

**MINUTES**  
**DASB SENATE MEETING**  
**Wednesday, April 6<sup>th</sup>, 2005**  
**4:30 pm**  
**Student Council Chambers**

**Call to Order**

Nadine Foster called the meeting to order at 4:38 pm.

**Roll Call**

<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Present</u></b>	<b><u>Absent</u></b>	<b><u>Late</u></b>	<b><u>Left Early</u></b>	
Ananya Ashok	X				
Sophia Badillo	X				
Hooman Bamdad*					
Norbert Borbely*					
Stephanie Bellini	X				
Alex Candia	X				
Thai Chang	X				
Ashlie Cloudt-Barrall	X				
Nadine Foster	X				
Tigist Getu*	X				
Amine Hambaba	X				
Sanjeet Heyer		X			Unexcused
Israr Kamr		X			Unexcused
Henna Khan			X 4:32 pm		
Helia Leung		X			Excused
Audrey Lo	X				
Lilya Mitelman		X			Unexcused
Hudah Mukiibi	X				
Maryam Noor	X				
Zahra Noor	X				
Erik Peterson	X				
Jane Qi	X				
Harris Qureshi	X				
Gita Ram	X				
Bernardo de Seabra	X				
Alex Wu	X				
Frank Wu			X 5:09 pm		
Betty Yu	X				
Katie Zeng	X				

\*Denotes Junior Senator

Ex-Officio: John Cognition, Advisor

Public: Melanie Dunn, Rithika Kumar, Saleha Pirzada, George Smith

**Approval of Minutes**

March 16<sup>th</sup>, 2005

Alex Wu moved to approve the minutes of March 16<sup>th</sup>, 2005.

Alex Candia seconded the motion.

There were no objections.

Motion to approve the minutes of March 16<sup>th</sup>, 2005 passed by consensus.

**Public Comments**

*Please note: Members of the public are limited to two minutes. The Senate cannot take action or respond to items during public comments.*

Melanie Dunn, De Anza Student Trustee, gave a update on the Board of Trustees. A contest will be held to name the new Parking structure: <http://www.deanza.edu/parkingcontest>. Submit 1 or more names by Friday, April 22. Latest updates from Sacramento: if DA does not meet Full-Time student deficit, may face \$2M budget shortfall. E-mail Melanie if any interested in attending District events at [mdunn@deanza.cc](mailto:mdunn@deanza.cc). Candidates interested in 2005-2006 Student Trustee position should attend a few meetings.

**Burning Issues**

There were no burning issues.

**Consent Calendar**

INTERNAL

1. Add George Smith as Internal Agent to Diversity & Events Committee.

Alex Candia moved to approve the Consent Calendar.

Thai Chang seconded the motion.

There were no objections.

Motion to approve the Consent Calendar passed by consensus.

**Business**

DISCUSSION/ACTION

2. New Funding-Second Vote

This item is to discuss and approve \$1,000.00 from account 41-52102 (Winter/Spring Special Allocations) for the Latino (A) Scholarship Ceremony.

Henna Khan and Alicia Rivera presented the second vote for new funding. The ceremony will be held June 16<sup>th</sup>.

Alex Candia moved to approve \$1,000.00 from account 41-52102 (Winter/Spring Special Allocations) for the Latino (A) Scholarship Ceremony.

Harris Qureshi seconded the motion.

Discussion occurred.

Maryam Noor moved to end discussion.

Gita Ram seconded the motion.

Discussion ended.

**Roll Call Vote**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>Abstain</u>
Ananya Ashok	X		
Sophia Badillo	X		
Stephanie Bellini	X		
Alex Candia	X		
Thai Chang	X		
Ashlie Cloudt-Barrall	X		
Nadine Foster	-	-	-
Amine Hambaba	X		
Henna Khan	X		
Helia Leung	X		
Audrey Lo	X		
Hudah Mukiibi	X		
Maryam Noor	X		
Zahra Noor	X		
Erik Peterson	X		
Jane Qi	X		

Chair

Harris Qureshi	X			
Gita Ram	X			
Bernardo de Seabra	X			
Alex Wu	X			
Frank Wu	-	-	-	Absent
Betty Yu	X			
Katie Zeng	X			

By majority vote, motion to approve \$1,000.00 from account 41-52102 (Winter/Spring Special Allocations) for the Latino (A) Scholarship Ceremony passed.

#### DISCUSSION/ACTION

##### 3. Finance Code Amendments-Second Vote

This item is to discuss and approve the DASB Finance Code amendments as presented last week.

