

# City and County of San Francisco YOUTH COMMISSION

## MINUTES

Monday, April 1, 2024 5:00pm

IN-PERSON MEETING City Hall, Room 416 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, San Francisco, CA 94102

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

**Members**: Ewan Barker Plummer (Chair, Mayoral), Gabbie Listana (Vice Chair, D6), 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), Chloe Wong (D1), Linda Ye (D4), Helen Cisneros (D5), Galicia Stack Lozano (D8), Skylar Dang (D9), Adrianna Faagau-Noa (D10), Imaan Ansari (D11), Valentina Alioto-Pier (Mayoral), Isabella T. Perez (Mayoral), Aryelle Lampkins (Mayoral), Joselyn Marroquin (Mayoral).

**Present**: Ewan Barker Plummer, Gabbie Listana, Téa Lonné Amir, Kelly Wu, Allister Adair, Jason Fong, Chloe Wong, Linda Ye, Helen Cisneros, Galicia Stack Lozano, Skylar Dang, Adrianna Faagau-Noa, Imaan Ansari, Valentina Alioto-Pier, Isabella T. Perez, Aryelle Lampkins, Joselyn Marroquin.

Absent: Helen Cisneros (excused), Isabella T. Perez (excused), Skylar Dang (excused).

Tardy: Chloe Wong.

The San Francisco Youth Commission met in-person with remote access on April 1, 2024, with Chair Barker Plummer presiding.

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

Chair Barker Plummer called the meeting to order at 5:01pm.

On the call of the roll:



Roll Call Attendance: 13 present, 4 absent.

Chloe Wong absent Allister Adair present Kelly Wu present Linda Ye present Helen Cisneros absent Gabbie Listana present Jason Fong present Galicia Stack Lozano present Skylar Dang absent Adrianna Faagau-Noa present Imaan Ansari present Valentina Alioto-Pier present Isabella T. Perez absent Aryelle Lampkins present Joselyn Marroquin present Téa Lonné Amir present Ewan Barker Plummer present

A quorum of the Commission was present.

Officer Wu, seconded by Commissioner Faagau-Noa, motioned to excuse the absences of Commissioners Cisneros, Dang, and Perez. Chair Barker Plummer stated that all of the absent commissioners are sick or absent for religious reasons, and Commissioner Wong is running late. The motion was carried by the following voice vote:

Voice Vote: 14 ayes, 3 absent.

Chloe Wong aye Allister Adair aye Kelly Wu aye Linda Ye aye Helen Cisneros absent Gabbie Listana aye Jason Fong aye Galicia Stack Lozano aye Skylar Dang absent Adrianna Faagau-Noa aye Imaan Ansari aye



Valentina Alioto-Pier aye Isabella T. Perez aye Aryelle Lampkins aye Joselyn Marroquin aye Téa Lonné Amir aye Ewan Barker Plummer aye

Action: Commissioner Cisneros, Dang, and Perez's absences have been excused for today's meeting.

## 2. Communications

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

Commissioner Wong entered the meeting at 5:05pm.

## 3. Approval of Agenda (Action Item)

Commissioner Ye, seconded by Officer Adair, motioned to approve the April 1, 2024 full Youth Commission meeting agenda, with the amendment to table Item 6A to the next full Youth Commission meeting. Commissioner Ye said that this was due to United Playaz not being able to attend today's meeting for their commendation. No public comment. The motion carried by the following voice vote:

Voice Vote: 14 ayes, 3 absent.

Chloe Wong aye Allister Adair aye Kelly Wu aye Linda Ye aye Helen Cisneros absent Gabbie Listana aye Jason Fong aye Galicia Stack Lozano aye Skylar Dang absent Adrianna Faagau-Noa aye Imaan Ansari aye Valentina Alioto-Pier aye Isabella T. Perez aye Aryelle Lampkins aye



Joselyn Marroquin aye Téa Lonné Amir aye Ewan Barker Plummer aye

Action: Agenda Approved.

## 4. Approval of Minutes (Action Item)

a. March 18, 2024 (Packet Materials)

Officer Wu, seconded by Commissioner Stack Lozano, motioned to approve the March 18, 2024 full Youth Commission meeting minutes. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following voice vote:

Voice Vote: 14 ayes, 3 absent.

Chloe Wong ave Allister Adair aye Kelly Wu aye Linda Ye ave Helen Cisneros absent Gabbie Listana aye Jason Fong aye Galicia Stack Lozano aye Skylar Dang absent Adrianna Faagau-Noa aye Imaan Ansari aye Valentina Alioto-Pier ave Isabella T. Perez aye Aryelle Lampkins aye Joselyn Marroquin aye Téa Lonné Amir aye Ewan Barker Plummer aye

Action: Minutes Approved.

