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Task Force Group 5 Cultural Resources

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Parking

Liberty Village at Machiasport via access from the UMM trail system

UMM Outback Trail System

Petroglyph resources at UMM

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Possible collaboration with the Thompson property on Clarks Point Road

Library

Art Gallery

Art Gallery - Curator

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Labyrinth

Magaretta Days Festival

Performing Arts Center

Office of Community Events

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Passamaquoddy Flag Raising

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Reynolds Athletic Center

Photo & Printing Lab

Tribal College

Business Center

Wabanki Community Ctr.

Native American Coordinator at UM-UMM

Description

Develop a joint UM and UMM parking pass.

A local individual is donating to the Machias Historical Society about 75-80 acres on East Kennebec road. The property almost connects with UMM's 200+ acres. There is a piece of property between UMM and the East Kennebec piece that is owned by another individual who is happy to work with the historical society regarding the trails. The historical society is considering starting with the construction of a meeting house that would become the visitor/educational center. One of the reasons that the donor is very supportive of the project, is that Liberty Village can provide opportunities for UMM's faculty and students to be involved in all sorts of service learning activities. There will be need for educational displays, development of trail systems that can connect with those in UMM's 200+ acre piece, etc. Joe McBrine is the contact person for this project

Map of trail system planned along with Kiosks for visitor sign in. Displays of cultural/historical/geological significant events/timelines planned.

A long term exhibit about the Machias Bay petroglyphs in the UMM art galleries includes four large surface prints selected from the many stored in our permanent collection facility. Also on display are petroglyph plaster casts given to UMM by Passamaquoddy tribal historian Donald Soctomah. There is also a selection of books and scholarly papers available at the Merrill Library.

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The recent acquisition of the Thompson homestead on Clarks Point Road by The Maine Coast Heritage Trust, adjacent to the property owned by the Passamaquoddy tribe, completes access to the petroglyph ledge complex including 3000 year old petroglyphs. Early conversations with the Trust and Donald Soctomah include possible use of a workshop facility and visitor center. The purchase will continue to give UMM students taking the Petroglyphs and Middens course an outdoor classroom in which to work.

UMM's Merrill Library is the largest library in Washington County. It is open to the public, who can access the internet and library resources and collections statewide

The vast collection of health sciences resources - databases and journal packages - provides a strong foundation to offer professional development workshops for Down East Community Hospital staff. Ongoing research can be conducted on campus - remote access to these resources however is restricted by licensing agreements.

The Art Gallery at UMM is the center for the visual arts in Down East and has an extensive permanent collection. Exhibits of UMM's permanent art collections including Marin pieces and guest/community artists are on going.

Part-time position proposed to curate and manage art collections, exhibitions, and education with focus on the Marin collection. Position proposal available upon request.

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Labyrinth in the woods behind Torrey Hall was built by volunteers in the Fall of 2005, based on a 2000 year-old design from Greece. Flower Labyrinth was built in the Fall of 2006, by students in a class, Gardens in Our Lives, on Campus Hill on the original site of the O'Brien House. This design is based on the inner seven circuits of the 800 year-old labyrinth at Chartres, France.

Reenactors of the First Naval Battle of the Revolutionary War, camp on the UMM Mall for two days, dress in period costume and provide workshops on colonial cooking and crafts, etc.

Seats 364; Full lighting/sound system for stage productions; Largest projection screen in Wash. Cty.: Bookings currently managed by tracy.ingersoll@maine.edu Fee schedule <https://machias.edu/community>

Facilities include state-of-the-art classrooms, computer labs, lecture halls, a 350-seat theatre, a large gym, a swimming pool, fitness area, outdoor areas, seminar and conference rooms. Fee schedule <https://machias.edu/community>

The Office of Community Events enhances the academic mission of the University of Maine at Machias by building successful community/University partnerships; by providing facilities and services to on- and off-campus individuals and groups; and by offering non-credit workshops and courses to the communities it serves.

Past and present events include conferences, seminars, trainings, workshops, concerts, plays, children's camps, summer wedding receptions, and more. Renewed contact with Rena Newell

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Part-time Faculty L. Bowman seeks grant. With the creation of the state-of-the-art photo and printing lab, students will be trained in the most up-to-date technologies. These skills will serve their personal development as an image maker as well as the job skills necessary in to work in the graphic and photo professions.

With buy in from the community and county, the lab will offer services of photographing and printing to companies, nonprofits and individuals on a project and case basis. Students will be trained to offer these services. A model for this already exists at UMM with the GIS lab.

Dr. Lois-Ann Kuntz and Newell Lewey and Dan Qualls looked into this a couple years ago. A Tribal College is a federal designation and it has to be Tribal driven and the curriculum and programming owned by the tribe. The president is interested in pursuing this and it would be at that level if the tribal authorities are interested. This recently came up with the president when we met with the local state legislators.

Develop a fee schedule and a booking center for use by individuals seeking a place to work on a short term basis with internet access. Contact tracy.ingersoll@maine.edu

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Jennifer Isherwood is the Assistant Coordinator of Native American S/tudent Outreach and Development at UMaine at UMM, and thus reflects an important update in terms of DEI and stakeholder relations.

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Current State of Project

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Karen Beeftink or Marianne Thibodeau

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Pilot Proposed Could support Group 6 Initiative
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Communicate to L. Bowman that Jason
Charland Director of the Office of Research
Development at the University of Maine, can be
of assistance to move this grant proposal
forward.

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Recommendation

Easy visual sign of cooperation/consolidation

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Gretchen Faulkner, Director of Hudson
Museum could collaborate on exhibits and
loans of artifacts.

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Downeast Rural Health Collaborative Institute:

This proposed self-sustaining institute based at UMM will conduct groundbreaking, collaborative research on rural health/well-being that directly benefits the Downeast Region and contributes to knowledge and change in rural health nationally. Institute can attract competitive grant funding to support world-class knowledge creation and become a destination of choice for students and faculty working in this area.

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Margaret will send wording (Contact individual at UM with like responsibility. Share scheduling software.