

UA Committee on Dining Meeting Minutes 10.22.09

- Attendance
 - All present
- Bill Strazzullo—Renew Food Truck Permit
 - Talked to Rich Berlin in 2007 when Campus Dining was looking for new food truck locations
 - License denied by Cambridge Traffic commission
- Breakfast Programs
 - Health Regulations
 - 2005 Food Law: we would qualify as a food vendor
 - Permit: \$25 per permit plus a per sq ft
 - Don't need a permit if all prepackaged food
 - Probably the best option
 - Use existing facilities like MacCon and Baker D?
 - Companies hold permits for specific spaces
 - Pre-packaged
 - Fruit
 - Cereal bars
 - Things that go bad—no good (yogurt, milk)
 - Juice
 - Soy
 - Coffee, Tea, Hot Cocoa
 - Tech Cash
 - Must be approved by Rich Berlin and Alex Dehnert
 - Could rent a TechCash reader for the weeklong trial period
 - We'd need to sit with the permit
 - Reserve machines now!
 - McCormick Dining people
 - Permitting—Health Regulations
 - Avoid permit for the trial
 - If it goes well, look into institutionalizing the program with permits
 - Interested Dorms
 - Next President asked: Who's paying? Who's controlling it? How much money comes from dorms? How long will the program last? Do dorms decide on implementation?
 - Baker—affirmative
 - Simmons—affirmative
 - New House—affirmative
 - Random—(potentially) affirmative
 - Implementation
 - Which dorm(s)?
 - Multiple dorms?

- West and east?
 - Dining hall and kitchens?
 - Near student center?
 - Length of program
 - 2 week trial, M-F
 - Collecting funds
 - TechCash
 - Desk worker collects money
 - Declining balance probably wont work well for trial
 - Program Logistics
 - We supply
 - TechCash reader
 - Cash box
 - SAO rentals
 - Food (CostCo Run!)
 - Training
 - Meeting with all desk workers and captains
 - Inventory
 - Food?
 - Would desk workers do this?
 - Maybe once a day?
 - Cash (beginning and end of shift)
 - Next Steps
 - Pilot dorms: ???
 - Length of pilot: 2 weeks
 - Trial start date: November 30th-December 11th
- Senate Update
 - What should Adam talk about?
 - Breakfast programs—get Senators interested!
 - DormCon meetings
 - Status of dining (Dean Colombo and Rich Berlin comments)
 - DPC meetings with dorms