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

No public comment.

6. Commission Business (discussion and action item) a. Resolution of Commendation – Recognition of United Playaz



1. Presenter(s): Commissioners Ye, Dang

Item 6A was tabled to the next full Youth Commission meeting during the approval of the agenda.

- b. MOTION No. [Motion to Submit Letter of Support for SB 997] Motion to urge the San Francisco Board of Supervisors, and San Francisco Mayor London Breed to support Senate Bill 997
  - i. Presenter: Commissioner Ye

Commissioner Ye, seconded by Commissioner Stack Lozano, motioned to urge the SF Board of Supervisors and SF Mayor London Breed to support Senate Bill 997. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Roll Call Vote: 14 ayes, 3 absent.

Chloe Wong aye Allister Adair ave Kelly Wu aye Linda Ye ave Helen Cisneros absent Gabbie Listana aye Jason Fong aye Galicia Stack Lozano aye Skylar Dang absent Adrianna Faagau-Noa aye Imaan Ansari aye Valentina Alioto-Pier ave Isabella T. Perez ave Aryelle Lampkins aye Joselyn Marroquin aye Téa Lonné Amir aye Ewan Barker Plummer aye

Action: Motion to urge the SF Board of Supervisors and SF Mayor London Breed to support Senate Bill 997 passes.

c. MOTION No. [Motion to Submit Letter of Support for SB 953] Motion to urge the San Francisco Board of Supervisors, and San Francisco Mayor London Breed to support Senate Bill 953



i. Presenter: Commissioner Ye

Commissioner Ye introduced the motion and explained the background of this legislation and how it relates to San Francisco youth.

Commissioner Faagau-Noa, seconded by Vice Chair Listana, motioned to urge the San Francisco Board of Supervisors, and San Francisco Mayor London Breed to support Senate Bill 953, with a grammatical amendment to the supporting document. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Roll Call Vote: 14 ayes, 3 absent.

Chloe Wong ave Allister Adair aye Kelly Wu ave Linda Ye aye Helen Cisneros absent Gabbie Listana aye Jason Fong aye Galicia Stack Lozano aye Skylar Dang absent Adrianna Faagau-Noa aye Imaan Ansari aye Valentina Alioto-Pier aye Isabella T. Perez ave Aryelle Lampkins ave Joselyn Marroquin aye Téa Lonné Amir aye Ewan Barker Plummer aye

Action: Motion to urge the San Francisco Board of Supervisors, and San Francisco Mayor London Breed to support Senate Bill 953 passes.

- 7. Legislation Referred (discussion and action item)
  - a. BOS FILE NO. 240144 [Hearing Departmental Compliance Language Access] Hearing to discuss departmental compliance with the City's Language Access Ordinance, including the review of the 2024 Language Access Summary Report from the Office of Civic Engagement and Immigrant Affairs, as well as File No. 230868 (Administrative, Campaign and Governmental Conduct Codes -



Language Access Ordinance), and requesting community organizations who provide language access to present feedback; and requesting the Office of Civic Engagement and Immigrant Affairs to report.

i. Presenter: LAOs

Officer Adair introduced the item, and said that there is about two weeks for any commissioners to submit questions and comments, and submit to the hearing. Officer Lonné Amir asked about specifics in regards to how people access the language access services in the first place. Commissioner Stack Lozano said that most of people's experiences were negative in retrieving information, and they should look deeper into that. Officer Adair said he'd like to find out more information and data in regards to youth when it comes to language access. Chair Barker Plummer said he has the question regarding the retention of the services, and the impact of youth translation for their families. Vice Chair Listana read aloud the six questions she has for the hearing, and submitted them to staff. Commissioner Faagau-Noa asked about the accessibility for language access resources that only exist out of their district or neighborhood.

Vice Chair Listana, seconded by Officer Lonné Amir, motioned to support BOS File 240144, with comments and questions attached. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Roll Call Vote: 14 ayes, 3 absent.

Chloe Wong aye Allister Adair aye Kelly Wu aye Linda Ye aye Helen Cisneros absent Gabbie Listana aye Jason Fong aye Galicia Stack Lozano aye Skylar Dang absent Adrianna Faagau-Noa aye Imaan Ansari aye Valentina Alioto-Pier aye Isabella T. Perez aye Aryelle Lampkins aye Joselyn Marroquin aye



Téa Lonné Amir aye Ewan Barker Plummer aye

Action: Motion to support BOS File 240144 passes with comments and questions attached.

