

# City and County of San Francisco YOUTH COMMISSION Executive Committee

# **MINUTES**

Wednesday, September 27, 2023 5:00 p.m.

IN-PERSON MEETING
City Hall, Room 278
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place,
San Francisco, CA 94102

### IN-PERSON MEETING with REMOTE ACCESS via Webex

**Members**: Gabbie Listana (Vice Chair, D6), Ewan Barker Plummer (Chair, Mayoral), Téa Lonné Amir (Comms & Outreach Officer, Mayoral), Kelly Wu (Comms & Outreach Officer, D3), Allister Adair (Legislative Affairs Officer, D2), Jason Fong (Legislative Affairs Officer, D7).

**Present**: Ewan Barker Plummer, Gabbie Listana, Téa Lonné Amir, Kelly Wu, Allister Adair, Jason Fong.

Absent: None.

Tardy: None.

The San Francisco Youth Commission's Executive Committee met in-person with remote access for public comment, on September 27, 2023, with Vice Chair Listana presiding.

### 1. Call to Order and Roll Call for Attendance

Vice Chair Listana called the meeting to order at 5:02pm.

On the call of the roll:

Roll Call Attendance: 6 present, 0 absent.

Ewan Barker Plummer present



Téa Lonné Amir present Kelly Wu present Allister Adair present Jason Fong present Gabbie Listana present

A quorum of the Executive Committee was present.

### 2. Communications

Joy Zhan, Youth Development Specialist of the SFYC, shared communications and meeting announcements with the Executive Committee.

# 3. Approval of Agenda (Action Item)

Chair Barker Plummer, seconded by Officer Wu, motioned to approve the September 27, 2023 Executive Committee meeting agenda. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Roll Call vote: 6 ayes, 0 absent.

Ewan Barker Plummer aye Téa Lonné Amir aye Kelly Wu aye Allister Adair aye Jason Fong aye Gabbie Listana aye

Action: Agenda Approved.

# 4. Approval of Minutes (Action Item)

a. June 14, 2023 (Packet Materials)

Vice Chair Listana, seconded by Officer Lonné Amir, motioned to approve the June 14, 2023 Executive Committee meeting minutes. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Roll Call vote: 6 ayes, 0 absent.

Ewan Barker Plummer aye Téa Lonné Amir aye



Kelly Wu aye Allister Adair aye Jason Fong aye Gabbie Listana aye

Action: Minutes Approved.

# b. Discussion and Debrief of September 18, 2023 full Youth Commission Meeting

Vice Chair Listana thought that the first full Youth Commission meeting went well, especially since it wasn't a long meeting and elections went smoothly. Chair Barker Plummer congratulated everyone for being elected and looks forward to a productive year.

### 5. Public Comment on matters not on Today's Agenda (2 minutes per comment)

No public comment.

### **6. Committee Business** (discussion and action item)

a. Community Builder

Vice Chair Listana asked an icebreaker question of "how was everyone's week"? Officers reported on how their week was, and staff also reported on how their week has been.

### b. Review Commission Attendance

Director Esquivel Garcia said that the Executive Committee will go through this item every meeting, but that everyone has 100% perfect attendance at this time.

# c. 2023-2024 Goal Setting

Vice Chair Listana touched on goals for each of the committees, specifically supporting Vote16 in CEEC, Free Muni for All Youth in HRT, and rebuilding TJ and expanding it to include immigration. Officer Lonné Amir and Officer Wu said they really want to do more outreach and expand the YC's social media presence to get more youth interested in the Youth Commission's activities. Chair Barker Plummer said he's excited to use the strong energy with the new 2023/2024 Commission cohort to keep building the work that's taken place since last year. Officer Adair said he's excited to start the work in HRT and start the Budget & Policy Priorities earlier than last year to have more time for advocacy. Officer



Fong said he's excited to support Vote16 and Free Muni for All Youth, and also continue advocating for the creation of a District 4 Youth Council with various community partners. He also wants to see how he can collaborate with other youth organizations to help train them on a resolution. Vice Chair Listana agreed with all of the officers and said she wants to focus on lots of collaboration as well.

### d. Student Success Fund Advisory Council - Youth Seat

Director Esquivel Garcia said that Commissioner Ansari (D11) has said that she is interested in serving on the SSFAC Youth Seat, and explained that this would just require a simple motion and vote to nominate, with final approval at the next full Youth Commission meeting. She read Commissioner Ansari's statement to the Executive Committee.

Chair Barker Plummer, seconded by Officer Wu, motioned to recommend to appoint Commissioner Imaan Ansari to the Student Success Fund Advisory Council. No public comment. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Roll Call Vote: 6 ayes, 0 absent.

