### **ASU Staff Sustainability Committee Meeting Minutes**

**January 7, 2020** 

Location/Time: MU L1-33 Hohokam 12:00 - 1:00 p.m.

#### Introductions/New Ideas:

- The <u>2019/2020 Ideas document</u> is open feel free to contribute any project ideas you have
  - Solar panel cleaning
  - o Armark Zero Waste
  - More Volunteering Blue Bags, POWWOW,
  - Workshop/seminar, aquaponics, home composting, home gardening, Home Depot/Lowes
  - Do's/Don't recycling at home/work
- Looking for more sub-committee participation and new ideas!
- Sustainability Committee website: https://staffcouncil.asu.edu/committees/sustainability

## **Subcommittee Updates:**

• Save Paper @ ASU!

<u>Intention of the Subcommittee:</u> To develop a list of Sustainability Options for the on-campus magazines and printed publications.

- Next meeting end of January
- Contact Sheyenne to join

#### Sustainable Purchasing Toolkit

<u>Intention of the Subcommittee:</u> We are working to create a user-friendly Sustainable Purchasing Toolkit. The goal is to make the <u>Sustainable Purchasing Guidelines</u> usable by everyone at ASU

Update: BF COM has accepted the two flowchart drafts. They will create two flowcharts with some tips and tricks for purchasing sustainably at ASU (with ease)! As of now, they will be available via PDF to share, and will be posted on the ASU Procurement and Sustainability websites. This project is finally coming to an end and we are so excited.

# Contact Emmery to join

#### Round Table

- o Earth Day 2020: The Big 50
  - Ways to contribute/celebrate
  - Put on our own event/LunchNLearn
- o Committee group photo
- o Grants for Sustainable projects
  - https://ihr.asu.edu/seedgrants

The next Sustainability Committee meeting is scheduled for February 6th at noon.