

The Facilities and Construction Planning Council (FCPC) serves as an advisory group providing strategic planning input to the Division of Operations concerning college facilities, grounds, and campus safety. It is responsible for advising the Vice President for Operations to ensure that the living and learning environment on campus is aligned with the College's mission, vision, and values.

The FCPC met monthly to tackle several issues for the 2023 - 2024 Academic Year resulting in the following recommendations:

1. The committee worked with Scott Sferra and his parking committee to finalize recommendations resulting from an internal parking study completed in April 2023. The recommendations from the FCPC regarding parking at the College include the following:
 - a. Repurpose Lot 13 (Decker) as an economy option that would allow commuter students to park at a 20% reduced rate. This could potentially draw commuter students from some of the more popular, centrally located parking options.
 - b. Move the chain in Lot 3 to increase guest parking (adds 40 spaces).
2. The FCPC drafted a [policy](#) for Low-Speed Vehicles. This allows the College to ensure enhanced safety for those involved with operating carts and helps the College maintain its commitment to establishing carbon neutrality by 2040. The policy will be submitted through the College policy process.
3. In accordance with the LSV Policy, the committee recommends implementation of the Vector Solutions Utility Cart Training program (<https://tcnj-nj.safecolleges.com/>) Select “Extra Training” and then “Utility Cart Safety”. The training is already available to us via an existing training subscription so there will not be any additional costs associated with the training.
4. In accordance with the LSV Policy, the committee recommends creating a procedure for maintaining the Low-Speed Vehicle inventory.
5. In accordance with the LSV Policy, the committee recommends designating LSV parking spaces.