At the meeting of the Police Commission on Wednesday, September 11, 2019, the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLUTION 19-54

APPROVAL TO HAVE A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SF YOUTH COMMISSION PARTICIPATE IN POLICE COMMISSION MEETINGS

WHEREAS, the Police Commission mission is to set policy for the Police Department and to conduct disciplinary hearings on charges of police misconduct; and

WHEREAS, the Police Commission and Police Department have a history of working with San Francisco youth by engaging in summer project collaborations that focus on educating and employing young people; and

WHEREAS, the Police Department has successfully worked with youth in the Garden Project, Future Grads, Project Pull & San Francisco Youth Works, Community Safety Initiative, Youth Career Academy; and

WHEREAS, in 2016 San Francisco youth successfully facilitated community group meetings on the Police Commission’s Revised Use of Force Policy; and

WHEREAS, San Francisco youth have provided the Police Commission with a new unique perspective on outreach efforts; and

WHEREAS, San Francisco voters created the Youth Commission under a 1995 Charter amendment to advise the Board of Supervisors and the Mayor on policies and laws related to young people; and

WHEREAS, the Youth Commission is responsible for providing comment and recommendations to the Board of Supervisors on all proposed City ordinances that affect youth; now therefore be it
RESOLVED, that the Police Commission would like to build on its history of working with youth and request a designated youth representative of the San Francisco Youth Commission, who may be a member of the Youth Commission or nominated by the Youth Commission, to participate once a month in Police Commission meetings; and be it further

RESOLVED, the Youth Commission participate, comment and make recommendations to the Police Commission on all policy issue that affect San Francisco youth.

AYES: Commissioners Hirsch, Taylor, DeJesus, Elias, Hamasaki, Brookter
ABSENT: Commissioner Mazzucco

Very truly yours,

Sergeant Jayme Campbell
Secretary
San Francisco Police Commission

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cc: Director K. Hosmon/SF Youth Commission