

Safety Meeting Minutes October 5, 2005

Members Present; Bruce Boese, Hollis Lundeen, Brian Parker, Randy Walker, Lori Parker and Bill Hanshumaker

Note was made of Dr. Bernard's talk this afternoon on tsunami warning at 3:30 in the Henning Auditorium.

ODF&W, Sea Grant, and NOAA agreed to pursue funding for an evacuation chair for the second floor of the Barry Fisher Building in the event of an earthquake and tsunami.

Walker mentioned that the Barry Fisher Building is the best spot on campus for vertical evacuation in case of a tsunami for those who feel they cannot make the trek to the hill by 101. In a conversation that Walker had with the Architect from gLAS Engineering, Jim Lewis, it was noted the only thing that separates the Barry Fisher Building from the other campus building is it is built to recent building code specifications, and is the most likely building to remain intact through a tsunami. There were no enhancements made to the building to make it safer than the code requires.

B. Parker noted that Barry Fisher Building could be hit by debris from the other buildings on campus, as well as boats and docks from the South Beach Boat Basin.

B. Parker demonstrated a survival pack that has been issued to all FRAM employees that was purchased from the Red Cross for \$45.00 per person. Parker also showed a disaster radio.

Walker said that OSU would explore the idea of putting disaster supplies in the Barry Fisher Building and try to find a place to store supplies in or near the La Quinta Hotel.

It was decided, the Tsunami Drill, scheduled to take place on 12, of October at 10:30 will happen rain or shine and OSU Facilities will be on hand to help people find the evacuation route.

People are encouraged to bring their disaster supplies.

It was agreed the Safety Committee would regroup Friday 14 October for a debriefing session.