

Noticed Motion, April 12, 2005, Item 8D

Los Angeles Southwest College
RESOLUTION TO THE ACADEMIC SENATE

“LASC Academic Senate Policy on Assessment”

Whereas, the LASC Academic Senate approved a resolution (9/14/04) on “Local Senate Oversight of Measurable Student Learning Outcomes”; and

Whereas, the LASC Academic Senate formed a Student Learning Outcomes (SLO) standing committee to develop recommended guidelines for defining, identifying, assessing, and communicating all measurable student learning outcomes; and

Whereas, the LASC Academic Senate will review and approve the resulting guidelines for SLO implementation; and

Whereas, assessment of student outcomes is a curriculum matter and the LASC Academic Senate has primary responsibility for establishing and maintaining general standards for classroom assessment; and

Whereas, the American Association of Higher Education (AAHE) has published “9 Principles of Good Practice for Assessing Student Learning,”

Resolved, that the LASC Academic Senate affirm and hold as a standard, the AAHE “9 Principles of Good Practice for Assessing Student Learning.”