

Appalachian Energy Summit

APPALACHIAN STATE UNIVERSITY
The University of North Carolina Energy Leadership Challenge

**February 25, 2014: Mid-Year Meeting
Breakout Session Documentation**

Transportation Opportunities

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Key Issues and Opportunities Driving Working Group

Best Practices

1. Need to determine the total amount of funding spent on motor vehicles fuel for each university in the system.

2. Need to determine categories within the UNC Transportation field i.e. Fleet Vehicles, Commuting, Ground/Air Travel, Study Abroad, Education

3. Lack of access to data, metrics and benchmarks. No clear targets to strive for.

4. Identify Transportation key players among the UNC System who should be part of this group

5. Issue - Lack of leadership among UNC System Transportation Leaders.
Opportunity – Identify leadership

Activities to be Reported

Title/University	Description	Past or Present?
1. UNCG	UNCG Transportation Master Plan	Past
2.		

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Goals

Long-Term	Before July Summit
1. Capture data to be used to set targets.	1. Develop listserv for Transportation communications (internally)
2. Create task force to identify and create the tool by which we measure our transportation impact (work from PDP?)	2. Engage the leaders who were identified during mid-year meeting and develop transportation leadership working group.
3. Discover the language, categories and standards by which we talk about transportation sustainability on campus.	3. Two conference calls for group (1) Best Practices i.e. Transportation Master Plans-UNCG (2) Petroleum Displacement Plan discussion – updating then using PDP as metric tool
4. State vehicle efficiency standards	4. Network to the extent of inviting and including 40+ people to the July meeting for Transportation
	5. Further develop long-term goals by beginning the process of capturing fuel use and cost data.

General Notes

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How can the Appalachian Energy Summit support this Working Group?

1. Include Transportation speakers in the morning session or provide concurrent sessions related to transportation.

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3.