



Date	Time	Location:
5/8/2026	5:30PM - 7:30PM	Building 5, Room 354 zoom: <a href="https://smccd.zoom.us/j/81351698247?pwd=U2dGRnFFZjIyUkNleENYWmFEY3JrOT09">https://smccd.zoom.us/j/81351698247?pwd=U2dGRnFFZjIyUkNleENYWmFEY3JrOT09</a> Meeting ID: 813 5169 8247 Password: 164573

1. Call this meeting to order at 05:37 PM	Minutes	Final Minutes
---	---------	---------------

Time Keeper	Nisha		
-------------	-------	--	--

Please call out when 5 minutes and 1 minute remain, call time loudly when allotted time is reached

--	--	--	--

Land and Labor Acknowledgement	Alexis		
--------------------------------	--------	--	--

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>18</b>	<b>Quorum =</b>	<b>10</b>
		<b>Members Present =</b>	<b>7</b>

Role	Name	Status			
President	Will	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Vice President	Ziara	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Class Constriants		
Commisioner of Finance	Shanda	<input type="checkbox"/>	Zoom 2500 Middlefield Rd		
Commisioner of Actives	Alexis	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Commisioner of Public Records	Bianca	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Commisioner of Publicity	Jeremy	<input type="checkbox"/>	Work		
Comissioner of Design and Marketing	Sierra	<input type="checkbox"/>	Work		
Senator at Large BDW		<input type="checkbox"/>			
Senator at Large STEM	Matthew	<input type="checkbox"/>	absent		
Senator at Large HSS	Blake	<input type="checkbox"/>	absent		
Senator at Large CEMC		<input type="checkbox"/>			
Senator at Large KAD		<input type="checkbox"/>			
Senator	Nisha	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Senator	Delvin	<input type="checkbox"/>	Attending Another Meeting		
Senator	Chanel	<input type="checkbox"/>	Zoom		
Senator	Oliver	<input type="checkbox"/>	absent		
Senator	Aarya	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Coming in Late		
Senator	Artem	<input type="checkbox"/>	Out Sick		
Senator	Neve	<input type="checkbox"/>	absent		
Senator	Hudson	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3827 Hamilton Way 94062 CA		
Senator	Vijeet	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Senator at Large	Regina	<input type="checkbox"/>	absent		
<b>3. Adoption of the Agenda</b>					
<b>May 8th, 2026</b>				2	
<b>4. Approval of the minutes</b>					
<b>4/24/2026, 4/29/2026</b>				2	
[] moves to approve the minutes of April 24th, 2026/April 29th, 2026. [] seconds this motion. This motions [].					
<b>5. Hearing of the public</b>					
<i>Alfonso CSM Senator</i>					
<b>6. Reports</b>					
<b>a. College Administration Representative(s) Report(s)</b>			<i>Max Hartman</i>	2	

<i>Thanks the Senate for supporting, shared that in the last 12 years, no other Senate has shown a commitment to DEI+AJB. we added into our Bylaws to permanently give back to our community that has been harmed. Neve and Chanel lead the first ever co-lead undocu.... Will be sharing his email to keep in touch. looks forward to working with the new Student Senate.</i>			
<b>b. Public Safety Report</b>	<i>Vacant</i>	2	
<b>c. Student Life and Leadership Manager</b>	<i>Sergio Suarez</i>	2	
<i>Josh, shares that he echos what Dean Heartmant has stated</i>			
<b>d. Trustee Report(s)</b>	<i>Michael Llanell</i>	2	
<b>e.I. Programing boards</b>			
<b>e.II. Inter Club Council</b>	<i>Ziara</i>	1	
<i>Alexis: Leadership awards went really well, everyone was well fed with papusas and beans. Congratulated Shanda for getting two awards; BSU won awards for poetry night and awarded their addvisor; Candice for best advisor.</i>			
<b>f. Offices</b>			
<b>e.III Office Of Programing</b>	<i>Alexis &amp; Shanda</i>	1	
<i>N/A</i>			
<b>e.IV Office of Student Advocacy</b>	<i>Chanel</i>	1	
<i>N/A</i>			
<b>e.V Office of Public Relations</b>	<i>Jeremy &amp; Sierra</i>	1	
<i>N/A</i>			
<b>e.VI Office of Equity &amp; Wellness</b>	<i>Nisha</i>	1	
<i>Nisha shares that for May Mental Health awareness month to do an event. 12-4 on thursday May 14th. Lawn games, arts and crafts. Alexis, asks where the funding is coming from. Shared to look into how much money we will have left over</i>			
<b>g. Student Senate</b>			
<b>President:</b>	<i>Will</i>	2	
<i>Shares, that the PRIE Office will be sending out an email on the ethics of the Participatory Governance</i>			
<b>Vice President:</b>	<i>Ziara</i>	1	
<i>Absent</i>			
<b>Commissioner of Public Records</b>	<i>Bianca</i>	1	
<i>No reports</i>			
<b>Commissioner of Finances</b>	<i>Shanda</i>	1	
<i>No reports</i>			

