Community Engagement Task Force

April 23, 2009 Gustavus Adolphus College, Heritage Room 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Meeting #4 WEB Summary

Welcome / Opening Comments

Chair Karin Stone welcomed the group to the fourth meeting of the Commission 150 Task Force on Community Engagement.

Meeting Objective

Further rewrite and completion of our recommendations to fulfill the charge of the Community Engagement Task Force.

Commission Gustavus 150 Update

- Community Engagement Task Force will complete its final draft of recommendations at the end of today's meeting.
- The recommendations will be shared electronically with all members of the Task Force for review and comment.
- In the second week of May, recommendations of all eight Task Forces will be published on the Commission Gustavus website. The entire Gustavus community, task force members and alumni will have the opportunity to comment on all recommendations.
- Commission staff will review and consolidate duplicate recommendations.
- The Board of Trustees, at its August meeting, will review and prioritize recommendations.
- On October 9th, the Board will announce the final recommendations.

Drafting Recommendations

The members were paired into groups of two and assigned ideas from the Community Engagement Task Force Compiled Ideas document that had yet to be written into recommendations.

Review/Finalize Recommendations

The pairs were split into two groups to report their recommendations and discuss as a small group.

Lunch

Wrap Up

Karin asked the members to write down a summary statement to reflect on their experience with this process and what is one thing they will 'take away'.