

2008 RSC Survey Comments

1. The presenters who have come from other campus units (For example, Travel, HR, Internal Audit, etc.) have been helpful to me in my work duties.

1. Issues such as the high percentage of recycled travel reimb vouchers should be addressed and group effort to resolve/correct. Wed, 10/8/08 10:52 AM

2. The speakers have spoken to a number of issues that are relevant to some of my everyday responsibilities. I find too that even the issues that do not apply to me directly give a broader picture of the whole process. I think it would be great to have someone take us through all the financial reports in Wolf reports and what information we can pull from them. Wed, 10/8/08 9:53 AM

3. It is great to learn of the perspective of these units and what they are looking for and why -- helps us in our jobs. Tue, 9/30/08 7:55 AM

4. It is very difficult to travel to Centennial Campus, so I miss most of the meetings . Talley or main campus is the best for me. Mon, 9/29/08 8:25 PM

5. Overall the presenters spoke on topics relevant to my job Mon, 9/29/08 1:55 PM

6. They often repeat information I've been doing for 10 years, heard in University Accounting certification class, and or RAMP. I'd like new information, an update, what has changed, how we can do better not information I already know Mon, 9/29/08 12:52 PM

7. Don't usually deal with some of the issues they present because others in Dept do but information is good to at least hear. Mon, 9/29/08 12:43 PM

2. The updates from SPARCS and C&G have been helpful to me in my work duties.

1. Given the meetings are every other month it may be beneficial to send out a notice on the off months through the RSC list serve with updates. Wed, 10/8/08 9:53 AM

2. Great updates from both offices. The receivers retention of the information tends to fade months later. I like when handouts/powerpoint information is provided. Mon, 9/29/08 1:55 PM

3. Sometimes, it is new and sometimes it too is a repeat. I'd like to understand how to help a faculty member figure out his percentage of effort, a better understanding of TEARS and cost sharing, what the reports mean and how to correct when labor does not equal TEARS. No one tells you exactly what you suppose to do in those cases during training.

3. The subcommittees have effectively communicated to me (via meeting updates, website and email info) about their achievements and current projects they are working on.

1. Since it seems that time is limited at the RSC meeting maybe updates from each subcommittees should be attached to the RSC agenda. Mon, 9/29/08 1:55 PM

2. not sure of the subcommittees purpose Mon, 9/29/08 1:15 PM

3. can't recall very much communication on a regular basis Mon, 9/29/08 1:14 PM

4. Have only received updates from meetings and they seem vague. Mon, 9/29/08 12:45 PM

5. Agreed for when there are updates. However, not all subcommittees seem to have updates.

4. The communication provided to me by the Executive Committee and RSC listserv is beneficial and timely.

1. The formation of the executive committee has improved the overall quality of the RSC on a whole. The list serve is much more effective as are the RSC meetings. Wed, 10/8/08 9:53 AM
2. Nice work! Tue, 9/30/08 7:55 AM
3. Sometimes Mon, 9/29/08 12:52 PM
4. Although, it'd be really cool if we could have certain listservs for certain groups like pre-award, post-award, departmental versus university level, etc.

5. The RSC Express newsletter is informative and provides helpful information to me in my work duties.

1. Not sure I've seen the RSC Express? Maybe I missed it. Tue, 9/30/08 10:03 AM
2. Love the newsletter Mon, 9/29/08 1:55 PM
3. Sometimes

6. I like the meeting location we have used in the past for RSC meetings - at the Monteith Engineering Research Center (MERC, on Centennial Campus).

1. I prefer Talley Fri, 10/10/08 11:49 AM
2. Much more convenient (parking) than other sites. Wed, 10/8/08 10:52 AM
3. FYI, as a piece of near worthless information, the acronym for this bldg is MRC. Or at least it always has been for those of us that have worked there. Wed, 10/8/08 10:34 AM
4. Parking on Main Campus is difficult at best. I can come to meetings when I can get in and out quickly, but I cannot afford time to find parking. Fri, 10/3/08 8:52 AM
5. You can really hear the presenters in the auditorium setting. Thu, 10/2/08 8:10 AM
6. Meeting room was too far from main campus and not being able to have my coffee during the meeting makes the meeting not as pleasant as it can be for an early A.M. session. Tue, 9/30/08 7:55 AM
7. centennial is not good as it takes quite a bit of my time, parking is not good when driving back Mon, 9/29/08 8:25 PM
8. Talley does not offer good parking Mon, 9/29/08 3:22 PM
9. Prefer the original location. It seems that more people were inclined to come to a larger location with adequate parking. Mon, 9/29/08 1:55 PM
10. the seating setup was better Mon, 9/29/08 1:15 PM
11. More professional environment Mon, 9/29/08 1:14 PM
12. Not enough room. Couldn't have drinks. Mon, 9/29/08 1:03 PM
13. Parking is better.

