu | **Y** | N | ? |
| Phillip Krein | Faculty | Professor in Electrical & Computer Engineering | krein@illinois.edu | **Y** | N | ? |
| John Abelson | Faculty | Professor in Materials Science & Engineering | Abelson@illinois.edu | **Y** | N | ? |
| Ty Newell | Faculty | Professor in Mechanical Sciences & Engineering | tynewell@illinois.edu | **Y** | N | ? |
| Klara Nahrstedt | Faculty | Professor in Computer Science | klara@illinois.edu | **Y** | N | ? |
| Cheri Soliday | Staff | Research Park Outreach Coordinator | Csoliday@illinois.edu | **Y** | N | ? |
| Jenny Applequist | Staff | Coordinated Science Laboratory Senior Technical Research Writer | japplequ@illinois.edu | **Y** | N | ? |
| Sarthak Prasad | Staff | Sustainable Transportation Assistant | Sprasad9@illinois.edu | Y | **N** | ? |
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| Emily Hutchinson | Student | Illinois Student Government Transportation representative; CTAC representative | eahutch2@illinois.edu | Y | N | **?** |
| Paul Slezak | Staff | University Parking Department | pslezak@illinois.edu | Y | N | ? |
| Brett Stillwell | Staff | Senior Associate Athletics Director, Capital Projects | Facilities at DIA | bstillwe@illinois.edu | Y | N | **?** |
| Matt Brown | Staff | Director of Facilities, Housing | mmbrown8@illinois.edu | Y | N | ? |
| Lori Holmes | Staff | Illini Union | lholmes@illinois.edu | Y | N | ? |
| Colton Johnson | Student | Urban Planning Major, Member of Student Planning Organization | Coltonj2@illinois.edu | Y | **N** | ? |
| Kris Koester | Champaign Staff | City of Champaign Communications | Kris.koester@ci.champaign.il.us | Y | N | ? |
| Briana Barr | Student | CTAC representative; Urban Planning student | bjbarr2@illinois.edu | Y | N | ? |
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| Marcus Benoff | Student | CTAC representative | mbenoff2@illinois.edu | Y | N | ? |
| Halie Collins | Student | CTAC representative; Sustainability Intern at F&S | haliejc2@illinois.edu | Y | N | ? |

Individual comments are required from each iCAP Team member (one or two sentences):

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| Team Member Name | Team Member’s Comments |
| Sarthak Prasad | I support this recommendation.  |
| Allison Hefner | I Support this recommendation. |
| Yanfend Ouyang | I will be glad to serve on the EV task force again, I previously served in 2018 as well. |
| Yasmin Ofiana | I support the EV task Force Members Recommendation |
| Pranjali Shah | I support this recommendation |
| Gus Lackner | This looks great |
| Iris Dai | I support the Electric Vehicle Task Force Members Recommendation |
| Lindsay Braun | I have reviewed this recommendation and I support it. |
| Eleftheria Kontou | I Support the EV task force recommendation |

Further explanation and background (can be supplied in an attachment):

Comments from consultation group (if any; these can be anonymous):

1. <https://bit.ly/2Xl98Uf> [↑](#footnote-ref-1)