



# San Francisco Youth Commission Justice & Employment Committee Minutes

Tuesday, May 29, 2018

5:00-7:00 PM

City Hall, Room 345

1. Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Pl.

San Francisco, CA 94102

*There will be public comment on each item.*

Members: Zak Franet (Chair), Jonathan Mesler (Vice Chair), Mike'l Gregory, Bahlam Vigil

## **1. Call to Order and Roll Call**

The meeting was called to order at 5:03pm. Commissioners present: Mesler, Gregory. Commissioners absent: Vigil is on a leave of absence. Commissioner Franet is running late and will arrive shortly. Staff present: Kiely Hosmon. There was quorum.

## **2. Approval of Agenda (Action Item)**

Commissioner Gregory, seconded by Commissioner Mesler, moved to approve the agenda. There was no public comment. The motion was approved by acclamation.

## **3. Approval of Minutes (Action Item)**

- A. Monday, March 26, 2018  
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Commissioner Gregory, seconded by Commissioner Mesler, moved to approve the minutes. There was no public comment. The motion was approved by acclamation.

## **4. Public Comment on Items not on Agenda (Discussion Only)**

There was none.

## **5. Business (All Items to Follow Discussion and Possible Action)**

- A. Check Ins

Commissioners participated in a check in.

- B. Presentation on Know Your Rights Pamphlet and Police Accountability  
Presenter: Samara Marion, Attorney, Department of Police Accountability

Samara gave some background context to the Dept. of Police Accountability. The Youth Commission used to be meet with the Dept of Police Accountability (formerly known as the Office



Citizen Complaints) at least monthly and with other youth serving agencies. From these meetings, they collaborated on, and created, a Know Your Rights Pamphlet for youth in SF.

There are now new laws regarding Miranda laws and they would like to update the brochure. Samara requested from the YC:

- 1) Find the copyrighted picture that the YC obtained in the beginning
- 2) Review the new brochure for content, looks, and give feedback
- 3) See if we have a budget for translation, or if we know anyone who can proof it a second time in a different language other than English

Samara should have a draft brochure by June 11<sup>th</sup> and can present it to the JEC meeting that day for review.

She let us know that the Youth Commission has met, and held, a joint hearing with the Police Commission in the past and one of the issues was on the Policing the Teen Brain training, which they supported and were in favor of. In the future, we could hold another hearing to see how the trainings are working, now that the Training of Trainers is starting today, and identify monitoring youth arrests, use of force, race/ethnicity, gender, schools etc. Having the training si great and we need to see if it will be effective, if de-escalation does occur, and if resources are made available to youth.

A new Police Commission creates an opportunity to do another joint hearing and have concrete asks from them.

YC could also partner with the Dept of Police Accountability and host Know Your Rights trainings and do Juvenile Jeopardy. They would love to collaborate with us on this.

- C. Presentation on Memorandum of Understanding for SFUSD and School Resource Officers  
Presenter: Angel Carrion, Civic Engagement Coordinator, Coleman Advocates for Youth

Angel, former Youth Commissioner, is now staff at Coleman and does their civic engagement work. The MOU with SFUSD will expire in January 2019 and JECs reviewed documents to give insight and feedback on.

Down the line, they can present to the full YC and get more youth voices in the process. JECs will be happy to help push this work forward over the summer to get the next YC term set up on police related issues.

- D. Alternatives to Incarceration for 18-25 year olds
  - a. Review BLA report next steps (schedule phone call)

Times were identified.

- E. Debrief on meeting with Chief of Police

Rumors says Chief is most likely to leave. If/when this happens, we need to push on getting things implemented before he goes.

- F. Annual Report Working Group



The committee worked on the annual report. Due date is in one week on June 5<sup>th</sup>.

#### **6. Committee Report to Full Commission (Discussion and Possible Action)**

Emphasize the police work and moving forward over the summer.

#### **7. Executive Committee Report (Discussion Only)**

Same as last time.

#### **8. Staff Report & Announcements (Discussion Only)**

- Reminder that there is a June 4<sup>th</sup> full YC meeting. Zak and Mike'l will not be there.
- Zak can help with YC interviews on Friday
- Week of June 11<sup>th</sup>, Clerk of the Board will be giving her budget presentation to the BOS. YCers can give public comment that supports the budget of the YC office
- BPP reports are in the office and can be passed out to CBOs
- The SFPD Policing the Teen Brain training is finally happening after 8 years. There was a press release done today by SFPD
- We will have a new hire in July and we are excited to bring them on!

#### **9. Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 6:30pm.