**Parking Committee Meeting Minutes Wednesday, April 30, 2014**

**Members Attending:**

Diana Ahmad, Ted Ruth, Christine Laughlin, Ashok Midha, Tina Galloway, Robert Paige, Zachary Woolsey and Julie Mayfield

**Members Absent:**

Douglas Ludlow, Walter Branson, Chaman Sabharwal, Levent Acar, Mahelet Fikru, Timothy Philpot, Gerald Wilemski, Diane Hunt, Lucy Sutcliffe and Michael Isom

**Guests Attending:** None

**The meeting was called to order by Chair, Diana Ahmad at 3:05 p.m.**

**The minutes from January 29, 2014 were approved unanimously.**

**Old Business:**

1. None

**New Business:**

1. Chief Laughlin request input regarding future utilization of Area X Lot 20 at Gale Bullman Multi-Purpose Building. Chief advised the current rules allow students to park in lot 20 to use the facilities during open building hours with a registration sticker or any valid permit. Overnight parking is restricted except for athletes using an overnight registration sticker to park while gone to away games. During geothermal lot closings, more permits were issued in Area X to allow for more parking. We are trying to accommodate more students while taking events into consideration. Discussion involved reduced permit fees because permit holders have to move their vehicles for events.

**Open Discussion:**

1. Zachary Woolsey advised E bus is here on grant. The grant is supposed to end in August or September. Student Council is considering funding if possible. Inquired if Parking has funds available to assist. Parking funds are only to be used for the direct expenses and administrative cost involved in providing suitable parking facilities.
2. Continued complaints regarding bicycles and skateboards on campus sidewalks causing safety concerns.

**Meeting adjourned at 4:05 p.m.**