Ewan Barker Plummer aye Téa Lonné Amir aye Kelly Wu aye Allister Adair aye Jason Fong aye Gabbie Listana aye

Action: Commissioner Imaan Ansari nominated to serve on the SSFAC, moves forward to the full Youth Commission.

# e. City's Juvenile Justice Coordinating Council - Youth Seat

Director Esquivel Garcia said that Commissioner Stack Lozano (D8) has said that she is interested in serving on the City's Juvenile Justice Coordinating Council, and explained that this would just require a simple motion and vote to nominate, with final approval at the next full Youth Commission meeting. She read Commissioner Lozano's statement to the Executive Committee.

Officer Fong, seconded by Officer Lonné Amir, motioned to recommend to appoint Commissioner Galicia Stack Lozano to the City's Juvenile Justice



Coordinating Council. No public comment. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Roll Call Vote: 6 ayes, 0 absent.

Ewan Barker Plummer aye Téa Lonné Amir aye Kelly Wu aye Allister Adair aye Jason Fong aye Gabbie Listana aye

Action: Commissioner Galicia Stack Lozano nominated to serve on the City's Juvenile Justice Coordinating Council, and it moves forward to the full Youth Commission.

- f. Updates on Commission Outreach and Communications
  - Presenters: Téa Lonné Amir & Kelly Wu, Communication and Outreach Officers

Officer Lonné Amir and Officer Wu said they're working on some social media ideas to start getting youth in the community to learn who the Youth Commission is. Officer Lonné Amir said that she hopes that we can create a plan to do direct outreach and presentations at various schools throughout the City, especially at the schools that Commissioners already attend since they have access. Officer Fong said that it'll be harder to spread the word with some of the bigger schools, but that a promotional video could be very helpful to spread around for youth that they can't speak to directly. Officer Wu asked if it would be possible to do a youth leadership fair for interested youth to get involved, to which staff said yes.

Specialist Ochoa said that staff are currently reaching out to every SFUSD high school and middle school to get official contacts to be able to work together and collaborate. He added that SFUSD's Student Advisory Council is very interested in working together with the Youth Commission, and that they're still interested in doing a Youth Leadership Mixer as we discussed with last year's Commission.

- g. Updates on Recent Youth-Related Board of Supervisors / Mayor Legislation
  - i. Presenters: Allister Adair & Jason Fong, Legislative Affairs Officers

Officer Adair mentioned that there's a potential charter amendment proposed by D6 Supervisor Matt Dorsey to increase the required number of police officers in



the City. Officer Fong added that the reason for recent store closures in D6 was highlighted as an outcome of increased crime. Specialist Zhan asked if this was legislation that was being requested to be referred or if it was of interest, to which Officers Fong and Adair said it was currently only as an interest.

Officer Fong mentioned that there's a potential charter amendment proposed to give more power to the Mayor to be able to decide any changes to parking meter hours. Officer Adair added that a lot of community members were concerned about the increase of parking meter hours to meet the City's budget shortfalls. Chair Barker Plummer said to make sure that we ensure that the legislation we're discussing is related specifically to youth, and what meeting it would be on the agenda for if we want to have it referred to the Youth Commission.

Officer Adair mentioned BOS File 230988, which is an ordinance that prohibits the existence of cannabis stores within 600 feet from a preschool. Officer Fong said that the background of this was due to a recent situation where a dispensary was being proposed across the street from a preschool in the Sunset District.

Officer Fong mentioned BOS File 230446, which is an ordinance that drastically changes the planning code to encourage housing production outside of priority equity geographies by changing the requirements of developers on multiple levels. Officer Fong said this legislation has already been referred to the full Youth Commission for the October 2nd meeting.

### h. Approval of Full Youth Commission October 2, 2023 Agenda

Director Esquivel Garcia mentioned that staff recommend adding the following items to the agenda: Presentations (as Item 6) to include the BayPass Support Letter & Expanding Housing Choice - Zoning Program; Legislation (as Item 7) to include a resolution regarding Vision Zero and infrastructure changes; Legislation Referred (as Item 8) to include BOS File 230446; Appointments (as Item 9) to include the appointment of the JJCC & SSFAC youth seats; and Trainings (as Item 10) to include Legislation Research.

Chair Barker Plummer, seconded by Officer Wu, motioned to approve the October 2, 2023 full Youth Commission agenda with the included amendments by Director Esquivel Garcia. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following voice vote:

Voice Vote: 6 ayes, 0 absent.



Ewan Barker Plummer aye Téa Lonné Amir aye Kelly Wu aye Allister Adair aye Jason Fong aye Gabbie Listana aye

Action: full Youth Commission October 2, 2023 agenda approved with amendments.

# 7. Adjournment

There being no further business on the agenda, the Executive Committee adjourned at 6:07pm.