

# ASCC Agenda

Date	Time	Location:
1/7/2026	5:10- 7:00pm	Building 5 Room 354 zoom: <a href="https://smccd.zoom.us/j/81351698247?pwd=U2dGRnFFZjlyUkNleENYWmFEY3JrQT09">https://smccd.zoom.us/j/81351698247?pwd=U2dGRnFFZjlyUkNleENYWmFEY3JrQT09</a> Meeting ID: 813 5169 8247 Password: 164573

1. Call this meeting to order at 5:17pm	Minutes	Final Minutes
Time Keeper	Shanda	
<b>Please call out when 5 minutes and 1 minute remain, call time loudly when allotted time is reached</b>		
Land and Labor Acknowledgement	Channel	

We acknowledge that Cañada College is situated on the traditional unceded land of the Ramaytush (Rah-my-toosh) Ohlone (Oh-LOW-nee) peoples, and we respect our past elders and honor the present community. Long before Cañada College existed, this area was home to the Ramaytush Ohlone peoples, who still have a presence in the Bay Area today.

We have a responsibility to acknowledge that we as a Cañada community have benefited from the use and occupation of this land and that the tragic legacy of colonization, genocide, capitalism, racism, and oppression still impacts people today.

We also recognize the labor upon which this educational institution, state, and country is built.

We acknowledge the peoples of African ancestry who were enslaved and forcibly brought to this land, and whose forced labor played a major role in the formation of this country. We are indebted to their uncompensated labor and their unwilling sacrifice over hundreds of years—which continues to impact generations today. We honor the legacy of the African diaspora and the continued contribution of their survivors.

We acknowledge the contributions of all immigrant labor, forced labor, and undocumented people who contributed, and continue to contribute, to the building and feeding of this land. We acknowledge their immeasurable sacrifices and work that allow us to gather in this space today.

Let us not forget. Let us honor and engage with the people who have stewarded and labored on this land for generations, and let us honor these truths—by taking responsibility as a college community to continually educate ourselves about these realities, to affirm our commitment to justice through continual action, and to protect and sustain this land.

2. Role call		
<b>Total Members=</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>Quorum =</b>
		<b>Members Present =</b>

Role	Name	Status		
President	Will	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Vice President	Ziara	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Commissioner of Finance	Shanda	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Commissioner of Actives	Alexis	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Commissioner of Public Records	Bianca	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Commissioner of Publicity	Jeremy	<input type="checkbox"/>	Vacation	
Commissioner of Design and Marketing	Sierra	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Senator at Large BDW		<input type="checkbox"/>		
Senator at Large STEM	Matthew	<input type="checkbox"/>	Vacation	
Senator at Large HSS	Blake	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Senator at Large CEMC	Steve	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Senator at Large KAD		<input type="checkbox"/>		
Senator	Talaya	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Senator	Alex	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Senator	Chanel	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Senator	Oliver	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Senator	Aarya	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Senator		<input type="checkbox"/>		
Senator	Neve	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Senator	Hudson	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Senator	Vijeet	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Senator at Large	Regina	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		

### 3. Adoption of the Agenda

January 7th, 2026

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Channel moves to adopt the Agenda of January 2026 Alexis seconds this motion, passes 10 to non-opposing and non-abstaining

### 4. Approval of the minutes

December 3, 2025

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Shanda moves to adopt the Minutes of December 3 2025. Channel seconds this motion passes 10 to non-opposing and non-abstaining.

### 5. Hearing of the public

Eshin former member of student senate

### 6. Reports

a. *College Administration Representative(s) Report(s)*

Max Hartman

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<b>b. Public Safety Report</b>	<i>Vacant</i>	2
<b>c. Student Life and Leadership Manager</b>	<i>Sergio Suarez</i>	2
<i>updates on spring is electiond, and an election board does need to be created at some point,</i>		
<b>d. Trustee Report(s)</b>	<i>Michael Llanel</i>	2
<b>e.I. Programing boards</b>		
<b>e.II. Inter Culb Council</b>	<i>Ziara</i>	1
<b>f. Student Senate</b>		
<i>(This is a time to hear about Participatory Governance and Student Senate Initiatives that has been recently attended).</i>		
<b>President:</b>	<i>Will</i>	2
<b>Vice President:</b>	<i>Ziara</i>	1
<b>Commissioner of Public Records</b>	<i>Bianca</i>	1
<i>Touched on meeting for the constitution review committee.</i>		
<b>Commissioner of Finances</b>	<i>Shanda</i>	1
<i>No reports.</i>		
<b>Commissioner of Activities</b>	<i>Alexis</i>	1
<i>Informed Senate members about Stanford students wanting to table at Welcome Week. They are</i>		
<b>Commissioner of Publicity</b>	<i>Jeremy</i>	1
<b>Commissioner of Design and Marketing</b>	<i>Sierra</i>	1
<i>No reports</i>		
<b>Senator at Large for STEM</b>	<i>Matthew</i>	1
<b>Senator at Large for BDW</b>	<i>Vacant</i>	1
<b>Senator at Large for HSS</b>	<i>Blake</i>	1
<b>Senator at Large for CEMC</b>	<i>Steve</i>	1
<b>Senator at Large for KAD</b>	<i>Vacant</i>	1
<b>Senator</b>	<i>Talaya</i>	1