<b>Commissioner of Activities</b>	<i>Alexis</i>	1	
<i>No reports. Emphasizing checking funding. Considering getting campus more connected with ASCC, considering creating ballot boxes to improve communication between the student body and the associateed students. Expressed excitement for the Summer sessions.</i>			
<b>Commissioner of Publicity</b>	<i>Jeremy</i>	1	
<b>Commissioner of Design and Marketing</b>	<i>Sierra</i>	1	
<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>Vacant</i>	1	
<b>Senator at Large for KAD</b>	<i>Vacant</i>	1	
<b>Senator</b>	<i>Vacant</i>	1	
<b>Senator</b>	<i>Nisha</i>	1	
<i>No reports</i>			
<b>Senator</b>	<i>Vacant</i>	1	
<b>Senator</b>	<i>Neve</i>	1	
<b>Senator</b>	<i>Chanel</i>	1	
<b>Senator</b>	<i>Aarya</i>	1	
<i>No reports</i>			
<b>Senator</b>	<i>Hudson</i>	1	
<i>No reports</i>			
<b>Senator</b>	<i>Vijeet</i>	1	
<i>No reports</i>			
<b>Senator</b>	<i>Regina</i>	1	
<b>Senator</b>	<i>Oliver</i>	1	

<b>Senator</b>	<i>Artem</i>	1	
<b>Curriculum committee rep</b>	<i>Marco</i>	1	
<b>7. Special Presentations</b>			
<b>Chancellor Moreno Introduction</b>	<b><i>Melissa Moreno</i></b>	<b>10</b>	
<i>Unable to visit due to scheduling conflicts</i>			
<b>Prospective Student Trustee</b>	<b><i>Alfonso</i></b>	<b>5</b>	
<i>Alfonso shares, that he felt a little sad that most of the ASCC Senators did not show up to the student mixer. He will be the prospective Student Trustee, and wanted to show his interest and to show support for the student body of Canada College. Opens the floor, for any question. Bianca shares that the Previous Trustee was not present in our meetings and a lot of our problems. Shares that he would want to make a social media account, to share the minutes and whatever is talked about. Wants to create a physical Newspaper to share updates across the three campuses. Has a good understanding of who to create dialogue.</i>			
<b>WHRC Post Conference   Honors Transfer Program</b>	<b><i>Van</i></b>	<b>10</b>	
<i>Prof. Rebekah Taveau, introduces the students who will be speaking on their experience at the conference. Eva Liu, opens with the pictures the students took, and shares that a total count has not been received. Students attended both Oral and Poster presentations, they felt inspired by the amount of interest and work students did. They were able to explore UNLV. Eva Presented on , Post-COVID Economic Adjustments..... Toung Van DO, presented on Battle Born: Blue Binaries in-between vietname and americans. Kione presented on "Empowered Leaders Rising Above Parental Incarceration. Some of the takeaways, students felt very proud to present to the Honors Conference. Found a lot of value in Networking with other members who were had similar or different presentation topics. Students felt personal accademic growth, in their research and presentation skills. The trip was amazing because of the students, who had put in the effort to make the event really good. Eva learned how most times accents shape how people view the intelligence.</i>			
<b>Post American Solitare Screening   VROC</b>	<b><i>Juan Vera</i></b>	<b>10</b>	
<i>Unable to visit due to scheduling conflicts</i>			
<b>8. New Business</b>			
<i>funding request sheet for []</i>			
<i>Funding Request 2025/2026 (Responses)</i>			
<b>Empire Files "Earth's Greatest Enemy" Film Showing and FOOD! \$1500</b>	<b><i>Michael Hoffman</i></b>	<b>10</b>	
<i></i>			
<b>Lavendar Grad Funding \$2500</b>	<b><i>Alexis Matus Juarez</i></b>	<b>10</b>	
<i>Talked to Michiko and agreed to allot \$2500 (from activities budget) towards the Cultural Center to help plan the Lavender Grad event.</i>			

<b>Office of Equity and Wellness Name Change, Conflict with Cultural Center: Student Equity and Impact Collaborative</b>	<i>Will Tseng</i>	<b>10</b>	
Proposal was made to change the name of our office, to preserve the the name and impact of the Equity and Wellness from the Cultural Center.			
<b>Community Connection: Michiko and Jules Partnership with Project Read RWC</b>	<i>Will Tseng</i>	<b>10</b>	
Will shares that Jules and Dr.Michiko are asking for funding to purchase 150 books. this would be to provide a resource, and the book goes over out SEAP Goals!! item may need to be go into our next meeting.. (possibly new Senate)			
<b>9. Interviews and appointments</b>			
<b>Open Forum and Feedback</b>			
Alfonso: Re -introduces himself, and restates what was shared earlier. Alexis: asks, "What does your availability look like?". Alfonso reponds with; "He is a biology Major who will have a pretty busy schedule" Shares that the housing near CSM will make about 329 beds, is going to be allotted for students who are facing hosuing insecurity, there is no current committee that has been built, and wants to ensure that the voices across all campuses is present. No current metrics, but wants to ensure that the students will be heard. Ziara asks 'When do you plan to meet with the new senate?' Alfonso shares that he will check in with the Senates as soon as he is apointed. Josh asks, "How do you think that the three students governments can make the time or create the community?" Alfonso: Recognises that CC the mixer time was happening nearby the time that ASCC meets. Wants to make a mixer for general College studetns. A lot of students are detered a lot of the times, but wants to make an avenue where students can come in to meet with people who can dictate. How will you ensure that Canada is accounted for. Shares that he will try to have a foudation for communication. The biggest issue that Alfonso shares is that the trustees, really only try to make their home college their base. Wanted to share that there is a coming issue in the reduction of inperson classes. where a lot of students are having trouble with students who typically need a structured enviroment, its a grey area where most students don't feel comfortable talking about their mental health, and with HIPPA, DRC can't really talk about it.			
<b>Next meeting:</b>			
	6/11/2026	3:15pm - 5:15pm	
<b>I call this meeting to end at:</b>			
	6:30 PM	<b>Minutes left:</b>	<b>-7</b>