

Date		Time		Location:	
9/17/2026		3:15PM - 5:15PM		Building 13, Room 330/332 zoom: https://smccd.zoom.us/j/81351698247?pwd=U2dGRnFFZjIyUkNleENYWmFEY3JrQT09 Meeting ID: 813 5169 8247 Password: 164573	
1. Call this meeting to order at Time 3:28pm				Minutes	Final Minutes
Time Keeper			Chanel		
Please call out when 5 minutes and 1 minute remain, call time loudly when allotted time is reached					
Land and Labor Acknowledgement:			Lamar		2
We acknowledge that Cañada College is situated on the traditional unceded land of the Ramaytush (Rah-my-toosh) and Muwekma (Moo-ek-mah) 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 and Muwekma 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					
Total Members=		11	Quorum =	6	
			Members Present =	10	
Role	Name	Status			

President	Alexis	☒			
Vice President	Chanel	☒			
Commisioner of Finance	Shanda	☒			
Commisioner of Actives	Neve	☒			
Commisioner of Public Records	Bianca	☒			
Commisioner of Publicity	Kharittas	☐	Absent		
Comissioner of Design and Marketing	Lamar	☒			
Senator at Large BDW		☐			
Senator at Large STEM		☐			
Senator at Large HSS		☐			
Senator at Large CEMC		☐			
Senator at Large KAD		☐			
Senator	Juan	☒			
Senator	Mackenzie	☒			
Senator	Russel	☒	Appointed at 5:44pm		
Senator	Manny	☒	Appointed at 5:44pm		
Senator	Jason	☒	Appointed at 5:44pm		
Senator		☐			
Senator		☐			
Senator		☐			
Senator		☐			
Senator at Large		☐			
3. Adoption of the Agenda					
September 17th, 2026				2	2
Mackenzie moves to adopt the agenda of September 17th, 2026 . Shanda seconds this motion. This motion passes with all votes in favor					
4. Approval of the minutes					
September 10th, 2026				2	2
Chanel moves to approve the minutes of September 10th, 2026. Bianca seconds this motion. This motion passes with all votes in favor			Agenda 09/10/2026		
5. Hearing of the public					
This time is reserved for members of the public who wish to address the Associated Students of Cañada College on non-agenda items. If time is limited, the discussion will be restricted to 2 minutes per speaker and 2 minutes per topic.					
Alexis - Running For Senate, Manny- Being Interviewd for Senate, Jason- Here for his interview as well, Russel- Also running for senate. Julie -Here for a funding request.					
6. Special Presentations					
Academic Senate Governing Council - Presentation			<i>Diana Tedone-Goldstone + Allison Hughes</i>	15	15

<i>Presenting about policy / guidelines on non-faculty having access to Canvas courses. Academic Senate wants to create sample language that faculty can use to inform students of any non-faculty member of record. Academic Senate's ask: 1. What would Students like an information statement to say? 2. What would students like to see in a policy/procedure about faculty consent to Canvas access? 3. What do students expect in regard to who has access to your class in Canvas? Chanel motions to move this agenda item to new business for the agenda of the 24th. Mackenzie seconds this motion; passes with all votes in favor.</i>	ASCC- Non-Faculty of Record Access to Canvas Course		
Club Connect - ICC Event Presentation	Chanel	10	10
<i>Club Connect was successful with approximately 160 people participating. Students also shared that they would like to see the event return, although many suggested changing the name because "Club Connect" sounds similar to "Club Rush."</i>			
7. New Business			
funding request sheet for []	2026/2027 - Funding Request (Responses)		
ESL Department / ESL 192 - Funding Request: \$2,500	Julie Carey	10	10
<i>Professor Carey here to request \$2,500 to support student-led campus events held at the end of each semester. Students showcase their skills and cultural experiences while practicing English and connecting with the campus community. Julie explained that having funding for both semesters would reduce uncertainty, especially for fall events when other funding may not be available in time. Chanel moves to table this agenda item until vending commission confirmation email is sent out on October 15 pending vending commission confirmation. Mackenzie seconds this motion passes with all votes in favor.</i>			
Gift Card Issues/Transportation/Food	Chanel + Kharittas	10	20
https://www.almanacnews.com/san-mateo-county/2026/08/06/report-community-college-district-disbursed-7-million-in-gift-cards-to-students-without-proper-oversight/			
<i>Chanel motions to create an Ad-Hoc Committee for vendor cards (Clubs, student support programs, PG, Board, and DSC). Shanda Seconds this motion, This motion Passes with 6 votes in favor; non opposed, 1 abstain.</i>			
COLEGAS (\$6500: 1 Advisor + 2 Students), SSCCC (\$18,762: 1 Advisor + 3 Students), A2MEND (\$5118: 1 Advisor + 2 Students) Conference 2026 - Funding Request	Sergio	10	10
<i>Looking to vote on passing these three conferences for ASCC to go to and bring back what they learned, presented in a senate meeting. Shanda motions to add five minutes; Mackenzie seconds this motion passes six to one, with one abstaining and none opposed. Bianca motions to agendize this item for the next meeting. Mackenzie seconds, this motion is tied three to three, and Alexis votes in favor of tabling this item passes.</i>			
Mental Health Awareness Series	Shanda	10	1

