

Crafton Council - Minutes

Meeting Details

Date: September 08, 2026

Time: 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Location: CCR 233

Members (Attendance)

Enter P (present) or A (absent) in the Attendance column.

Attendance (P/A)	Member	Role / Representation
A	Horan, Kevin	Committee Chair
P	Lopez, Natalie	President, Academic Senate
A	Vacant	California Teachers Association Rep
A	Olivera, Chris	Academic Senate, Vice President of Support
P	~~Peterson, Karen~~ Sharon Zerbel	Vice President, Classified Senate
P	Garcia, Jazmyn	Student Senate representative
P	Sosa, Gio	Dean of Institutional Effectiveness, Research and Planning
P	Spencer, Delmy	Vice President, Student Services
P	Strong, Mike	Vice President, Admin Services
A	Vaichis, Diana	California School Employees Association Rep
P	Wurtz, Keith	Vice President Instruction
P	Clements, Kristen	Academic Senate, Vice President Outreach

Minutes Items

Topic	Discussion
Review and approve minutes from 05-12-26	The minutes from May 12, 2026, were approved as written. Motion to approve the 05-12-26 minutes as written by Keith, seconded by Delmy. No opposition. No abstentions. Motion approved.
Crafton Council Charge and Membership Review – All	The charge and membership list for Crafton Council was reviewed by the committee. No changes were suggested. Motion to keep the Crafton Council Charge and Membership with no changes was made by Natalie, seconded by Keith. No opposition. No abstentions. Motion approved.
Measure Y – Kevin	Kevin indicated the Measure Y is a capital bond project for \$898,000,000 for facilities at SBVC, CHC and EDCT. The following projects have been identified at CHC: • Build out gym • Allied Health building • Mountain community center • Expansion of Student Services • Infrastructure projects at CHC Kevin asked that each constituency group please share this information with their members. This will be going to the November ballot and if passed, there is still a lengthy process to go through before construction would begin.
Measure M – Mike	This measure was originally approved for \$490,000,000 in 2008. Not all of these bonds have been sold. Housing price changes affect the ability to sell more bonds. CHC will get another \$25,000,000. Using the implementation priorities and plan in our current EMP and based on \$25M dollar amount, the funds will go to prep the site, grading and finalizing the soccer field so we can offer women's and men's soccer and women's flag football.
Committee Reports	
• IRB – Gio	No report.
• Professional Development – Keith	No report.
• Safety - Mike	Meets next week. Will be planning Great Shakeout for October and tabletop exercise with a scenario of a 7.5 earthquake.
• Student Equity and Achievement – Delmy	No report. Meets next week.

Topic	Discussion
Technology Planning – Mike	No report.
Public Arts Task Force – Mike	First meeting 10-08-26.
Public Comments	Kristen wanted to request Crafton Council to ask the shared governance committees to look at possibly moving their committee meeting times to either Friday or later in the day throughout the week to allow faculty members a better opportunity to sign up for these committees without conflicts with their teaching schedules. We will add an agenda item next meeting.
Announcements	Natalie indicated that Lawyers in Library will occur on the third Thursdays of each month from 11:00-2:00 in LRC 226 for free legal services for students. Transfer Fair is Wednesday 09-09-26 from 930-12:30 in Breezeway. Voter registration bus will be here on Wednesday 09-09-26 in the quad. Jazmyn stated Adam Schiff came to a roundtable at KVCR and Jazmyn spoke about SNAP benefits on campus and asked to amend the bill to incentivize schools and businesses to offer SNAP benefits. Mr. Schiff sent the amended bill to Jazmyn to review. This bill would go nationwide. She wasn't sure who should also review the bill. Kevin said to reach out to Angel Rodriguez at DSO.
Adjournment:	Meeting was adjourned at 1:33 p.m.
Next meeting	Next meeting is Tuesday, September 22, 2026, at 1:00 p.m. in CCR 233.

College Mission, Vision, and Values

Mission Statement

The Crafton Hills College mission is to change lives. We seek to inspire our students, support our colleagues, and embrace our community through a learning environment that is transformational. Crafton Hills College welcomes everyone and is committed to working with students from diverse backgrounds. The College has an exceptional learning environment built

on a tradition of excellence, a talented faculty, a driven student body, a committed staff, with passionate leadership and community support.

Vision Statement

To empower the people who study here, the people who work here, and the people who live in our community through education, engagement, and innovation.

Institutional Values

- **Respect:** To champion active listening and open dialogue within our community.
- **Integrity:** To uphold honesty in our interactions and academic pursuits and maintain community collaboration.
- **Diversity & Inclusion:** To promote a welcoming environment through equitable and antiracist practices in all aspects of our work.
- **Innovation:** To actively grow and adapt to support our mission and vision through a willingness to embrace new perspectives and new ideas.
- **Leadership:** To develop and inspire current and future leaders through professional development, mentorship, education, and experience.
- **Sustainability:** To be a leader in our community by reducing environmental impact with practices that meet the needs of the present without compromising the future.

Crafton Council Committee Charge

The Crafton Council is the central deliberative collegial body at Crafton Hills College. The primary shared governance committees report to Crafton Council. The fundamental purpose is to provide information and facilitate communication and governance. The Crafton Council:

1. Serves as the primary committee to address participatory governance issues.
2. Provides information to and models best practices for participatory governance committees.
3. Assumes oversight and maintenance of the CHC Organizational Handbook.
4. Monitors Policies and Administrative Regulations related to participatory governance, and recommends modifications thereof, or new Policies or Administrative Regulations, as needed.
5. Coordinates and facilitates the systematic evaluation of governance structures and processes.
6. Promotes plan integration and alignment and recommends corrective action as necessary.
7. Relies on research, evidence and learning assessment results to inform participatory governance planning and decision-making.

8. Facilitates the revisions and forwards the college Mission, Vision and Values to the Board of Trustees when applicable.

Crafton Council Committee Membership

- President
- Vice President of Instruction
- Vice President of Student Services
- Vice President of Administrative Services
- President, Academic Senate
- Vice President of Support, Academic Senate
- Vice President of Outreach, Academic Senate
- President, Classified Senate
- California School Employee Association (CSEA) representative
- California Teachers Association (CTA) representative
- President, Student Senate
- Dean of Institutional Effectiveness, Research and Planning serves as a resource person as needed.