DESIGN REVIEW COMMITTEE MEETING

Date: February 17, 2006

Meeting No. 56

ATTENDEES: Ann Bermingham
            Kum-Kum Bhavnani
            Pamela Burton
            Marc Fisher
            Joel Michelsen
            Barton Phelps
            Harry Reese
            Ric Williams

            ABSENT: Karen Blair
                    Judith Green
                    Marcos Novak

OTHERS

PRESENT Deedee Ciancola
           Paul Gawronik
           Elvin Hatch
           David Inouye

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ITEM DESCRIPTION

1. Discussion Item: East Gate
   - Campus is currently out to bid on the roadway realignment at East Gate; construction
     will start in April or May.
   - The new gate project is to be donor funded.
   - There are three schemes: (1) A sandstone serpentine wall with a wing shaped arch, cost
     $2.3 million (2) a similar scheme with no arch, cost $1.5 million and (3) a scheme with
     backlit letters and a more expressive arch.
   - Suggestions from the committee:
     - The arch may be dated soon; it appears too much like spaghetti or pasta.
     - Upright piece in the middle could be, and maybe should be, more imposing
     - Trees that thrive in an ocean setting should be selected; they should be used as a
       mass or screen that patterns light and shadow
     - Gate should open up ocean views
     - Committee did not like the spheres in one design
     - The overhead element should be a significant piece of art since it will be criticized as
       art rather than structure.
     - The S curve may need to be strengthened; might it be different coming and going?
     - Gate needs to be studied as a sculpture; it needs solidity, mass and a feeling of
       longevity; it should not look as though it is “of this moment.”
2. **Suggestions for new DRC Consulting Architect (Buzz Yudell’s replacement)**
   - The committee put forth a number of recommendations and it was decided to ask Stefanos Polyzoides if he would be interested and if he would like to come to the next meeting.

3. **Design Approval: Paint Building 451**
   - It was approved to paint the building all one color with door painted in accent colors. Will match Arts & Lectures Buiding.

3. **Discussion: Architectural Guidelines**
   - Due to lack of time it was decided that members should bring their comments to the next meeting.
   - Members should keep in mind that this document is to fill out the Regents Vision Plan and their comments should fill out the gaps between graphics and text. Similar work will be done on landscape guidelines.

Minutes were prepared by

Ilze Landfried

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cc: Committee and Attendees