<i>Shanda Moves to table the Mental Health awareness series for next week, Chanel seconds this motion. This motion passes with 6 votes in favor, 1 abstain, non-opposed.</i>			
8. Interviews and appointments			
Jason - Appointment (Senator)		10	10
<i>Jason, a student at Cañada College studying engineering, is here to become a senator to be a student voice. He has been at Cañada for 4 years and has experience being on campus. Jason states that he will be on top of his other work in order to keep up with Student Senate requirements. He emphasized that once he is on ASCC, he will make students feel included and represented in ASCC as well as on campus.</i>			
Russel Keneth - Appointment (Senator)		10	10
<i>Russel is a Computer Science student at Cañada College. He is here because he would like to become a senator, and as a Filipino student, he is here to bring representation to ASCC for other Filipino students. He is also interested in doing outreach for programs and collaborating with Shanda and Neve on the Mental Health awareness event. Russel emphasised that he knows Senate has time commitments and will make time for ASCC.</i>			
Emanuel (Manny) - Appointment (Senator)		10	2.1
<i>Emanuel is a student here at Cañada College studying engineering He is part of the EOPS club and the Engineering club and is looking to join the senate as a senator. He is looking to help students connect to the services that the campus has to offer. Shanda motions to appoint Emanuel, Russel, and Jason to Senator effective immediately. Bianca seconds this motion passes with 6 in favor, one abstaining, and non-opposed.</i>			
9. Reports			
a. College Administration Representative(s) Report(s)	<i>Max Hartman</i>	2	2
<i>Dean Heartman thanks all of the senators on the work they are doing about the impact of the transportation and food cards. Programs are working diligently on a solution, though it is still important to gather student testimonies.</i>			
b. Public Safety Report	<i>Vacant</i>	0	
None			
c. Student Life and Leadership Manager	<i>Sergio Suarez</i>	2	
<i>Josh in place of sergio- No reports (very eventful 4 events)</i>			
d. Trustee Report(s)	<i>Revee Reboredo</i>	2	0
<i>No Reports</i>			
e.I. Programing boards	<i>Neve</i>	2	1
<i>No big reports (main thing, trying to make a consistent meeting time)</i>			
e.II. Inter Club Council	<i>Chanel</i>	2	
<i>WE HAD, Club rush, First ICC meeting with contain a training. Wil discuss what to do in the future. First meeting is September 21st in this building (13)</i>			
f. Offices			
e.III Community Relations	<i>To be Appointed</i>		
e.IV Coalition of Student Voices	<i>To be Appointed</i>		

g. Student Senate			
President:	<i>Alexis</i>	1	3
<i>The Curriculum Committee met and discussed several updates. The General Education Handbook received feedback and will be voted on at the next meeting, including changes to Area 7 and whether courses such as PSYC C1000 fit within that area. The committee also reviewed the Common Course Numbering phases, with Phase 3 currently on hold and expected to be completed by Fall 2028.</i>			
<i>Additional topics included programming updates, required faculty information, and the transition away from the current curriculum software by the end of next year. The committee also reviewed the Chancellor's Office Curriculum Inventory (COCI) process, AI-related courses, and student data privacy concerns. Cañada currently has no credit courses specifically focused on AI.</i>			
<i>Finally, academic integrity policies were discussed, particularly the need to</i>			
Vice President:	<i>Chanel</i>	1	1
<i>No reports</i>			
Commissioner of Public Records	<i>Bianca</i>	1	0
<i>DCBF was canceled</i>			
Commissioner of Finances	<i>Shanda</i>	1	2
<i>The PBC meeting covered several major spending and planning items. Approximately \$4 million was discussed for the field, while student housing plans include multiple housing options, although the available pricing information is from 2020 and is expected to change. The discussion also raised concerns about how resources are prioritized among the colleges, with Cañada sometimes receiving projects later than CSM and Skyline.</i>			
Commissioner of Activities	<i>Neve</i>	1	
<i>Met with Lamar and Kharittas (to purchase Swag) Will talk about it during exec Board meeting. Meeting with Josh to get contracts</i>			
Commissioner of Publicity	<i>Khárittas</i>	1	0
<i>No Reports</i>			
Commissioner of Design and Marketing	<i>Lamar</i>	1	1
<i>2 new clubs on Monday (during club rush) (interior design & C.A.T. Club)</i>			
Senator at Large for STEM	<i>Vacant</i>		
Senator at Large for BDW	<i>Vacant</i>		
Senator at Large for HSS	<i>Vacant</i>		
Senator at Large for CEMC	<i>Vacant</i>		
Senator at Large for KAD	<i>Vacant</i>		
Senator	<i>Juan</i>	1	0

No Reports				
Senator		<i>Mackenzie</i>	1	0
No pg's (ASGC meets next week) tutors Philip (a student) who mentioned that he is having difficulties with mobility on campus.				
Senator		<i>Russel</i>	1	0
No reports				
Senator		<i>Jason</i>	1	0
No reports				
Senator		<i>Manny</i>	1	0
No reports				
Senator		<i>Vacant</i>		
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Open Forum and Feedback				
Next meeting: 09/24/2026		3:15pm - 5:15pm		
I call this meeting to end at:		5:56 PM 2.47 Total time	Minutes left:	-1