

iWG Assessment

SWATeam Recommendation Ref #: PWR003

Date of iWG Assessment: 05/04/2015

Original SWATeam Recommendation:

We recommend that campus buildings add adequate recycling stations and make efforts to avoid having isolated landfill bins.

iWG Assessment of budget and policy impacts (*check one*):

☒ moderate budget and/or policy impact OR ☐ major budget and/or policy implications

iWG Routing Need (*check one*):

☐ more detailed study OR ☒ transmit recommendation OR ☐ forward to Sustainability Council

iWG Routing Direction (*department name, SWATeam, or Council*): Facilities & Services

iWG Recommendation:

The iWG endorses this recommendation, but notes that recycling bins in some buildings are not controlled by F&S; we request that F&S compile a list of other entities on campus to whom this recommendation should also be transmitted.

Individual comments are required from each iWG member (can be brief, if member fully agrees):

iWG Member Name	iWG Member's Comments
Ben McCall (iSEE)	I agree with this recommendation.
Morgan Johnston (F&S)	Agreed.
Lowa Mwilambwe (Student Affairs)	Agree. This will increase recycling efforts around campus.
Matthew Tomaszewski (Provost's Office)	Agree.
Nancy O'Brien (Academic Senate)	Generally agree but note that bins of any type in certain locations are problematic due to pest management and related issues. Exposure to special materials in libraries, museums, and archives from waste in bins can cause damage. Bins in those locations should be restricted to defined, public areas.
Drew O'Bryan (Student Sustainability Leadership Council)	This is an important step in creating a culture of waste reduction on campus.
Kevin Duff (OBFS)	Agree.

Rob Fritz (college-level facility manager)	[Concurred, but unable to offer detailed comments.]
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Attach any comments from subject matter experts (with names and roles).