MEETING MINUTES

THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO

The Wednesday, May 21st, 2008 regular weekly meeting of the Associated Students Council was held at 6:00 pm, in the Price Center East Forum, Interim Speaker John Cressey presiding and Clerk Heather Lucas being present.

The roll was called. The following voting members were present: Donna Bean, Katie Buzas, Jesse Cabanas, Nicole Carroll, Lisa Chen, Emily Chi, Meghan Clair, John Cressey, Garron Engstrom, Rishi Ghosh, Sam Jung, Vishal Kotcherlakota, Naasir Lakhani, Darryl Nousome, David Ritcherson, Carli Thomas, Mabel Tsang, Alex Vu, Chris Westling, Brian Yum.

The following non-voting members were present: Neetu Balram, Sarah Coutts, Stephanie Chang, Andrew Guichet, Michelle Layton, James Lintern, Chelsea Maxwell, Natalie Morgan, Junn Paulino, Long Pham, Colin Scholtz.

The following members were not present but excused: Monica Figueroa, Natalie Fowler, Jordan Taylor.

The minutes of the May 14, 2008 regular meeting were approved.

Public Input was given by a UCSD student regarding sungod festival, a representative of The Koala regarding sungod festival, and Kyle Samia, Marshall Student.

Special Presentation was given by Judy Lane from Special Events and Protocol and Charles Kindred from Parking and Transportation Services regarding information pertinent to the week of the US Open.

Donna Bean moved to re-order the meeting to Public Input.

Public Input was given by representatives of the Sustainability Commission, representatives from Women’s Commission, and a representative from the Multi-Cultural Greek Council.

Donna Bean moved to re-order to meeting back to reports of members.

Donna Bean moved to re-order the meeting to the Committee on Appointments.

Alex Vu, reporting on behalf of the Committee on Appointments, moved to approve appointment of Chelsea Maxwell to Associate Vice President Enterprise Operations effective May 21, 2008 until appointment of successor, Appointment of Bianca Harlow to Associate Vice President Student Services effective May 21, 2008 until appointment of successor, appointment of Utsav Gupta to Associate Vice President Student Organizations effective May 21, 2008 until appointment of successor, appointment of Frank Carroll to position of AVP Student Advocacy effective May 21, 2008 until appointment of successor, appointment of Jack Cheadle to position of AVP College Affairs effective May 21, 2008 until appointment of successor, appointment of Lana Blank to position of AVP Academic Affairs effective May 21, 2008 until appointment of successor, appointment of Peter Benesch as the Associate Vice President of Athletic Relations effective May 21, 2008 until the appointment of a successor, appointment of Garrett Berg as Associate Vice President of Programming effective May 21, 2008 until the appointment of a successor, which were approved.

Donna Bean moved to re-order the meeting to New Business.
Lisa Chen moved to approve the appointment of Erin Brodwin to Associate Vice President Local Affairs effective May 21, 2008 until the appointment of a successor, which was approved.

Alex Vu moved to approve the appointment of Ryan Johnson to Eleanor Roosevelt College President effective May 21, 2008 until appointment of successor, which was approved.

Donna Bean moved to re-order the meeting to the Committee on Finance.

Vishal Kotcherlakota, reporting on behalf of the Committee on Finance, moved to approve allocation of $400.00 from Student Org. Travel Unallocated to Alternative Breaks at UCSD for Alternative Breaks Citizenship Schools 2008 taking place June 19th-27th, 2008, which was approved.

Vishal Kotcherlakota, reporting on behalf of the Committee on Finance, discharged item F2 to the council floor.

Naasir Lakhani moved to approve allocation of $500.00 from General Unallocated to Diversity Programming for NCORE Conference, which was approved.

Vishal Kotcherlakota, reporting on behalf of the Committee on Finance, discharged item F3 to the council floor.

Jack Cheadle moved to approve the 2008-2009 Executive Budget (See Attachment 1). Donna Bean objected. Roll Call Vote was as follows: Donna Bean, no; Katie Buzas, no; Jesse Cabanas, yes; Nicole Carroll, no; Lisa Chen, no; Emily Chi, no; Garron Engstrom, no; Monica Figueroa, no; Rishi Ghosh, no; Katie Hall, no; Sam Jung, no; Vishal Kotcherlakota, no; Naasir Lakhani, no; Chris McCoy, no; Darryl Nousome, no; David Ritcherson, no; Carli Thomas, no; Mabel Tsang, no; Alex Vu, no; Chris Westling, no; Brian Yum, no. Motion failed.

Giang Nguyen moved to suspend the rules to allow members of the public to join the discussion without be yielded to.

Donna Bean move to re-order the meeting to new business.

Lisa Chen moved to approve the revised 2008-2009 Executive Budget (See Attachment 2). Lana Blank objected.

Lana Blank moved to re-allocate $400.00 from Meet and Greet line Item to Cross Cultural Celebration line item. Motion failed.

Donna Bean moved to suspend the rules to allow for open discussion.

Jordan Taylor arrived and presided as speaker.

Donna Bean moved to re-instate the rules.
Frank Carroll moved to approve the 2008-2009 ASUCSD Executive Budget (See Attachment 3). Roll Call Vote was as follows: Donna Bean, yes; Katie Buzas, yes; Jesse Cabanas, yes; Nicole Carrol, yes; Lisa Chen, yes; Emily Chi, yes; John Cressey, yes; Garron Engstrom, yes; Monica Figueroa, yes; Rishi Ghosh, yes; Katie Hall, yes; Sam Jung, yes; Vishal Kotcherlakota, yes; Naasir Lakhani, yes; Chris McCoy, yes; Darryl Nousome, yes; David Ritcherson, yes; Carli Thomas, yes; Mabel Tsang, yes; Alex Vu, yes; Chris Westling, yes; Brian Yum, yes. Motion passed unanimously.

The roll was called. The following voting members were present: Donna Bean, Katie Buzas, Jesse Cabanas, Nicole Carroll, Lisa Chen, Emily Chi, John Cressey, Garron Engstrom, Monica Figueroa, Rishi Ghosh, Sam Jung, Vishal Kotcherlakota, Naasir Lakhani, Chris McCoy, Darryl Nousome, David Ritcherson, Jordan Taylor, Carli Thomas, Mabel Tsang, Alex Vu, Chris Westling, Brian Yum.
The following non-voting members were present: Sarah Coutts, Colin Scholtz, Utsav Gupta, Frank Carroll, Peter Benesch, Garret Berg.

The meeting adjourned at 2:01 a.m.

Heather Lucas, Clerk
Donna Bean, President