**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