east campus residence hall
(Greg, earlier version left out the word "share" in second paragraph suggesting that you could share this with planning group.)

Dave

Memorandum:

January 21, 2010

TO: Greg Lobisser
FROM: Dave Hubin

President Richard Lariviere has engaged in conversation and broad consultation during the last two months about how to maintain the prominence of the Many Nations Longhouse as new buildings are planned and constructed in the East campus area. This consultation included discussions with Johnpaul Jones, the architect of the Longhouse and formal consultation with tribal chairs from Oregon’s nine federally recognized tribes.

This e-mail conveys to you informally the steps that the President has committed to that affect directly the East Campus Residence Hall. My purpose is to allow you to share these with the planning group for the East Campus Residence Hall. The President will be asking me formally to take these accommodations and steps to the Campus Planning Committee at its next meeting so that they can be incorporated into the campus plan.
ECRH Steps

1. Move the proposed replacement basketball court out of the expanded Longhouse footprint and 60’ wide designated open-space view corridor.

2. Compress ECRH footprint (28’-30’) to north to accommodate alignment of 60’ wide view corridor with existing east-facing door of Longhouse.

3. Build out the proposed “Expression Place” at a basic level anticipating future cultural expressions. The basic design will be completed by the project architect in consultation with tribes. Construction of the Expression Place will be at the same level or quality of build-out and cost per square foot as the build-out of new east campus designated open space. This includes area grading, planting shrubs, sowing lawn, and construction of pathways. This will ensure the build-out of the Expression Place framework while allowing for future enhancements to the space when funds from other sources are available.

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