



San Francisco Youth Commission

MINUTES

Monday, March 21, 2022

5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

(remote public access provided via teleconference)

Jayden Tanaka, Valentina Alioto-Pier, Raven Shaw, Steven Hum, Ewan Barker Plummer, Gabrielle Listana, Adrianna Zhang, Sammy Foley, Arsema Asfaw, Isaiah Catubig, Vanessa Pimentel, Amara Santos, Sahara Frett, Jayda Love, Amadeos Oyagata, Jiajian Harry Xu, Emily Nguyen

Present: Commissioners Jayden Tanaka, Valentina Alioto-Pier, Raven Shaw, Steven Hum, Ewan Barker-Plummer, Gabrielle Listana, Adrianna Zhang, Arsema Asfaw, Isaiah Catubig, Vanessa Pimentel, Amara Santos, Amadeos Oyagata, Jiajian Harry Xu, Emily Nguyen,

Chair Zhang called the meeting to order at 5:07 p.m.

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call for Attendance (Discussion and Possible Action)**

On the call of the roll, the following Commissioners were noted present:

Roll Call Attendance: 12 - Present, 2 - Not Present, 1 - Tardy

Jayden Tanaka - Present
Valentina Alioto-Pier - Present
Raven Shaw - Present
Steven Hum - Present
Ewan Barker-Plummer - Present
Gabrielle Listana - Present
Adrianna Zhang - Present
Arsema Asfaw - Present
Isaiah Catubig - Present
Vanessa Pimentel - Present

Amara Santos - Present
Amadeos Oyagata - Present
Jiajian Harry Xu - Present
Emily Nguyen - Present
Sammy Foley - Tardy
Sahara Frett - Not Present
Jayda Love - Not Present



A quorum was present.

2. Approval of Agenda (Action Item)

Chair Zhang inquired whether any Commissioners had any changes to the March 21, 2022, Full Youth Commission Agenda. There were no changes.

Public Comment: None.

Commissioner Barker-Plumer motioned to approve, the March 21, 2022, Full Youth Commission Agenda, Commissioner Nguyen seconded. The motion carried by the following vote:

Roll Call Attendance: 13 - Ayes, 4 - Not Present

Jayden Tanaka - Aye
Valentina Alioto-Pier- Aye
Raven Shaw - Aye
Steven Hum - Aye
Ewan Barker Plummer - Aye
Gabrielle Listana - Aye
Adrianna Zhang - Aye
Arsema Asfaw - Aye
Vanessa Pimentel - Aye
Amara Santos - Aye
Amadeos Oyagata - Aye
Jiajian Harry Xu - Aye
Emily Nguyen - Aye
Sammy Foley - Not Present
Sahara Frett - Not Present
Isaiah Catubig - Not Present
Jayda Love - Not Present

3. Approval of Minutes (Action Item)

A. March 7th, 2022

Chair Zhang inquired whether any Commissioner had any changes to the March 7, 2022, Full Youth Commission meeting minutes. There were no changes.

Public Comment: None



Commissioner Shaw, seconded by Commissioner Tanaka, motioned to approve the March 7, 2022, Full Youth Commission, meeting minutes. The motion passed by the following vote:

Roll Call Attendance: 13 - Ayes, 4 - Not Present

Jayden Tanaka - Aye
Valentina Alioto-Pier - Aye
Raven Shaw - Aye
Steven Hum - Aye
Ewan Barker-Plummer - Aye
Gabrielle Listana - Aye
Adrianna Zhang - Aye
Arsema Asfaw - Aye
Vanessa Pimentel - Aye
Amara Santos - Aye
Amadeos Oyagata - Aye
Jiajian Harry Xu - Aye
Emily Nguyen - Aye
Isaiah Catubig - Not Present
Sahara Frett - Not Present
Jayda Love - Not Present
Sammy Foley - Not Present

4. Public Comment on Items Not on Agenda (2 minutes per public comment)

Public Comment: Mayank Patel (San Francisco Department of Elections), informed Commissioners of two programs and opportunities available including the High School Ambassador Program to promote voter education as well as the High School Poll Worker Program

5. Presentations (All Items to Follow are Discussion and Possible Action)

- A. [Inform + Decision] San Francisco's Children and Family Recovery Plan
Presenter: Department of Children, Youth, and Their Families (DCYF) Staff

Abigail Stewer, Jay Liao, Veronica Chew, Mayank Patel and Director Maria Su (Department of Children, Youth, and Their Families (DCYF)), presented their plan and recommendations for recovery from the pandemic and answered questions proposed by the Commissioners.

Commissioner Frett joined the meeting at 5:54 p.m.

