



DASB SENATE MINUTES
 Wednesday, November 18th, 2015
 3:30 pm
 Student Council Chambers
Teleconference Link: Skype: dasb.senate
Chair: Marco Monroy
Contact: dasbpresident@fhda.edu

Call to Order

Marco called to order at 3:35PM

Roll Call

	Present	Absent	Late	Left Early	Excused
Mina Aslan	X				
Hanh Bui	X				
Thy Doan	X				
Ruiqi Mankin	X				
Edgar Godinez	X				
Vin Gomez	X				
Mia Hernandez		X			
Maria Ho	X				
Hiro Ishikawa	X				
Naeema Kaleem	X				
Thao Le	X				
Nikko Mahatyanto	X				
Konrad	X				
Kush Patel		X			
Marco Monroy	X				
Kairav Sheth	X				
Chi Tran	X				
Omar Din	X				
Chaitanya Angadala	X				

Alexander De La Herrán	X				
Kevin Hoang	X				
Keerthana Muthukrishnan	X				
Elaine Edberg	X				
Mary Rasooli	X				
Michelle Bounkousohn	X				

Approval of Minutes

- November 11th, 2015
 - **Vin moved to approve the minutes.**
 - **Seconded by Omar.**
 - **No objections.**

Public Announcements

- Arjun said The Black Leadership Collective (BLC) club will screen “Pay It No Mind” at 5PM at the Euphrat Museum of Art.
- Omar said SRS cohost with MSA for the vigil

Senate Announcements

- Naeema said Finance cleaned the office today

Trustee Announcements

- Board meeting at 6pm on Dec, 7th

Internal Committee Reports

- Finance approve all of budget requests

External Committee Report

Consent Calendar

1. Add Senator Chaitanya Angadala to Technology Committee.
 2. Add Intern Sara Elzeiny to Student Rights and Services Committee.
 3. Add Intern Yee Tack Ho to Marketing Committee.
 4. Add Intern Jui Sarwate to Marketing Committee.
- **No objection to pass the consent calendar.**

Business Items

5. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION/ACTION

Title: Renter's Rights & Rent Stabilization Resolution

This item is to vote on passing a resolution to support Renter's Rights & Stabilization in San Jose.

Presenter: Thao Le

Time: 30 minutes

- Naeema moved to table item 5 and 6.
 - Seconded by Thao.
 - No objections

- Thao presented the resolution
- *Whereas, 49.3% of students at De Anza College live in San Jose according to a Fall 2013 Census*
- *Whereas, 57% of De Anza College students have a family income ranging from "No Income" to "Lower Middle Income" (\$25,000 - \$50,000) according to the same census;*
- *Whereas, the average rent in San Jose has increased by 60% in the past five years while wages have increased only by 11%;*
- *Whereas, the housing crisis in the Silicon Valley has caused overcrowding, gentrification, displacement, homelessness, and a host of other humanitarian issues;*
- *Whereas, a study published in The National Bureau of Economic Research found that in areas with a housing boom, university enrollment dramatically slows down, especially in the case of community colleges;*
- *Whereas, the De Anza Associated Student Body Senate are elected representatives at the College, District, State, and Federal levels for the students of De Anza College;*
- *Resolved, that the De Anza Associated Student Body Senate endorse, support, and advocate for the demands made to the San Jose City Council by the Renters' Rights Coalition of the Silicon Valley; and*
- *Resolved, that the De Anza Associated Student Body Senate also urge other local ASOs with high enrollment of San Jose students to also endorse, support, and advocate for this resolution.*

- Marco said DASB will have a responsibility to get other ASBs to endorse the resolution and Thao will assist with that.

- **Naeema moved to pass the resolution to support Renter's Rights & Stabilization in San Jose.**
 - **Lex seconded**

- **No objections to end the discussion.**

Roll call vote to pass the resolution to support Renter's Rights & Stabilization in San Jose.

Renter's Rights Resolution		Yes: 22	No: 0	Abs: 0
1	Angadala	2	Aslan	
3	Boukousohn	4	Bul	
5	De La Herran	6	Din	
7	Doan	8	Edberg	
9	Godínez	10	Gomez	
11	Hernandez	12	Ho	
13	Hoang	14	Ishikawa	
15	Kaleem	16	Le	
17	Mahatyanto	18	Mankin	
19	Melbinger	20	N/A	
21	N/A	22	N/A	
23	Rasooli	24	N/A	
25	Tran	26	Sheth	
27	Patel	28	Muthukrishnan	
29	Monroy			

Senate passes the resolution to support Renter's Rights & Stabilization in San Jose

6. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION/ACTION - FIRST VOTE

Title: Finance Code Amendments

This item is to present and discuss on the Finance Code Amendments.

