**Check-In on Biodiversity Plan**

**Thursday, July 15, 2021**

**Attendees: Lisa Merrifield, Meredith Moore, Morgan White, Avery Maloto**

* Urban Biodiversity
  + Literature Review
  + Plans
    - Narrative
    - Table
  + Urban planning capstone project – Won’t know until September
    - Fall & Spring semester project
    - Even if we don’t get a student, it will be good. Lisa would take on the project.
* First Resilience Team Meeting
  + Can tell what happened this summer and information we’ve collected
  + Student collecting information on interesting urban biodiversity plants
    - For ideas & models
* As far as maintaining and keeping up the iCAP Portal
  + Access to give and put in access yourself (as in Lisa)
  + Grad student – weekly or biweekly update
  + EX: Bike Center, Zero Waste
  + Copy & Paste email as project updates – Meredith
* Staff Person to help with Resilience objectives
  + Proposing Stacy Gloss
  + Agreement with her department to let her work on the Resilience objectives temporarily
  + Morgan – Does Lisa want help with this objective? (We expect it is not needed for this one.)
  + Lisa – Doesn't feel like she needs an additional person to help with the biodiversity plan
* Traction with Extension support
  + When they get to the point where they need copy editors, etc. Lisa thinks Extension does not has the resources to handle that aspect of the plan development.
  + Infographics
  + Suggestions: Communications Team (Q Magazine)
* Resilient Landscape Strategy
  + 5 Key Strategies
    - Campus landscape master plan (cost ~$300,000)
      * Year-long, finalizing contract now
    - Rainwater management,
    - Grounds management, etc.
* SWATeam Meetings
  + Early September for first meeting, not late August