



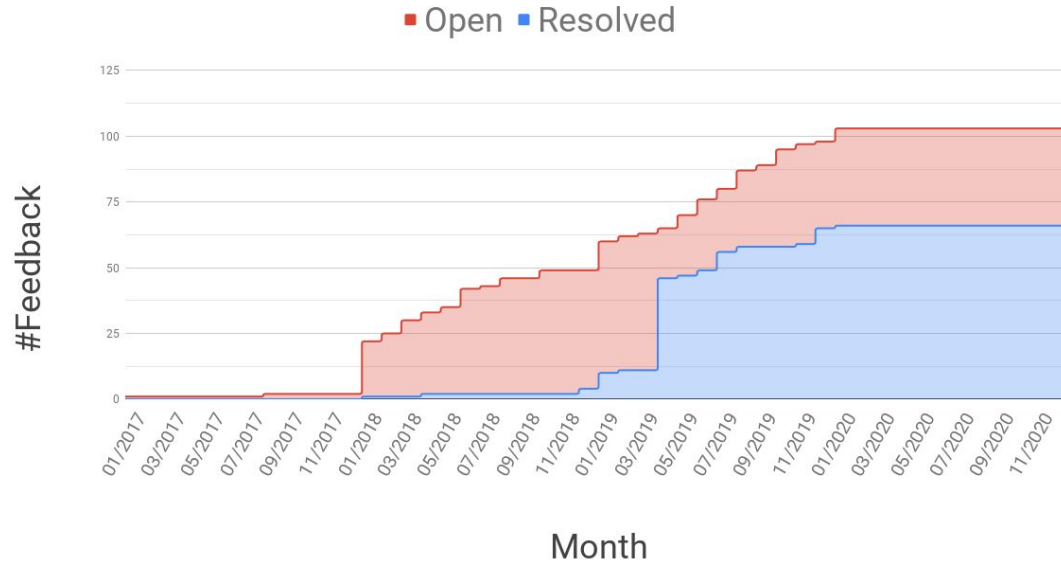
Quality of Life Sub-Committee

UEC Meeting
18. February 2020

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Feedback Overview

UEC Feedback



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Resolved since 1. January 2020

COUNT of Comment # Category	Responsible	
	QoL	Grand Total
QoL	1	1
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New since 1. January 2020

COUNT of Comment # Category	Responsible	
	QoL	Grand Total
QoL	3	3
Grand Total	3	3

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Resolved	COUNT of Comment #			
	Responsible			
	Category	QoL	UEC	Grand Total
Bathrooms:Village		2	2	
Bathrooms:WH		3	3	
Bikes		1	1	
Cafeteria:Hours		2	2	
Communication		1	1	
Computing		1	1	
Facilities:Village		2	2	
Facilities:WH		7	2	9
Food		3	3	
Global Services		1	1	2
Library			1	1
Mail		1	1	
Parking:WH		4	4	
Policy			3	3
QoL		10	1	11
Rental Car		3	3	
Site		1	1	
Taxi		3	3	
UEC			2	2
User Registration		1	1	
Visa		1	1	
Grand Total		47	10	57

Open	COUNT of Comment #					
	Responsible					
	Category	Government Relations	QoL	UEC	Users Meeting	Grand Total
Bathrooms:WH			2		2	
Bikes			1		1	
Computing			1		1	
Facilities			1		1	
Facilities:Village			1		1	
Facilities:WH			1	1	2	
Food			3		3	
Metrics		1			1	
Policy				1	1	
QoL			8		8	
Site			4		4	
Site Access			1		1	
Taxi			1		1	
UEC talks				1	1	
Users meeting				4	4	
Village			1		1	
Grand Total		1	25	2	5	33

New feedback since 1. January 2020

- Every single day over the break, the water ran brown (women's bathroom WH11 - often happens on Mondays also). Made me nervous washing hands and dishes like they weren't getting clean. Running water for a prolonged time didn't help.
- Taxi schedule does not specify whether it is valid for all of the week or only for the work week, and then what happens on the weekend.
 - Yuanyuan is resolving this with Brian, clarifying the taxi schedule and updating the web links
- Please draw lines on the west parking lot to know where to park and where not.
 - Response from Brian and Mark: Lines will be redrawn as soon as weather is stably above 50 degrees Fahrenheit.
- Path between WH and IARC parking lot was icy (see photos: <https://photos.app.goo.gl/J62z4YVeup9kUriD9>). IARC is an overflow parking lot, please make sure that we can walk safely between the building. Taxi wait times are often too long and I prefer to walk.
 - Brian and his crew are starting to plow at 4 AM and prioritize main roads and walkways, especially between IARC, FCC, LSC to WH for satellite parking, Brian is also short-staffed

Meeting with Marc Jeffers and Brian Niesman

- Marc Jeffers: Deputy FESS department head
- Brian Niesman: (Transportation Service Manager?)

- Talked about plowing of roads and walkways, and the markings on the west parking lot
 - See previous slide

- Talked about communication: proposed public campus.fnal.gov website, easy to reach, as a central hub for information. FESS posts on FermiNews had to go through communication office in the past -- which sanctioned what information to be put on a public website. Thinking about ways to improve.

- We also talked about how we can improve the parking and taxi situation
 - Proposal is to have a user survey asking when people are arriving at Fermilab in the morning and where people are parking
 - This can be used to optimize plowing and also the taxi schedule

- Marc is going to join our QoL meetings from now on. Thanks, Marc.

Synergy between UEC and the lab Sustainability Management Team

The lab Sustainability Management Team (SMT)

- Chaired by the head of FESS.
- SMT oversees the lab's progresses towards sustainability goals.

Email request from Cindy about synergy between UEC and SMT

- “perhaps having someone from the SMT come speak at a UEC meeting. The SMT may also be interested in having the UEC come talk.”
- “Helping out the preparations for this next year’s Earth Day fair -- lots of users are interested in greater issues of sustainability. ”
- Getting SMT involved in Users Meeting preparation.”
“Cindy is happy to go to the SMT meeting. Perhaps someone else from the UEC would be interested as well”.

Should bring up to the UEC first. QoL seems most relevant.

Feedback from the Meet and Greet

Food in the cafeteria.

- more vegetarian choices - tofu bad quality
- spicy level: just Ok +1. too spicy + 1. not spicy enough + 1
- Microwave, only 1/3 is working -- reported to FESS
- Need food vending machine for dinner.
- Free coffee in WH
- Real starbucks coffee in WH

Housing

- Hostel in the lab progress?
- housing renewal, applied but not heard.
- Update Gym equipments and add Pelton bikes.
- shuttle need to run more frequently and at later hours
- Wifi off in a house at village, take 4 days for someone to check, 10 days to fix.

Feedback from the Meet and Greet

Facilities

- Set up birds-hide on site. Wild life is amazing.
- parking + 1e3.
- Bathrooms in bad situation.
- Update elevator, or make elevator go faster, or have better algorithms
- Can we have those glass elevators?

Some need “distilling” ...

Miscellaneous

- Holiday lab closure -- will we be forced to take vacation?
- Service desk sometimes un-helpful.
- Snowmass process?
- UEC responsibility overlap with SAC, communications.
- Lab working from home policy is great.
- More events like this please.
- Everything is great, can I get a sticker?

Action item for the UEC & NEWS

- Need to provide information about the UEC to be added to the “New Employee Orientation” (which is also now available for users as a pilot)
- Housing rental agreement for users to get driver’s licence.

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