- b. BOS FILE NO. 240211 [Umbrella Memorandum of Understanding SFPUC -SFUSD - Installation, Operation and Maintenance of Green Infrastructure] Resolution approving the Umbrella Memorandum of Understanding between the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission (SFPUC) and the San Francisco Unified School District (SFUSD), and establishing a partnership framework for SFPUC's installation and operation of various green infrastructure projects on SFUSD properties, with a total term of 40 years from June 1, 2024, through June 30, 2064, pursuant to Charter, Section 9.118.
  - i. Presenter: LAOs

Commissioner Ye said that this is very important legislation, especially as SF has seen lots of flooding from the rains and atmospheric rivers, and it's critical to make sure that schools remain safe.

Commissioner Ansari, seconded by Commissioner Ye, motioned to support BOS File 240211. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Roll Call Vote: 14 ayes, 3 absent.

Chloe Wong aye Allister Adair aye Kelly Wu aye Linda Ye aye Helen Cisneros absent Gabbie Listana aye Jason Fong aye Galicia Stack Lozano aye Skylar Dang absent Adrianna Faagau-Noa aye Imaan Ansari aye Valentina Alioto-Pier aye Isabella T. Perez aye Aryelle Lampkins aye Joselyn Marroquin aye



Téa Lonné Amir aye Ewan Barker Plummer aye

Action: Motion to support BOS File 240211 passes.

- c. BOS FILE NO. 240239 [Resolution urging Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing to Develop a Comprehensive Plan that Prioritizes Families with Children to Receive Shelter] Resolution urging the Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing to prioritize families with children to receive shelter or hotel vouchers the same day that they arrive at an access point, to develop a comprehensive plan that focuses on children and families to prevent children from living on the streets and develop a multilingual, accessible public dashboard where families can monitor the waitlist and the progress of moving families into permanent housing.
  - i. Presenter: LAOs

Officer Adair said that he strongly believes that they should pass this to ensure that no youth spends the night on the street if they can't find housing when their voucher expires. Officer Fong added that he believes that all services should be accessible via language for the same reason. Chair Barker Plummer said it may be worth looking into complicated custody situations with minors, to which Commissioner Ye said that there's plenty of programs that deal with youth as of now that deal with minors. Officer Adair said it would be a good idea to prepare a public comment statement, and the HRT Committee could work on any questions or comments for the hearing. Officer Fong said that it would be important for HSH to recommend declaring a state of emergency regarding our street situations, to which Chair Barker Plummer said that they should look at the City Charter on the details of that.

Chair Barker Plummer, seconded by Officer Wu, motioned to support BOS File 240239, with comments attached. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Roll Call Vote: 14 ayes, 3 absent.

Chloe Wong aye Allister Adair aye Kelly Wu aye Linda Ye aye Helen Cisneros absent



Gabbie Listana aye Jason Fong aye Galicia Stack Lozano aye Skylar Dang absent Adrianna Faagau-Noa aye Imaan Ansari aye Valentina Alioto-Pier aye Isabella T. Perez aye Aryelle Lampkins aye Joselyn Marroquin aye Téa Lonné Amir aye Ewan Barker Plummer aye

Action: Motion to support BOS File 240239 passes.

d. BOS FILE NO. 240244 [Hearing - Emergency Response Times and Quality of Engagement with School Sites] Hearing to examine concerning response time delays from departments providing emergency services and the quality of engagement with school sites following 911 emergencies, given prior incidents of threats to students' safety and wellbeing; and requesting the San Francisco Police Department, Department of Emergency Services, and San Francisco Unified School District to report.

i. Presenter: LAOs

Chair Barker Plummer asked how this legislation could affect the response times to a potential active shooter threat at school sites.

Chair Barker Plummer, seconded by Commissioner Ansari, motioned to approve BOS File 240244. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Roll Call Vote: 14 ayes, 3 absent.

Chloe Wong aye Allister Adair aye Kelly Wu aye Linda Ye aye Helen Cisneros absent Gabbie Listana aye Jason Fong aye Galicia Stack Lozano aye



Skylar Dang absent Adrianna Faagau-Noa aye Imaan Ansari aye Valentina Alioto-Pier aye Isabella T. Perez aye Aryelle Lampkins aye Joselyn Marroquin aye Téa Lonné Amir aye Ewan Barker Plummer aye

Action: Motion to support BOS File 240244 passes.

