

AMENDMENTS:

AMENDMENT: #1 Submitted by: Stephanie, Stacey, TJ

Section II

STRIKE –to nurture understanding and pride... (3rd purpose)

ADD:

to cultivate an awareness and an understanding of Asian/Asian-American influence, history and culture

FAILED (5 voted YES to pass, 1 voted NO to fail)

AMENDMENT: #2 Submitted by: Stacey, TJ, Stephanie

Section II

STRIKE – to promote education and awareness of the Asian culture... (4th purpose)

ADD -to emphasize the ongoing achievements and efforts of the Asian community through means of education and networking

FAILED (5 YES, 1 NO)

AMENDMENT #3: submitted by TJ Moon

III. B

Application for Membership:

ADD: -The Council should encourage and seek networking with other Student Activities-recognized student organizations which may have similar purposes or interests aligned with the Council.

After first sentence: “Any organization wishing...” before “The Secretary..”

The Section now reads:

B. Application for Membership

Any organization wishing to join the Council must submit a formal letter of application and its organizational constitution to the Council Secretary at least two weeks before the last Council Meeting of the semester. The Council should encourage and seek networking with other Student Activities-recognized student organizations which may have similar purposes or interests aligned with the Council. The Secretary shall deliver copies of these documents to the Councilors at least a week prior to the said Meeting. The applicant organization shall gain Council membership the following semester only with the unanimous consent of all current Councilors.

PASSED (6 votes unanimous YES)

AMENDMENT: #4 submitted by TJ

III, D. Requirements

ADD: Each organization within the Asian Student Council must have a Liaison position, whose sole responsibilities deal with the Asian Student Council.

FAILED (2 votes YES, 4 votes NO)

AMENDMENT #5 submitted by Stephanie Sun

Section IV, The Council

Add: "Liaisons from each Member Organization," "The Council Chairpersons"
Edit: A. and B.

New Line: The Council shall comprise the Presidents of each Member Organization, Liaisons from each Member Organization, the Council Chairpersons, and Treasurer. The duties and obligations of each are as follow:

A. Presidents of each Member Organization (hereafter referred to as "Councilors")

B. Liaisons from each Member Organization

The Liaisons from each Member Organization are to be elected by April to hold their positions in the following school year. Any Member Organization that does not elect a Liaison by April must do so prior to the first Asian Student Council meeting of the new school year. The duties of each Liaison include:

- To serve duly as one who takes information to their respective Member Organization and as one who brings opinions and concerns from their Member Organization to each Asian Student Council meeting*

FAILED (3 votes YES, 3 votes NO)

AMENDMENT #6: Submitted by Anthony Elope

IV. A

-Each Member organization of the Asian Student Council be required to submit annually, plans that they wish to achieve in 1, 3, and 5 years.

FAILED (2 votes YES, 4 votes NO)

Amendment # 7 Submitted by T.J.

IV. A. Councilors

STRIKE:

-to plan and delegate responsibility of council functions

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-to collectively appoint chairpersons of ad hoc committees to handle major events and particular concerns

ADD (to both Councilors and Liason position duties):

-Must attend bi-monthly meetings and report to Asian Student Council Co-Chairs

-Inform the "secretary" of meetings they cannot attend (and the reason for missing the meeting) and finds a person who can attend to serve as a representative for them 🗳️

-If Councilor/Liason are not present at three or more meetings they will be subject to review by the Council to determine if that organization's rights should be revoked under grounds of negligence

-Liaisons will act as the representative for their organization and have 1 vote within the council on events

-Neither Councilor nor Liason is eligible to hold another officer position within the Council (each position will only ever get one vote)

-Exceptions: appointed committee chairs

FAILED (3 votes YES, 2 votes NO, 1 ABSTAIN)

AMENDMENT: #8 submitted by T.J.

