

Police, Students Build Relationships Through Dialogue

Community policing and outreach is a focus for Chief Craig Stone and the entire University Police Division. Thursday, April 6, OSUPD and Columbus Police broke bread with dozens of students to discuss rights and responsibilities and understand one another's perspectives. The second annual Police Dialogue event, organized by Undergraduate Student Government, Black Student Association and Sustained Dialogue of Ohio State, promoted building positive relationships between law enforcement and the communities they serve.

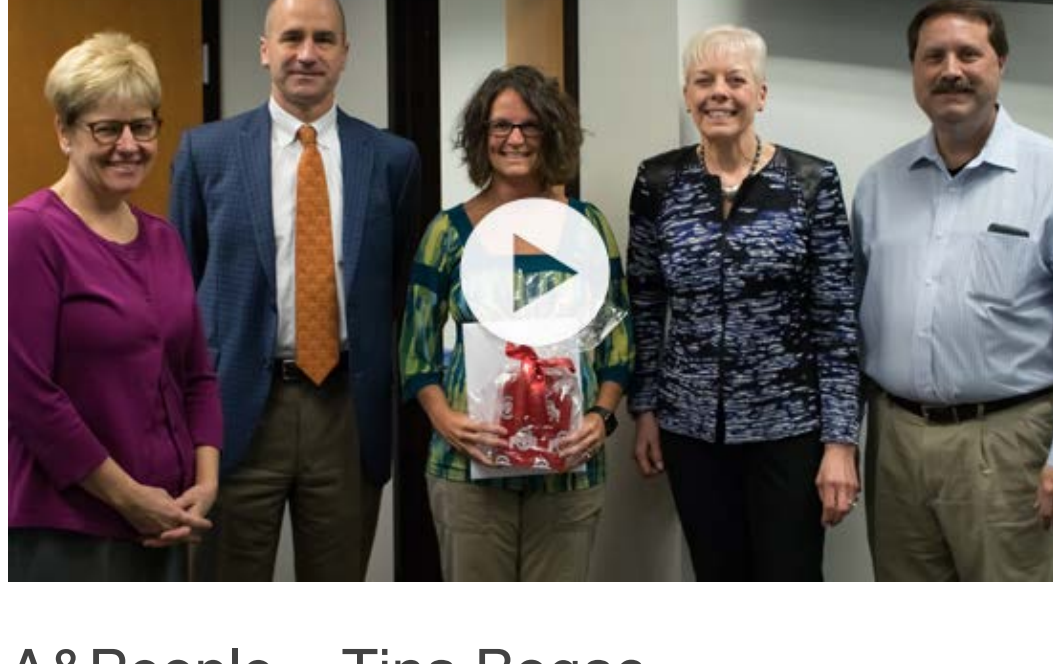
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Pulping System at Ohio Union Keeps Waste Out of Landfills

Sustainability is in action at the Ohio Union. Dining Services helps to operate a pulping machine that breaks down food scraps and compostable containers that are thrown into the trash. The material is picked up by FOD employees and taken to an anaerobic digestion system in Columbus, where it is converted into clean renewable energy.

[See the Pulping Process](#)



A&P People – Tina Bogac

Tina Bogac is an Ohio State Distinguished Staff Award recipient, earning the prestigious honor after helping FOD's Environmental Health and Safety team reinforce a positive safety culture, particularly in research laboratories. She recently implemented the Quarterly Site Assessment Scorecard, where information regarding lab safety inspections is communicated to college administrators to help focus safety and compliance efforts.

[Meet Tina](#)



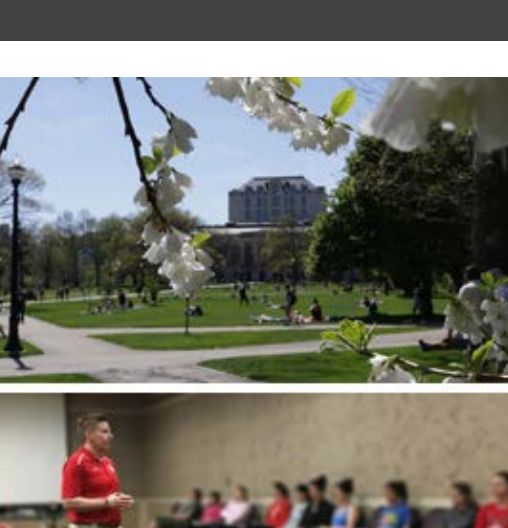
FOD Partners with Students on Smart Street Light Project

FOD recently provided assistance to five Ohio State students who developed a Smart Street Light to assist with security and sustainability. The light is equipped with sensors that can dim when not in use, provide air quality readings and take pictures for traffic analysis. The project was part of the students' 15-week EEDS (Environment, Economics, Development and Sustainability) Capstone assignment. [Read More.](#)



Ohio State Ranks in Top 10 in National RecycleMania Competition

The Ohio State University once again proved it is one of the nation's top schools for recycling. Ohio State finished in eighth place among 320 colleges and universities in Total Recycling, with more than 1.1 million pounds of materials diverted from the landfill. [Read More.](#)



A Picture's Worth a Thousand Words

Check out what else made news around Administration and Planning this month!

- A&P Joins Students for Sustainable Cause
- TTM Fairs Well
- Picture Perfect Day on Campus
- OSUPD Accepts Thank You Letters
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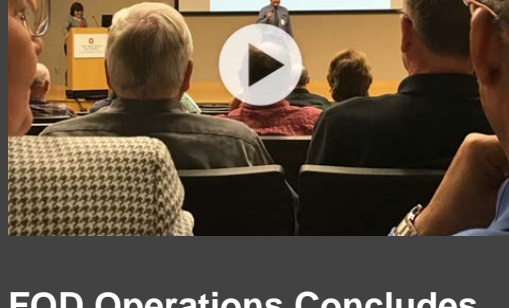
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Keeping Well with a New Companion

Throughout the toughest battle of her life, Tracy Palmer, Building Information Modeling Coordinator in Facilities Information and Technology Service, part of Planning and Real Estate, was never short on support. In 2008, Tracy was diagnosed with breast cancer, a shocking diagnosis for a woman who did everything she could to lead a healthy lifestyle, but she soon realized that's not exactly how the disease works.

[Read Full Story](#)



FOD Operations Concludes Culture Roadmap Program

Facilities Operations and Development Operations wrapped up its Culture Roadmap program Tuesday, April 18. The Operations leadership group, which includes directors, assistant directors and managers, discussed the do's and don'ts of leadership in a positive work environment. It also participated in an activity requiring each individual to recognize their strengths and weaknesses as a leader in the workplace. The long-term strategy for the Culture Roadmap program is to create a better culture. [Creating a Better Culture.](#)



Only a Few Days Left to Donate to Campus Campaign

The last day of the Campus Campaign drive is Sunday, April 30. A&P is very close to meeting our 48% goal. When you donate to Campus Campaign, you're automatically entered to win one of these great Ohio State prizes, including a cooler, wood cutting board and Tervis drinking cup! Winners will be selected and notified after April 30. [Help A&P Reach Our Goal.](#)

Media Placements

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