

City and County of San Francisco YOUTH COMMISSION Housing, Recreation, & Transit Committee

MINUTES

Monday, March 25, 2024 5:30 p.m.

IN-PERSON MEETING with Remote Access City Hall, Room 278 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

Members: Imaan Ansari (Chair, D11), Jason Fong (Vice Chair, D7), Allister Adair (Member, D2), Helen Cisneros (Member, D5), Aryelle Lampkins (Member, Mayoral), Chloe Wong (Member, D1).

Present: Imaan Ansari, Jason Fong, Allister Adair, Helen Cisneros.

Absent: Aryelle Lampkins (excused), Chloe Wong (excused).

Tardy: None.

The San Francisco Youth Commission's Housing, Recreation, & Transit Committee met in-person with remote access, on March 25, 2024, with Chair Ansari presiding.

1. Call to Order and Roll Call for Attendance

Chair Ansari called the meeting to order at 5:33pm.

On the call of the roll:

Roll Call Attendance: 4 present, 2 absent.

Allister Adair present Helen Cisneros present Aryelle Lampkins absent Chloe Wong absent Jason Fong present



Imaan Ansari present

A quorum of the Housing, Recreation, & Transit Committee membership was present.

Commissioner Adair, seconded by Vice Chair Fong, motioned to excuse Commissioner Lampkins and Commissioner Wong for today's absence. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following voice vote:

Voice Vote: 4 ayes, 2 absent

Allister Adair aye Helen Cisneros aye Aryelle Lampkins absent Chloe Wong absent Jason Fong aye Imaan Ansari aye

Action: Commissioner Lampkins and Commissioner Wong's absences excused.

2. Communications

Joshua Rudy Ochoa, Community Partnership Specialist of the SFYC, shared communications and meeting announcements with Commissioners.

3. Approval of Agenda (Action Item)

Vice Chair Fong, seconded by Commissioner Adair, motioned to approve the March 25, 2024 Housing, Recreation, & Transit Committee meeting agenda. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following voice vote:

Voice Vote: 4 ayes, 2 absent

Allister Adair aye Helen Cisneros aye Aryelle Lampkins absent Chloe Wong absent Jason Fong aye Imaan Ansari aye

Action: Agenda Approved.



- 4. Approval of Minutes (Action Item)
 - a. March 11, 2024 (Packet Materials)

Vice Chair Fong, seconded by Commissioner Cisneros, motioned to approve the March 11, 2024 Housing, Recreation, & Transit Committee meeting minutes. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following voice vote:

Voice Vote: 4 ayes, 2 absent

Allister Adair aye Helen Cisneros aye Aryelle Lampkins absent Chloe Wong absent Jason Fong aye Imaan Ansari aye

Action: Minutes Approved.

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

No public comment.

- 6. Committee Business (all items to follow are discussion & possible action)
 - a. HRT Priorities for Remainder of 2023/24 Term

Commissioners and staff continued their discussion on the committee's priorities from the last meeting, for the remainder of the 2023/24 term.

Vice Chair Fong brought up the question of which of this year's BPPs are most important to mention, just in case any of the Supervisors ask them during their Budget and Appropriations Committee presentation this Wednesday.

Commissioner Adair asked what issues weren't addressed through this year's BPP process, and which ones could be addressed further. Vice Chair Fong said there's a plot of land that the City and County of San Francisco owns that was designated to address homelessness, and that might be worth looking into.



Chair Ansari said that she researched more about the M-line MUNI metro project that was recently approved by the SFMTA Board of Directors, and determine if there is further input to give.

Commissioner Adair said that it was good to hear the full YC presentation from the Department of Homelessness & Supportive Housing, and wants to revisit some of the issues surrounding navigation centers.

Vice Chair Fong added that it could be good to look into rent control policies, as well as wayfinding studies to see if people are able to understand how to get around the City.

Commissioner Cisneros said that there's a lot of issues within affordable housing complexes in District 5 regarding pest control, mold, and other health-related issues.

b. Working/Collaboration Time

Commissioners said they can do working time at a future meeting, but mentioned they want to invite the Department of Homelessness & Supportive Housing,

c. HRT-related Updates

No updates.

7. Announcements (this includes Community Events)

No announcements.

8. Adjournment

There being no further business on the agenda, the Housing, Recreation, & Transit Committee adjourned at 6:30pm.