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<i>Senator</i>	<i>Alex</i>	1
<i>Senator</i>	<i>Neve</i>	1
<i>Senator</i>	<i>Chanel</i>	1
<i>reaching out to faculty+staff in formalizing oversight coalition: goal, have full plan for this coalition. FLEX day is FRIDAY, SIGN UP</i>		
<i>Senator</i>	<i>Aarya</i>	1
<i>No reports</i>		
<i>Senator</i>	<i>Hudson</i>	1
<i>Senator</i>	<i>Vijeet</i>	1
<i>Senator</i>	<i>Regina</i>	1
<i>No reports</i>		
<i>Senator</i>	<i>Oliver</i>	1
<i>wants to talk to jeremy to make welcome week vids to post on the account</i>		
<i>Curriculum committee rep</i>	<i>Marco</i>	1
<b>7. Special Presentations</b>		
<b>8. New Business</b>		
<i>funding request sheet for []</i>	<i>Funding Request 2025/2026 (Responses)</i>	
<b>Announcements: ASCC + ICC Canvas Page, GroupMe</b>	<b>Will</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>Welcome Week -- Volunteering</b>	<b>Will</b>	<b>15</b>
<i>M-Th 9AM-2PM. Vij. W morning; Sierra, Aarya M, Chanel M, Oliver T/W 11-1, Shanda M 12:30PM, Will M-Th, Neve T/Th 11-12PM, Alexis M/W 9-2, Blake whenever.</i>		
<b>Reviewing Positions of Senators: Alex, Talaya, and Matthew</b>	<b>Alexis and Will</b>	<b>15</b>

Discussed the removal of Alex, Talaya, and Matthew due to several absences. Channel moves to remove Alex and Talaya from ASCC and the removal of Matthew from participatory governance. Shanda seconds this motion passes 10 to non-abstaining and non-opposing		
<u><a href="#">Addition to ASCC Bylaws Student Organizations A1-S6: 0% Club Contribution Rule and \$4,000 Club Funding Request Cap Per Semester</a></u>	Will	10
Discussed a \$4,000 cap per semester that a club can request and the rewording of these new policies in the Bylaws. Channel proposed putting forward the proposal to accept electronic payments for Clubs. Shanda motions to add 3 minutes Channel seconds. This motion passes 10 to non-abstaining and non-opposing. Channel moves to the table until ISCC meets Vijeet seconds this motion passes 10 to nonabstaining		
<u><a href="#">Addition to ASCC Bylaws: Office System</a></u>	Will	10
Discussed the creation of the Office system so that additional students can volunteer and help the student senate. Channel brought to light the need for a permanent office of equity and wellness and an office of student advocacy. Channel motion to add the Office system to the ASCC bylaxs with the ability to review it later.		
<u><a href="#">Amendment to ASCC Bylaws: Article 1</a></u>	Will	15
Discussed revisions to the bylaws focused on attendance and accountability, emphasizing transparency, restorative practices, and trauma-informed expectations. Reviewed attendance requirements, excused absence procedures, notification timelines, and tardiness standards, with attention to preventing financial loss and ensuring meaningful participation. Agreed that repeated absences should trigger a meeting to identify barriers and provide support, with removal as a last resort, and acknowledged the importance of attentiveness during meetings while balancing flexibility for students with emergencies or caregiving responsibilities. Alexis motions to add 5 minutes Channel seconds. This motion passes 10 to non-abstaining and non-opposing. Discussed proper wording for these new policies. Blake motions to add 3 more minutes Channel seconds. This motion passes 10 to non-opposing and non-abstaining. Blake motions to add 5 more minutes Channel seconds. This motion passes 10 to non-abstaining and non-opposing. Alexis motions to put this Article into writing in the bylaws. Channel Seconds this motion passes 10 to non-opposing and non-abstaining.		
<u><a href="#">Amendment to ASCC Bylaws Financial Constraints: A4-S5.2</a></u>	Will	10
Shanda motions to table this Channel for seconds. This motion passes 10 to non-abating and non-opposing		
<b>9. Interviews and appointments</b>		
<b>Open Forum and Feedback</b>		
Sergio: cancel meetings feb 24 and mar 5 due to conferences.		
Chanel: volunteering at Sparkpoint should count as volunteering hours. Support art gallery with volunteer form.		

Various senate members discussed what food to order for Welcome Week. LnL, In-N-Out, Bagels & Coffee,			
Next meeting:	1/14/2026	5:10-7:09	
Events for Spring	Alexis	<b>15</b>	
<u><a href="#">Addition to ASCC Bylaws Student Organizations A1-S6: 0% Club</a></u>	Will	<b>10</b>	
<u><a href="#">Amendment to ASCC Bylaws Financial Constraints: A4-S5.2</a></u>	Will	<b>10</b>	
Senator Appointments to Office Systems	Will	<b>15</b>	
I call this meeting to end at:	19:15	Minutes left:	-22