7. I like the location of Talley Student Center (Walnut Room or 3118) as a meeting place for RSC meetings.

1. The room setup is more comfortable than the stadium seating. Wed, 10/8/08 9:53 AM
2. Parking is too difficult and time consuming. Fri, 10/3/08 8:52 AM
3. It is difficult to hear the presenter at times since there is no microphone used in the presentation. I do not believe every speaker is heard comfortably by the audience. Questions and comments from the audience should be repeated by the presented for the benefit of all in the room. Thanks. Tue, 9/30/08 7:55 AM
4. Talley student center is good Mon, 9/29/08 8:25 PM
5. parking is a problem Mon, 9/29/08 3:22 PM
6. I do not like the round table set up, difficulty parking and making travel arrangements. Mon, 9/29/08 1:55 PM
7. seating setup could have been better Mon, 9/29/08 1:15 PM
8. temperature varies too much.....lighting from window makes seeing difficult..... Mon, 9/29/08 1:14 PM
9. Round tables are the worst Mon, 9/29/08 12:58 PM
10. Closer and I don't have to move my car Mon, 9/29/08 12:52 PM
11. much more convenient Mon, 9/29/08 12:51 PM
12. I like the room with tables better than the auditorium style room in MRC - more difficult for me to get to because I'm on Centennial, but not terrible. Mon, 9/29/08 12:45 PM
13. Parking's so rough that we end up heading back to the office, or the driver drops us off and then doesn't attend him/herself. Mon, 9/29/08 12:44 PM
14. No problem with location but room less friendly and parking more difficult on main campus. Don't like the round tables as half of the seat have to be adjusted to see front of room and you feel you are sitting in the middle of everyone's view.

8. Being able to bring a food or beverage item into the RSC meeting is important to me.

1. It is a nice option. Wed, 10/8/08 9:53 AM
2. need caffeine that early in the morning Tue, 9/30/08 4:21 PM
3. If the meetings were at a later time this would not be an issue, however, morning meetings and no coffee are a little harsh. Tue, 9/30/08 7:55 AM
4. not required Mon, 9/29/08 3:22 PM
5. --at least water should be allowed. Mon, 9/29/08 2:50 PM
6. This is not a major concern to me. I think it would be somewhat disruptive to ones neighbor. Mon, 9/29/08 1:55 PM
7. either way is ok Mon, 9/29/08 1:19 PM
8. indifferent Mon, 9/29/08 1:14 PM
9. Some of us, rush to the meeting without having eaten very much. It would be great to eat a snack, in order to tied us over till the meeting's concluded. The same goes for coffee, etc. This might help a few individuals stay awake!

9. Parking availability at MERC was sufficient for my needs.

1. Parking was ample but you couldn't ride a bus from main campus that would allow you to be on time unless the schedule has changed Thu, 10/2/08 8:10 AM

2. Parking was sufficient at MERC, however, being an off-campus location involved much travel time and presented a parking issue when returning to our on-campus office locations. Tue, 9/30/08 7:55 AM

3. centennial not good

10. Parking availability at Talley was sufficient for my needs.

1. Can be difficult with a C sticker. If the lot spaces outside Reynolds are full, the C doesn't allow us to park in the deck anymore. Wed, 10/8/08 10:34 AM

2. I am on main campus and can walk to the meeting. It has been a nice change. Wed, 10/8/08 9:53 AM

3. I just have to arrive at 7:45 to get a parking space or ride the Wolfline bus. Thu, 10/2/08 8:10 AM

4. unfortunately there isn't uneough parking available on main campus Tue, 9/30/08 4:21 PM

5. No comment, since I am able to walk to this location. Tue, 9/30/08 7:55 AM

6. great location Mon, 9/29/08 8:25 PM

7. very had to get to Talley as well as parking Mon, 9/29/08 2:26 PM

8. don't need parking at Talley Mon, 9/29/08 1:19 PM

9. It's walking distance, so I don't have to change my parking Mon, 9/29/08 12:52 PM

10. Harder to park and walk is okay as longer is weather is nice. Mon, 9/29/08 12:43 PM