Henna Khan presented the second vote for the DASB Finance Code amendments.

Alex Candia moved to approve the DASB Finance Code amendments.

Alex Wu seconded the motion.

Discussion occurred.

Alex Wu move to end discussion.

Alex Candia seconded the motion.

Discussion ended.

##### Roll Call Vote

<u>Name</u>	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>Abstain</u>	
Ananya Ashok	X			
Sophia Badillo	X			
Stephanie Bellini	X			
Alex Candia	X			
Thai Chang	X			
Ashlie Cloudt-Barrall	X			
Nadine Foster	-	-	-	Chair
Amine Hambaba	X			
Henna Khan	X			
Helia Leung	X			
Audrey Lo	X			
Hudah Mukiibi	X			
Maryam Noor	X			
Zahra Noor	X			
Erik Peterson	X			
Jane Qi	X			
Harris Qureshi	X			
Gita Ram	X			
Bernardo de Seabra	X			
Alex Wu			X	
Frank Wu	-	-	-	Absent
Betty Yu	X			
Katie Zeng	X			

By majority vote, motion to approve the DASB Finance Code amendments passed.

#### DISCUSSION/ACTION

##### 4. Elections Code Amendments-Second Vote

This item is to discuss and approve the DASB Elections Code amendments as presented last week.

Nadine Foster presented the second vote for the DASB Elections Code amendments.

Amine Hambaba moved to approve the DASB Elections Code amendments.

Bernardo de Seabra seconded the motion.

Discussion occurred.

Maryam Noor moved to end discussion.

Amine Hambaba seconded the motion.

Discussion ended.

**Roll Call Vote**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>Abstain</u>	
Ananya Ashok	X			
Sophia Badillo	X			
Stephanie Bellini	X			
Alex Candia	X			
Thai Chang	X			
Ashlie Cloudt-Barrall	X			
Nadine Foster	-	-	-	Chair
Amine Hambaba	X			
Henna Khan	X			
Helia Leung	X			
Audrey Lo	X			
Hudah Mukiibi	X			
Maryam Noor	X			
Zahra Noor	X			
Erik Peterson	X			
Jane Qi	X			
Harris Qureshi			X	
Gita Ram	X			
Bernardo de Seabra	X			
Alex Wu	X			
Frank Wu	-	-	-	Absent
Betty Yu	X			
Katie Zeng	X			

By majority vote, motion to approve the DASB Elections Code amendments passed.

**INFORMATION/DISCUSSION**

5. The Walkout

This item is to discuss possible endorsement for “The Walkout”.

Betty Yu moved to postpone definitely until next week.

Gita Ram seconded the motion.

Discussion occurred.

Alex Candia moved to end discussion.

Bernardo de Seabra seconded the motion.

Discussion ended.

Motion to postpone the item indefinitely until next week passed by consensus.

**Introduction/Approval of Prospective Senators**

Prospective Senators up for a vote:

-Saleha Pirzada

Saleha Pirzada stated it was her 5<sup>th</sup> meeting.

Rithika Kumar stated it was her 1<sup>st</sup> meeting.

The DASB Senate posed questions to Saleha Pirzada.

By majority vote, Saleha Pirzada was approved as a DASB Junior Senator.

### **Business Reports**

#### **INTERNAL**

- Tech. worked on website for the tsunami event and trying to get a hold of Jose Rueda.
- Student Services. SS Day Tuesday, April 26<sup>th</sup>. Meetings are 12:30-1:30 pm in Don Bautista room.
- Student Rights. Campus Pride Day April 15<sup>th</sup>. Earth Day project discussions are under way. Meetings are Thursdays 1:30-2:30pm in Meeting Room 1.
- Marketing. Helping Student Services with Discount Program. Meets Thursdays 1:30-2:30 in Meeting Room 1.
- Finance. Finishing cover for the budget Book. Meets Mondays 4 pm in Santa Cruz Room.
- Administration. Meets Fridays 12:30pm to 1:30pm. Room TBA. Working on ordering more office supplies, lights, and VP Office rules.
- Diversity & Events. Meets Mondays 4pm in Student Council Chambers. Will be helping with ICC Carnival in May.

### **Announcements/Informational Reports**

Upcoming Meetings:

April 13<sup>th</sup>, 3:30 pm.

Campus Pride Day. Friday, April 15<sup>th</sup>.

### **Appreciations**

Appreciations were given.

### **Adjournment**

Nadine Foster adjourned the meeting at 5:20 pm.

Submitted by

Queena Deschene

DASB Secretary

Approved Wednesday, April 13<sup>th</sup> 2005