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Respondent

27 David Eby



1. Date of this semester progress report submission *

15 May 2025

2. Name of project exactly as it was listed in your award letter *

Native American House (NAH) Water Dispenser

3. Date of original award letter *

November 4, 2024

4. Date of expiration listed on award letter (or on scope change approval if more recent) *

11/4/2026

5. How much was your award (i.e., original award plus any approved budget increases)? *

\$6,296.50

6. How much of your award has been spent to date (in dollars)? *

\$5,236.03

7. Date of forecasted project completion *

September 2025

8. Have you submitted one or more semester progress reports previously? *

YES

NO

9. Describe, in detail, what has been completed on the project since the last semester progress report (or since the project commenced if you have not yet submitted a semester progress report)? *

Per the last progress report, NAH purchased and installed the Brio 4-filter RO Water Dispenser through iBuy, with Facilities & Services (F+S) successfully completing water line installation and setup. New for this progress report: NAH received and applied SSC-branded sticker to the water dispenser. I designed, ordered, and received 50 custom-branded NAH bento boxes with utensils and 50 reusable water bottles and added the SSC logo stickers to them. NAH distributed the bento boxes and water bottles to student attendees at our Dinner On Us programming.

10. Describe, in detail, the project's challenges/obstacles since your last semester progress report (or since the project commenced if you have not yet submitted a semester progress report)? *

The main challenge since the last semester progress report has been a delay in completing the final stages of the project. These final stages being the ordering of the one-year replacement filter kit and submission of the final report. This delay is primarily due to my limited capacity as a full-time student managing multiple academic and work responsibilities during the Spring 2025 semester. It is most definitely not ideal and I will get it completed within the fist couple of months of the next school academic year.

11. Describe, in detail, the project's successes since your last semester progress report (or since the project commenced if you have not yet submitted a semester progress report)? *

Since the last progress report, the project has been a success in several ways: The water dispenser is being used regularly by students and staff, and I have witnessed people using the reusable water bottles that we handed out. I have also seen students bringing their NAH-branded bento boxes to events, especially to take home leftover food after our community meals. I would like to think our project has encouraged people to think about reusable options in a practical, ongoing way. I think the project has been visible, well-received, and is making a positive impact in our community through more sustainable habit forms.

12. Did your project have any changes to its team that SSC should know about (e.g., project lead, faculty/staff advisor, departmental financial contact)? *

NOTE: If yes, please complete the SSC Project Contact Information Change Form located at this link: <u>https://forms.office.com/r/uBjx9nmNpG</u>

- O YES
- NO
- 13. Complete and upload the semester financial documentation for your project. You should reflect all expenditures since your last semester project report. We strongly suggest that you also upload supporting financial documentation from Banner for your award CFOP. NOTE: When your project is completed and/or expired (whichever comes first), any remaining project funds will be transferred back to the SSC.

https://studentengagement.illinois.edu/sites/default/files/2024-09/SSC-Budget-Timeline-SEMESTER-PROGRESS-REPORT-template.xlsx

- Copy of SSC-Budget-Timeline-SEMESTER-PROGRESS David Eby.xlsx
- Water Refilling Station Expenses David Eby.xlsx
- 14. (OPTIONAL FOR SEMESTER REPORT) Upload project marketing and/or media not previously submitted in semester progress reports.

NOTE: Project marketing and/or media must include SSC's logo and/or a statement of which fee(s) funded the project.