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MEMORANDUM

FROM: Victor Young, Assistant Clerk, Rules Committee

DATE: March 27, 2024

SUBJECT: LEGISLATIVE MATTER INTRODUCED

The Board of Supervisors' Rules Committee has received the following Resolution. This item is being referred for comment and recommendation.

File No. 240239

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.

Date:

Please return this cover sheet with the Commission's response to Victor Young, Assistant Clerk, Rules Committee. *****

RESPONSE FROM YOUTH COMMISSION

No Comment

Recommendation Attached

Chairperson, Youth Commission



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1	FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors urges HSH to provide		Fime stamp or meeting date
2	immediate services to ensure that families with children will receive shelter and/ or hotel	Thereby submit the following term for infroduction (select only one).	
3	vouchers the same day that they arrive at an access point, and be allowed to extend their	✓ 1. For reference to Committee. (An Ordinance, Resolution, Motion or Charter Amendment).).
3		2. Request for next printed agenda Without Reference to Committee.	
4	hotel vouchers if there is no alternative for housing or shelter when the initial voucher expires;	3. Request for hearing on a subject matter at Committee.	
5	and, be it	4. Request for letter beginning :"Supervisor	inquiries"
6	FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors urges HSH to create	5. City Attorney Request.	
7	multilingual transparency measures, such as a publicly accessible dashboard, to monitor	6. Call File No. from Committee.	
8	participants' waitlist status and the Department's progress on transitioning children and	7. Budget Analyst request (attached written motion).	
9	families into permanent housing, and create a seamless case management trail for each	8. Substitute Legislation File No.	
10	family to keep track of their status and ensure they have shelter while more permanent	9. Reactivate File No.	
11	housing is pending; and, be it	10. Topic submitted for Mayoral Appearance before the BOS on	
12	FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors calls upon this administration to		
13	acknowledge the humanitarian crisis of unhoused children and families sleeping on our	Please check the appropriate boxes. The proposed legislation should be forwarded to the follow	0
14	streets and declare a state of emergency, adequately count unhoused families and children,	Small Business Commission Vouth Commission	nmission
15	effectively report the number of vacant units/ beds to measure the need and help create	Planning Commission Building Inspection Commissio	on
16	adequate responses, and proactively seek additional funding through private-public	Note: For the Imperative Agenda (a resolution not on the printed agenda), use the Imperati	ive Form.
17	partnerships that will ensure HSH achieves the goals set forth in their Strategic Plan with an	Sponsor(s):	
18	expressed pathway and timeline commensurate with the crisis at hand.	Safaí; Ronen, Walton, Preston, Chan	
19		Subject:	
20		Urging Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing (HSH) to develop a Comprehensi prioritizes families with children to receive shelter and create an accessible public dashboard for	
21		monitoring of the waitlist and the progress of moving families into permanent housing	1
21		The text is listed:	
		Resolution urging the Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing (HSH) to prioritize children to receive shelter or hotel vouchers the same day that they arrive at an access point, to d	
23		comprehensive plan that focuses on children and families to prevent children from living on the	
24		multilingual, accessible public dashboard where families can monitor the waitlist and the progre- into permanent housing	ess of moving families
25		Signature of Sponsoring Supervisor: Safaí	

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Date:	Tuesday, March 12, 2024 3:33:05 PM
Attachments:	Safai - Intro Form - Resolution Urging HSH to Develop a Comprehensive Plan that Prioritizes Families with Children.pdf Safai - Resolution Urging HSH to Develop a Comprehensive Plan that Prioritizes Families with Children.doc

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Subject:	RE: FOR INTRODUCTION: Resolution Urging HSH to develop a Comprehensive Plan that Prioritizes Families with Children
Date:	Tuesday, March 12, 2024 3:38:00 PM

Thank you Lila. Confirming for Supervisor Walton.

Natalie Gee 朱凱勤, Chief of Staff

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Subject:	Re: FOR INTRODUCTION: Resolution Urging HSH to develop a Comprehensive Plan that Prioritizes Families with Children
Date:	Tuesday, March 12, 2024 3:58:19 PM

Thank you, Lila. Confirming sponsorship for Supervisor Ronen.

