Minutes from February 22, 2012

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Ions Talamas
Electric Charging Stations
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CPS energy wants to install electric vehicle charging stations with a voltage of 120.
Re-emburse for the electricity that is used.
Paint the spaces green which will indicate the charging zone.
Use credit card to buy energy for the car.
Or have a flat fee (optional for the university to set standard cost).
Reason to have them? He believes in sustainability, but how many hybrid plus cars are in town let alone owned by students.
240 volts would be free.
The more the voltage, the higher the cost.
Texas State does not have solar bank for panels.
He had no factual evidence of the amount of money the university could gain from this.
Cheesy video etc. Etc. Etc.
Tours by buildings, $150 per hour, for 3 hours, by 2 persons.
Can a department sponsor Dr. Fulton?

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Take Back The Tap

VP of water aid (Nathan)
Re-usable water bottles
World water week
Reduce un-reusable water bottles
ESC plus Water Aid logo
March 22nd is the event
Cost $5 per bottle, asking for about 1500 bottles
Freight cost of $533
Total cost of $8033
May have some bottle left over from last year.

6:00

CoCola bins

No receptive to our recycling needs.
Choose between 6 different designs.
Can go with No logo.
How could we capture more recycling?
Lack of bins and people.
13 yr old contracts with CoCola has hurt our composting/recycling operation more then it has helped.
Can't get compostable cups because of old contracts.

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