

**Environmental Health & Safety Committee Minutes
October 15, 2014 - Walker Library**

Members Present: Doug Brinsko, Shelia Knight, Henrique Momm, Kara Hooper, Barbara Draude, Ron Malone, Charlie Gregory, Gerald Caudill, Fatima Adeyemo, Andy Bickers, Brian Holley, Barry Roggenkamp, Jeff Farrar, Ben Jones

Members Absent: Jack Ross, Jimmy Hart, Philip Gilmore, Watson Harris, Kathy Musselman, Carol Boraiko, Buddy Peaster, Sophia Britt-Wessels

Minors on Campus – Departments that allow minors on campus have specific paperwork to process before allowing minors on campus. Background checks are done for any one working with minors in sport camps, swimming lessons, rec camps etc.

Workman Comp. – As of September 1, 2014, the universities workman compensations provider is CorVel. If the injury isn't an emergency, the employee and supervisor will call a number to talk with a registered nurse who will evaluate the nature of the injury and determine immediate care or treatment options. The state is in the process of working on a return to work program.

Waste Removal/Davis Sci. & Wisser Patten – All the hazardous waste chemicals have been safely removed from Davis Science and Wisser Patten. This amount of waste has put the University in the large quantity generator category. If departments have hazardous chemicals, paint etc. that needs to be removed, contact Doug and he will arrange for this removal at the departments expense.

Environmental/Stormwater Events –

- Stones River Watershed Event is scheduled October 20th at 5:30p.m. in the Patterson Park Community Center cafeteria located at 521 Mercury Blvd. in Murfreesboro.
- The TNSA Conference was held in Sept. at the Henry Horton State Park. Meeting and networking with other groups was very productive and informative.
- The Stormwater Team participated in the Autumn in the Oaks event at the Oaklands Oct. 1 and 2. This was a field day with historic hands on crafts, games, and environmental education for the school children in the area.
- A campus clean up event is planned for Oct. 27 & 28.

Radiation Safety Update – The lab audits have begun. Dr. Altman has to have his equipment ready before ordering items for the radiation lab. The next Radiation Safety Committee Meeting will be in December.

Next meeting will be November 19, 2014 from 1:30– 2:30p.m. in the Walker Library, Room 475.