

## Standing Committee Annual Report

**Name of Committee or Council:**

Environmental Affairs Committee

**Chair**

Krissy Spicer

**Meeting Dates in Current Year:**

11/18/2009; 4/29/2010

**Major Actions or Accomplishments:**

Thoroughly reviewed all requirements for compliance with state and federal hazardous waste regulations.

Reviewed and updated APSU hazardous waste management procedures.

Completed regulatory required hazardous waste training with representatives from departments on campus which generate hazardous waste. A total of 50 faculty and staff were trained during the 2009 – 2010 academic year.

Reviewed and commented on lab safety audit checklist. Krissy will update the checklist based on comments, and the committee will begin using the form for internal lab audits during the 2010-2011 academic year.

Established a timeframe for regular hazardous waste pickups. Two pickups were completed during the 2009 – 2010 academic year, using MKC Enterprises as the hazardous waste vendor, and resulting in over 7,000 pounds of hazardous waste material being removed from campus.