CAÑADA COLLEGE CLASSIFIED SENATE MEETING MINUTES Wednesday, March 21, 2006

IN ATTENDANCE – Robert Hood, Susan Traynor, Roberta Chock, Bart Scott, Maria Mendez, Gloria Pena-Bench, Helia Ying, Mike Tyler, Jose Romero, Joan Murphy, Jonna Pounds, Terry Watson, Ricardo Flores, Jacqulyn Holley, Faye Soler, Lucy Nolasco

MUTUAL RESPECT POLICY – Terry Watson distributed copies of the 2/6/2006 draft of Proposed New Rules and Regulations 2.24: Mutual Respect Policy for discussion. Response: The proposal as stated is too broad. Be more specific for example in item # 5 the policy states "The District Office and the Colleges shall take steps necessary to provide a positive educational and working environment." How and what are the steps the District/Colleges will take?

PLANNING AND BUDGET CONSTITUTION – Terry Watson distributed copies of the 3/21/2006 draft of the Planning and Budget Committee for discussion. Response: Since Planning and Budget has historically been a sub-committee of the College Council we see no valid reason to change the reporting structure already in place. Planning and Budget should remain as an advisory sub-committee of the College Council. We also suggest that the College Business Officer be a voting member of this committee. We commend the Planning and Budget committee for their hard work in drafting a new constitution for the committee.

SCULPTURE GARDEN RECOMMENDATIONS – The area where the sculpture garden is located is going to be redesigned for the location of olive trees that will be moved due to renovations. The small sculptures and panels on the fences will be relocated to other areas on campus. If you have ideas about where they will be relocated please contact Pat Tyler.

CANDIDATES FOR COLLEGE PRESIDENT – The general consensus of the staff attending this meeting was that both candidate forums left us with a lack of interest in pursuing either candidate as our new president. Staff members were encouraged to complete the green forms distributed at the forum or to email Cody Pelletier directly. All comments will be kept confidential. Joan Murphy and Terry Watson will draft a statement from classified to the Hiring Committee and Chancellor.