Campus Security and Climate Survey
Brief to President’s Council
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Campus Security - Concerns and Actions Taken

• Concerns
  • Physical Security
  • Verbal Security
  • Unease

• Actions
  • Infrastructure investments: lights, cameras, SafeRide, Body Cams
  • Integrated vigilance: daily local/state/federal partner info sharing
  • Increased presence: ISUPD, Ames PD, Story Co, MLO's, CSO's
  • Increased public awareness: news articles, one v ones, hate crime awareness classes, Coffee with a Cop
Campus Security – Next Steps

- Infrastructure Improvements: Hire permanent COP and Mandarin speaking officer, expand SafeRide, improve ISUAlert, more lighting (CofD)

- Expand Engagement: More informal classes, open forums, coffee-type engagements, ISUPD Advisory Board, formal affinity-group periodic meetings

- Seeing input from Campus for other improvements.
Campus Climate Survey – ISU Strategic Plan

• Goal 4:
  • Continue to enhance and cultivate the ISU Experience where faculty, staff, students and visitors are safe and feel welcomed, supported, included and valued by the university and each other.

• Subgoal 4.1:
  • Develop and implement a comprehensive campus climate assessment system to regularly evaluate the climate at Iowa State University as experienced by all. Regularly evaluate, disseminate, and publicly report this data.
Campus Climate Survey - Process

✔  • Establish Goal 4 Implementation Team and Climate Survey WG (~ 15 members – Oct/Nov 2016)

✔ □  • Select consultant via competitive process (Sep-Nov 2016)
  • Conduct consultant-stakeholder on-campus meeting / shape

  Assessment scope and focus (Winter/Spring 2017)
  • Develop Assessment Tool, Comm Plan (Summer 2017)
  • Administer survey, analyze data (Fall / Winter 2017)
  • Receive report, conduct targeted focus groups (Spring 2018)
  • Develop action oriented initiatives (Summer 2018)
  • Reassess and conduct continual improvement (ongoing)
Campus Climate Survey – Status and Next Steps

- Formed Team
  - Workgroup 15 members
  - Represent (both shared governance entities and individuals who have expressed an interest in serving on the project)
  - Rigorous time commitment

- Consultant will make first visit to campus February 21-22 (tentative)