



President's Working Group on Sexual Assault and Harassment

Introductions to Title IX, Clery Act, Violence Against Women Act (VAWA), and
Campus and Community Supports

Meeting Summary

5:30 p.m., Tuesday, October 15, 2013

Members Present: Cynthia Charles, Leah Chubb, Truman Collins, Jim Ferraris, David Friedman, Kristen Grainger, Nichola Greenblatt, Jenna Harper, Molly Hawkins, Melissa Buis Michaux, Manny Rodriguez, Michele Rolando Schwartz, Jerome Sader, Celine Sarnoff, Sophia Siegrist, Jeff Staple, Colin Starr, Rachel Kinsman Steck, Margaret Trout, Emily Trussell, Honey Wilson

Members Absent: Emma Coddington, Lloyd Fobi

Guests: Cynthia Stinson, Ross Stout, Don Thompson, Liz Trayner

WELCOME, GENERAL UPDATES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Kristen Grainger called the meeting to order and welcomed Willamette community members

does not always hear all of the information or resources provided. People can speak to them anonymously and if they want to report it later that is ok. They are also available to meet with a victim on Willamette's campus.

Jim Ferraris, Deputy Chief of Police from the Salem Police Department, oversees all criminal investigations.

Jeff Staples Detective from the Salem Police Department, investigates crimes, specifically sexual assaults. He explained that sexual assault is a significant issue in our Salem community. There are typically 160 cases each year. Their #1 priority is for sexual assault victims to survive. They focus on preservation of evidence to prevent offense and revictimization. Sometimes an offender moves to a new school and if they are not stopped, they will reoffend. Best practice is to develop an understanding between the Salem PD vs. the Willam campus. We need to do whatever we can to get to the offender before anyone else gets hurt instead of "if someone else comes forward, then I will" mentality. Salem PD would like to have the opportunity to listen to and help Willamette Unia sty.oomeeete Isauk2(t)8(o)-3(lifi)-7t11(m)-6te UniBest

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