Campus Diversity Committee Minutes
7-17-08

Attendance: Vince White, Cynthia Wafer, Cecilia Alvarado, Lily Espinoza, Andre Strong, Rajan Vaidya AS President, Adrian Boluarte-Chong ICC President.

Minutes were approved with revisions

Monthly Secretary
Discussion took place on who would take minutes. It was agreed that everyone would take turns based on alphabetical order. Cecilia Alvarado is this meeting secretary. Ann Hovey or Bob Miranda will take minutes at the next meeting. Vince will place PDF format of minutes on the Cadena website. Room 227 will be the official meeting room for the rest of the year.

2008-2009 CEDC Leadership
Vince clarified that Lily is not a voting member; she is our fiscal agent only. Vince reviewed the vision and mission and informed the committee that the structure of the by-laws and committees is currently in process of completion.

Sharon Kelly suggested that the next time that voting takes place, that the Director of the Cadena Transfer Center be voted as committee chair.

CTC Website
The CTC website is going to be split into two: one for Cadena Cultural Center and the other Transfer. A discussion took place on how the word Cadena is misleading since the translation of the word is “Chains” and not links. The question was, “how will students know that the Cadena Center is a cultural center?” The committee supports Lily Espinoza’s idea to add the word Cultural.

OCC Conference
Vince announced that the OCC conference is on hate crime on October 17. If someone is interested in attending please e-mail Vince.

2008-2009 Diversity Activities
LFSA-Vince reserved the rooms
John Hernandez will be the guest speaker
A student panel will take place

Latin Heritage Month
MUZEO field trip is cancelled since it is not a Latino Museum
October 24 LACMA & Olvera Street Field Trip

Glide
Tentative date of October 28th from 10-11, if we have classroom attendance.
Dia Del Los Muertos
   CTC will support the event
   Coordinated by Adela and Jerry

Muslim In America
   Confirmed 11/15

Kwanza
   Vince reserved campus theater for 12/4
   Dance group is tentative

Tet Festival
   Vince will send out a memo with preparation instructions

Robert Jenson
   Vince is currently working on this with Cindy

Men of Character
   Two confirmed, one EOPS alumni is pending. Cecilia will follow up with the EOPS alumni.

Women of Character
   The committee has asked if Cecilia can contact some CARE students.

Leon Leyson
   Suggestion was to do an honorarium in his name.

Diversity Festival
   Vince is asking for the Art departments support

**Budget Discussion**
Vince will do a final review of the budget and share the results with the committee. If there is money left then the committee can support other cultural events.

Bylaws are under construction.

**Tabled Items:**
Bylaw
Awards