## 8. Committee Reports (discussion item)

- a. Executive Committee
  - i. Legislative Affairs Officers

Officer Adair mentioned that they want as much commissioner input as possible for the legislation that's been referred to the Youth Commission. He added that all of the 11 BOS-appointed commissioners should meet with their appointing officer sometime this month, even if it's just stopping by their office to talk about the 2023/2024 Budget & Policy Priorities. Officer Fong said the same for the Mayor-appointed commissioners to meet and get to know the staff in the Mayor's Office. He added that they presented to the BOS Budget & Appropriations Committee last week on Wednesday, and they expressed their intent to see them more often. Officer Adair said that he hopes every commissioner is able to take a selfie with their appointing officer or their legislative aide.

ii. Communication and Outreach Officers

Officer Lonné Amir said that the 2024/2025 Youth Commission application is officially open as of today, and sent the information regarding the info sessions.

iii. General Committee Updates

Vice Chair Listana said there weren't any significant updates besides the notice of YC Officers presenting to the BOS's Budget & Appropriations Committee.

b. Civic Engagement and Education Committee



Commissioner Alioto-Pier said that CEEC discussed their goals and priorities for the remainder of this year's term.

c. Housing, Recreation, and Transit Committee

Officer Fong said that HRT discussed their goals and priorities for the remainder of this year's term.

d. Transformative Justice Committee

Commissioner Ye said that TJ wrote two letters of support and went over presentation notes regarding juvenile hall's renovations.

## 9. Roll Call and Introductions

Roll call for introduction of resolutions, requests for hearings, letters of inquiry, and Commissioners' reports on their Commission related activities.

a. Presenters: Commissioner Barker Plummer, Commissioner Listana, Commissioner Adair, Commissioner Fong, Commissioner Wu, Commissioner Lonné Amir, Commissioner Ye, Commissioner Alioto-Pier

Commissioner Barker Plummer said he attended the Easter on the Beach event this past weekend, he strongly encouraged the promotion of the new YC application for the upcoming term, he has been doing community outreach and planning for Vote16, he said the YC officers presented to the BOS's Budget & Appropriations Committee, and said he would be working on various issues or resolutions with other commissioners.

Commissioner Listana said she has been doing outreach regarding Vote16 education within the Tenderloin and other Filipinx organizations, she recorded the first episode of the YC Podcast with Chair Barker Plummer last week, and said if anyone is interested in being on the podcast with any ideas they have to reach out to her as soon as possible.

Commissioner Adair said he's been preparing to do public comment for the budget process later in June, he said he went to a YMCA panel event that was about middle schoolers who put together policy proposals, and he hopes to work more on resolutions within the HRT Committee.

Commissioner Fong said he's working on a resolution on subway surfing, and he's been doing Vote16 outreach and presentations.



Commissioner Wu said she's been doing Vote16 outreach, talking to more of her classmates about the application for the Youth Commission, and she was able to talk with D3 youth at a fun science-themed event.

Commissioner Lonnè Amir said she attended the Easter on the Beach event last weekend with Chair Barker Plummer, and she's been referring friends and other youth to apply for the Youth Commission.

Commissioner Ye said she was able to attend the Easter on the Beach event as well, she will be meeting with young people at her school to encourage them to apply to the Youth Commission, and met with a SFPUC local leader to discuss water access, Hetch Hetchy, and soda tax recruitment.

Commissioner Alioto-Pier said she's been working on Vote16 outreach.

b. Other Legislative Introductions

No other introductions.

Officer Fong left the meeting at 6:15pm, and returned to the meeting at 6:18pm.

#### **10. Staff Report** (discussion item)

Director Esquivel Garcia was absent. Specialist Zhan said there's a lot of upcoming Vote16 presentations to educate youth and community members on the issue, she reminded folks to sign up for a shift for the April 20th tabling opportunity at the Cherry Blossom Festival, and she added that staff canceled the SFYC/SJYC meet-up since not enough commissioners were able to attend. Specialist Ochoa announced that the application for the 2024/2025 Youth Commission is now open and every commissioner will be given 10 flyers to distribute, and anyone is welcome to ask for more. He also mentioned the details of the two information sessions on April 11th and April 24th to ensure that youth attend those meetings, and lastly

#### **11. Announcements** (this includes Community Events)

Commissioner Faagau-Noa said that Director Garcia sent out an email regarding the D10 Budget Town Hall that will be taking place later on April 18th. Staff also mentioned that SFUSD is scheduling several "community resource allocation plan" events, which is a codename for school closures.



## 12. Adjournment

There being no further business on the agenda, the full Youth Commission adjourned at 6:28pm.