



**University of Houston System  
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Campus Facilities Planning Committee**

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**Agenda**

Friday, April 8, 2011  
2:30 p.m.

**1. Project Name: Residence Life and Housing Update**

**Presented by:** Emily Messa

**Action:** Information

UH is working to increase student success by recruitment of top scholars, retain those students once they become Cougars and graduate them in higher proportions. Providing nurturing *collaborative learning environments are critical. On campus living/learning opportunities are central to all* of these efforts. In addition one of the measures Carnegie and others use for classifying Tier One Universities is having 25% of undergraduate students living on campus. Based on this the Regents have adopted a goal of having 7500 UH students living on campus by 2015 and 9000 students living on campus by 2020.

**2. Project Name: Cougar Place Replacement**

**Presented by:** Emily Messa

**Action:** Approval of scope and location

With Metro light rail and the development of the West and Southwest portions of Campus the existing Cougar Place site could be much better utilized than its current low density development. In addition the existing Cougar Place complex contains significant costly deferred maintenance problems, has outlived its 25 year life-span, and would require extensive renovation to meet current codes and housing standards. Razing and redeveloping this site will extend the Student Life synergy started with Moody Dining Renovation and Cougar Village Phase One. When coupled with the new West Campus Dining Hall, renovations to the Quadrangle and Moody Towers and Cougar Village Phase 2 it will provide UH with an extended zone of activity and Campus Life fostering Student Success.

**3. Project Name: Cougar Village Phase II**

**Presented by:** Emily Messa

**Action:** Approval of scope and location

Cougar Village II Housing project will increase the number of beds on campus by more than 1100, and will further expand the lively, academically supportive, and secure residential housing options available to students. The project will borrow from the successful Cougar Village Phase One template for developing the program and building conceptual scheme.

**4. Next Meeting – Tentative Schedule**

Date: May 13, 2011

Time: 2:30 p.m.

Location: Room 226 E. Cullen Building