Take care,

Jen

Jennifer Ferrigno, Legislative Aide San Francisco District 9 | Supervisor Hillary Ronen jennifer.ferrigno@sfgov.org | c. 415.307.0232 (she/her/ella)

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Date:	Tuesday, March 12, 2024 4:09:57 PM

Confirming for Sup. Preston. Thank you!

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RESOLUTION NO.

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	4	Resolution urging the Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing (HSH) to
	5	prioritize families with children to receive shelter or hotel vouchers the same day that
	6	they arrive at an access point, to develop a comprehensive plan that focuses on
	7	children and families to prevent children from living on the streets and develop a
	8	multilingual, accessible public dashboard where families can monitor the waitlist and
	9	the progress of moving families into permanent housing.
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ĺ	11	WHEREAS, Cities across the country are experiencing a surge in both immigration and
ł	12	homelessness as families fleeing violence and persecution come to the United States (U.S.)
1	13	to seek asylum; and
1	14	WHEREAS, Community members, immigrant families, and faith leaders, including
ĺ	15	Faith in Action Bay Area have held multiple meetings with elected officials and organized
ł	16	community actions to raise awareness about the \underline{C} eity's inadequate shelter and housing for
1	17	vulnerable families, and the lack of transparency around access, follow up while waiting for
1	18	spots, and overall information; and
1	19	WHEREAS, Faith in Action Bay Area and families have requested on multiple
ŝ	20	occasions to meet with the Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing (HSH)
2	21	Director and the Mayor, receiving no response to their requests; and
2	22	WHEREAS, Despite San Francisco being a Sanctuary City, the Mayor's administration
2	23	has remained silent, leaving small children and their families to sleep in vehicles, on MUNI,
2	24	under gas station roofs, and in parks; and
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WHEREAS, <u>San Francisco Unified School District (SFUSD)</u> data shows a significant
 number of students experiencing homelessness in 2018 (2,580 students), under a definition
 inclusive of households who are living doubled up with friends or relatives (1,661 students),
 households who are paying for their own stays in hotels or motels (291 students), and
 households who are sheltered or unsheltered (628 students); and
 WHEREAS, HSH Strategic Plan acknowledges that "housing insecurity and
 overcrowding also illustrate structural racism in San Francisco, with Asian-Pacific Islander and

8 Latine households more likely to live in overcrowded and severely overcrowded conditions,

and Black and Latine households reporting experiencing higher rates of housing insecurity";"
and

11 WHEREAS, HSH and the Mayor's Administration have yet to respond to the growing 12 number of children and families living on our streets, despite the Department's own strategic plan calling for a redesign of the Coordinated Entry (CE) system to be "more focused on 13 welcoming people into services and not re-traumatizing people by making them tell their story 14 15 repeatedly" and recommending "access to services and housing should be provided much more quickly", instead showing absolute disregard for this population and failure to deliver on 16 their own goals; and 17 18 WHEREAS, Findings in these reports show that HSH has failed to engage with the 19 impacted community, improve language access, or provide culturally-responsive and equitable services to families with children, despite these being key recommendations to 20 21 improve services and relationship with underserved, neglected communities; now, therefore, 22 be it 23 RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors urges the Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing (HSH) to develop a comprehensive plan focused on 24 25

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2 it 3 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors urges HSH to provide 4 immediate services to ensure that families with children will receive shelter and/ or hotel 5 vouchers the same day that they arrive at an access point, and be allowed to extend their hotel vouchers if there is no alternative for housing or shelter when the initial voucher expires; 6 7 and, be it FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors urges HSH to create 8 multilingual transparency measures, such as a publicly accessible dashboard, to monitor 9 10 participants' waitlist status and the Department's progress on transitioning children and 11 families into permanent housing, and create a seamless case management trail for each 12 family to keep track of their status and ensure they have shelter while more permanent housing is pending; and, be it 13 14 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors calls upon this administration to 15 acknowledge the humanitarian crisis of unhoused children and families sleeping on our streets and declare a state of emergency, adequately count unhoused families and children, 16 effectively report the number of vacant units/ beds to measure the need and help create 17 adequate responses, and proactively seek additional funding through private-public 18 19 partnerships that will ensure HSH achieves the goals set forth in their Strategic Plan with an 20 expressed pathway and timeline commensurate with the crisis at hand. 21 22 23

children and families and guarantees that no child will be forced to sleep on the street; and, be

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