Presenter: Thao Le

Time: 15 minutes

- THAO presented
- Article Nine – Section 4 Procedures: “ The DASB scholarship timeline shall follow the timeline of the De Anza Financial Aid Office”
- **Naeema moved to approve the Finance Code Amendments.**
 - **Seconded by Kairav..**
- **Vin moved to end the discussion.**
 - **Seconded by Maria.**
 - **No objections.**

Roll call vote to approve the Finance Code Amendment

Finance Code		Yes: 23	No: 0	Abs: 0
1	Angadala	2	Aslan	
3	Boukousohn	4	Bul	
5	De La Herran	6	Din	
7	Doan	8	Edberg	
9	Godinez	10	Gomez	
11	Hernandez	12	Ho	
13	Hoang	14	Ishikawa	
15	Kaleem	16	Le	
17	Mahatyanto	18	Mankin	
19	Melbinger	20	N/A	
21	N/A	22	N/A	
23	Rasooli	24	N/A	
25	Tran	26	Sheth	
27	Patel	28	Muthukrishnan	
29	Monroy			

Senate approves the Finance Code Amendment.

7. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION/ACTION – FIRST VOTE

Title: Monarch Butterfly Educational Garden

This item is to discuss and vote on a funding request of \$1,200 for Supplies for Monarch Butterfly Educational Garden from the EcoFund.

Presenter: Naeema Kaleem

Time: 30 minutes

- Naeema and Alicia presented.
- **Kevin moved to approve \$1,200**
 - **Seconded by Keerthana.**
- **No objections to end the discussion.**

Roll call vote to approve funding request of \$1,200 for Supplies for Monarch Butterfly Educational Garden from the EcoFund

\$1,200		Yes: 17	No: 1	Abs: 0
1 Angadala	2 Aslan			
3 Bounkousohn	4 Bul			
5 De La Herran	6 Din			
7 Doan	8 Edberg			
9 Godínez	10 Gomez			
11 Hernandez	12 Ho			
13 Hoang	14 Ishikawa			
15 Kaleem	16 Le			
17 Mahatyanto	18 Mankin			
19 Melbinger	20 N/A			
21 N/A	22 N/A			
23 Rasooli	24 N/A			
25 Tran	26 Sheth			
27 Patel	28 Muthukrishnan			
29 Monroy				

Senate approves funding request of \$1,200 for Supplies for Monarch Butterfly Educational Garden from the EcoFund.

8. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION/ACTION – FIRST VOTE

Title: De Anza Water Policy Project

This item is to discuss and vote on a funding request of \$10,950 for De Anza Water Policy Project from the EcoFund.

Presenter: Naeema Kaleem

Time: 30 minutes

- Naeema presented.
- **Thao moved to approve funding request of \$9,200 for De Ana Water Policy Project from the EcoFund.**
 - **Seconded by Ruiqi.**
- **Naeema moved to end the discussion.**
 - **Seconded by Chi.**
 - **No objections.**

Roll call vote to funding request of \$9,200 for De Ana Water Policy Project from the EcoFund.

Approve \$9,200 for De Anza Water Policy Project		Yes: 19	No: 0	Abs: 3
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1 Angadala	2 Aslan
3 Bounkousohn	4 Bul
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7 Doan	8 Edberg
9 Godínez	10 Gomez
11 Hernandez	12 Ho
13 Hoang	14 Ishikawa
15 Kaleem	16 Le
17 Mahatyanto	18 Mankin
19 Melbinger	20 N/A
21 N/A	22 N/A
23 Rasooli	24 N/A
25 Tran	26 Sheth
27 Patel	28 Muthukrishnan
29 Monroy	

Senate approves funding request of \$9,200 for De Anza Water Policy Project for the Ecofund

9. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION/ACTION - URGENT ITEM

Title: New Funding Requests

This item is to approve funding request of \$1,200 for food from Taco Tuesdays

Presenter: Naeema Kaleem

Time: 30 minutes

- Thy and Vin presented.
- Vin said the event will be from 11:30 to 1:00 PM.
- Thao said Finance got a lot of programs request for food but we did not fund them.
- Thao asked why senate would want to fund food for an one-day event only.
- Thy said we would reach out to programs to students, could help them out.
- Edgar said the event has been moved until winter, Thy would have more time to do more research to cut down the cost
- Hiro said he is in favor of funding the event
- Mina said this money is being cut from other programs
- Mary said E.S is working on a project for self-care for students on deadweek.
- **Vin moved to table the item until next quarter**
 - **Seconded by Omar.**
 - **No objections.**
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10. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION/ACTION

Title: DASB Scholarship

This item is to discuss and take action on DASB Scholarship

Presenter: Edgar Godinez

Time: 30 minutes

The item was pulled.

11. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION/ACTION

Title: Snapchat Geofilter

This item is to discuss the snapchat filter and determine possible changes to the design.

Presenter: Chaitanya Angadala

Time: 10 minutes

The item was pulled.

12. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION/ACTION

Title: One Warm Coat

This item is to discuss and take action on One Warm Coat which will be held at De Anza.

Presenter: Kikange Melbinger Konrad and Jennifer Wu

Time: 15 minutes

- Konrad presented

13. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION

Title: General Assembly

This item is to discuss and recap for General Assembly conference.

Presenter: Marco Monroy

Time: 30 minutes

- SSCCC is working on the paper to become a non-profit organization.
- Marco said we reviewed 40 pages package resolution
- Kevin said he changed major to political science after attending the event.
- Kevin said the conference was amazing.

Public Announcements

- Naeema said turn in the receipt and change.
- Ladonna working inside the ICC office

Adjournment

5:36PM