BOARD OF TRUSTEES	SPECIAL MEETING
SANTA MONICA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT	October 28, 2026

MINUTES

A special meeting/closed session of the Santa Monica Community College District Board of Trustees was held on Wednesday, October 28, 2026 at 5:00 p.m. in the Santa Monica College Board Room (Business Building Room 117), 1900 Pico Boulevard, Santa Monica, California.

I. ORGANIZATIONAL FUNCTIONS

A Call to Order -5:00 p.m.

B Roll Call

Dr. Sion Roy, Chair - Present
Dr. Tom Peters, Vice-Chair - Present
Dr. Luis Barrera Castañón - Present
Anastasia Foster - Present
Dr. Nancy Greenstein - Present
Dr. Margaret Quiñones-Perez - Absent
Rob Rader – Present*

*Pursuant to Government Code Section 54953(b), Trustee Rob Rader participated by teleconference in the Board of Trustees meeting at the location indicated below:

605 Castro Street
Mountain View, California 94041

II. PUBLIC COMMENTS - None

III. CLOSED SESSION

PUBLIC EMPLOYEE APPOINTMENT, Government Code Section 54957(b)(1)
Title: Superintendent/President

The Board of Trustees returned to open session and announced the following:

The Board of Trustees voted in closed session to appoint Candace D. Jones, Ed.D., as Superintendent/President effective January 1, 2027. The Board will approve the terms and conditions of her employment in open session at the regular meeting of the Board of Trustees on November 17, 2026.

Roll Call Vote:

AYES: 6
Sion Roy
Tom Peters
Luis Barrera Castañón
Anastasia Foster
Nancy Greenstein
Rob Rader
NOES: 0
ABSENT: 1 (Margaret Quiñones-Perez)

Chair Roy called Dr. Jones, informed her of the Board's decision, and congratulated her.

IV. ADJOURNMENT – 5:35 p.m.

The next regular meeting of the Santa Monica Community College District Board of Trustees will be held on Tuesday, November 17, 2026 at 6 p.m. (5 p.m. if there is a closed session) in the Santa Monica College Board Room (Business Building Room 117), 1900 Pico Boulevard, Santa Monica, California. This meeting will be held in-person and via Zoom Webinar to allow for remote attendance.