Commissioner Nguyen, seconded by Commissioner Santos, motioned to support Department of Children, Youth, and Their Families plan and recommendations for recovery from the pandemic. The motion carried by the following vote:

Roll call Attendance: 13 - Ayes, 4 - Not Present

Jayden Tanaka - Aye
Valentina Alioto-Pier - Aye



Raven Shaw - Aye
Steven Hum - Aye
Ewan Barker-Plummer - Aye
Gabrielle Listana - Aye
Adrianna Zhang - Aye
Arsema Asfaw - Aye
Vanessa Pimentel - Aye
Amara Santos - Aye
Amadeos Oyagata - Aye
Jiajian Harry Xu - Aye
Emily Nguyen - Aye
Isaiah Catubig - Not Present
Sahara Frett - Not Present
Jayda Love - Not Present
Sammy Foley - Not Present

Public Comment: None.

6. Youth Commission Business (All Items to Follow are Discussion and Possible Action)

A. [Inform + Decision] [First Reading] Resolution No. XX-AL-2122 – [Golden Gate Park Access and Safety Program - Support]

Commissioner Nguyen and Commissioner Barker-Plummer presented a Resolution for support of Car-Free JFK, Golden Gate Park and addressed equity concerns.

Public Comment: Speaker called in support of the resolution and addressed concerns about this space being a high injury location.

Commissioner Barker-Plummer, seconded by Commissioner Shaw, motioned to suspend the by-laws and not require a second reading of Resolution No. XX-AL-2122 in anticipation of the Mayoral decision pertaining on Golden Gate Park Access

Roll Call Attendance: 12 - Aye, 5 - Not Present

Jayden Tanaka - Aye
Valentina Alioto-Pier - Aye
Raven Shaw - Aye
Steven Hum - Aye
Ewan Barker-Plummer - Aye
Gabrielle Listana - Aye
Adrianna Zhang - Aye
Arsema Asfaw - Aye
Vanessa Pimentel - Aye
Amara Santos - Aye
Emily Nguyen - Aye
Jiajian Harry Xu, aye
Sahara Frett - Not Present
Jayda Love - Not Present



Sammy Foley - Not Present
Amadeos Oyagata - Not Present
Isaiah Catubig - Not Present

Commissioner Nguyen, seconded by Commissioner Barker-Plummer, motioned to approve Resolution No. XX-AL-2122.

The Motion FAILED by the following votes:

Roll Call Attendance: 5 - Ayes, 8 - Noes, 4 - Not Present

Jayden Tanaka - Aye
Valentina Alioto-Pier - Aye
Raven Shaw - No
Steven Hum - Aye
Ewan Barker-Plummer - Aye
Gabrielle Listana - No
Adrianna Zhang - Aye
Arsema Asfaw - No
Vanessa Pimentel - No
Amara Santos - No
Sahara Frett - No
Jiajian Harry Xu - No
Emily Nguyen - No
Isaiah Catubig - Not Present
Jayda Love - Not Present
Amadeos Oyagata - Not Present
Sammy Foley - Not Present

Public Comment: None.

7. Committee Reports (Discussion Only)

A. Executive Committee **a. LAO**

Commissioner Hum had no updates and shares there was no new youth related legislation introduced at the last BOS meeting.

b. Comms

Commissioner Nguyen and Listana were in communication with the new Clerk Team about the budget and are actively updating Instagram with opportunities and reminders about meetings. They are planning a youth commissioner community team building event.



c. General Committee Updates

Chair Zhang had no updates.

B. OCOF

Commissioner Oyagata had no updates for OCOF.

8. Staff Report (Discussion Only)

Clerk Angela Calvillo provided updates and answered questions from the Commission pertaining to staff recruitments, in-person/hybrid meetings, prioritizing Youth Commission projects and duties, and the redistricting process. Clerk Calvillo informed and confirmed that the Clerk of the Board staff can unlock and allow Commissioners into the Youth Commission Office in City Hall and that staff is monitoring the Youth Commission phone lines and email inbox. There were two additional organizations requested to present:

- SF County Transportation Authority – would like to present to Commissioners. Clerk Calvillo confirmed a tentative date in April 2022.
- SFMTA – Taylor Wald invited Commissioners to a meeting occurring April 1, 2022, focused on creating or implementing youth engagement and professional development programs across different departments. Clerk Calvillo anticipates on confirming the time of this meeting and will follow up with the Commissioners to coordinate Youth Commissioner attendance.

Clerk Calvillo informed Commissioners of Family Friendly Workplace and Safe Routes to School hearings as items of interest for the Youth Commission. Chair Zhang assigned Commissioner Hum, as capacity as LAO, to investigate the legislation referred and have that information ready for the next or following meeting.

8 Announcements (This Includes Community Events)

No announcements.

9 Adjournment

There being no further business, the Youth Commission Executive Committee, adjourned at the hour of 7:18 p.m.

N.B. The Minutes of this meeting set forth all actions taken by the Youth Commission, Executive Committee, on the matters stated, but not necessarily in the chronological sequence in which the matters were taken up.