B. Chairperson(s)

STRIKE :

-to handle all matters which maintain relations with Asian alumni of the college such as keeping records of Asian alumni and organizing the annual homecoming Asian alumni reception

 **ADD:**

-The two Chairpersons will be appointed by the councilors.

-The Co-Chairpersons will not have the right to vote, unless there is a tie. In this case, Co-chairs will vote unanimously as only one vote to reach a decision.

-Planning and delegating responsibility of council functions

-To collectively appoint chairpersons of ad hoc committees to handle major events, issues and concerns

-Co-chairs are not eligible to hold another officer position within the Council

-Facilitate and moderate Council meetings

-Foster and maintain communication among Member organizations

PASSED (5 votes YES, 1 ABSTAIN)

AMENDMENT #9: submitted by Stacey McDermott and TJ Moon

IV. D

 **ADD POSITION to the Council:**

D. Communications Chair –will take on the responsibilities and duties:

-to cooperate with the other Councilors and Member Organizations in a spirit of camaraderie and accord,

-to represent the interests of Asian and Asian-Americans to the College administration and community,

-to keep the minutes of every Council meeting, and

-to fulfill the duties of the Chairpersons in his or her absence

-to handle all matters which maintain relations with Asian


alumni of the college such as keeping records of Asian alumni and organizing the annual homecoming Asian alumni reception

-the Communications Chair will not have

the right to vote

PASSED (4 votes YES, 2 ABSTAIN)

AMENDMENT #10: Submitted by Stacey McDermott

 **ADD position to the Council:**

IV. E. Special Events Coordinator

-to cooperate with the other Councilors and Member Organizations in a spirit of camaraderie and accord,

-to represent the interests of Asian and Asian-Americans to the College administration and community,

-to coordinate special events scheduled by Member

Organizations individually or by the Council in order to prevent over-lapping events as well as to encourage participation and attendance of these events

-to work with the ASC

Webmaster to update an online calendar where special events and other important dates can be posted

-to oversee

and coordinate ASC special events (ie. Speakers, social events) including raising awareness about events through flyers or other available media

-to be able to appoint a committee of interested members to help deal with events that require a significant amount of planning and person-power

-communicate with treasurer on fundraising activities or routes

to obtain money for these special events

-to work as a liaison between campus-wide

events and ASC, involving the community with ASC and ASC with the community

-the Special Events Coordinator

will not have the right to vote

PASSED (4 votes YES, 2 ABSTAIN)

AMENDMENT #11 submitted by Stephanie Sun

Section V, 1.

STRIKE: However, a Councilor may not nominate a member of his or her organization,

Line will read: A Councilor may not nominate more than one person for each office.

PASSED (4 votes YES, 2 ABSTAIN)

Amendment #12 submitted by Stephanie Sun

Section IX Ratification

Add: "South Asian Student Association," "Japanese Cultural Association"

 **Add after last paragraph to read:**

This constitution of the Asian Student Council at the College of William and Mary in Virginia was reviewed, amended, accepted, and ratified in __ 2007.

Its charter Member Organizations will be Chinese Student Organization, the Filipino American Student Association, South Asian Student Association, the Korean American Student Association, the Vietnamese Student Association, and the Japanese Cultural Association.

Signatures of Councilors.

PASSED (4 votes YES, 2 ABSTAIN)

AMENDMENT #13 submitted by TJ Moon

 **ADD position to the Council:**

IV. F Webmaster

Responsibilities:

- to cooperate with the other Councilors and Member Organizations in a spirit of camaraderie and accord,**
- to represent the interests of Asian and Asian-Americans to the College administration and community,**
- to develop and maintain the Asian Student Council website**

-to work with the Communications Chair to update minutes of weekly meetings and other relevant website information

-the Webmaster will not have the right to vote

PASSED (4 votes YES, 2 ABSTAIN)

 MISC AMENDMENTS: (PASSED)

-Replace universal his, with his or her

-Replace Chairperson, with co-chairpersons