

San Francisco Youth Commission Minutes – Draft Monday, October 24, 2022 7:00 PM

Held via Videoconference (remote public access provided via teleconference)

Members: Emily Nguyen (Chair), Ewan Barker Plummer (Vice Chair), Gabrielle Listana (Communication & Outreach officer), Astrid Utting (Communication & Outreach Officer), Steven Hum (Legislative Affairs Officer), Raven Shaw (Legislative Affairs Officer), Chloe Wong, Allister Adair, Qien Feng, Maureen Loftus, Hayden Miller, Ann Anish, Yoselin Colin, Vanessa Pimentel, Sahara Frett, Yena Im, Tyrone Hillman.

Present: Chloe Wong, Allister Adair, Maureen Loftus, Hayden Miller, Astrid Utting, Yoselin Colin, Vanessa Pimentel, Emily Nguyen, Ewan Barker Plummer, Steven Hum, Yena Im

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Absent: Qien Feng, Gabrielle Listana, Ann Anish, Sahara Frett, Tyrone Hillman, Raven Shaw

The San Francisco Youth Commission met remotely in regular session through videoconferencing, and provided public comment through teleconferencing, on Monday, October 24, 2022, with Chair Emily Nguyen presiding.

Chair Nguyen calls the meeting order at 7:05 pm.

1. Call to Order and Roll Call for Attendance

Member	Present / Absent
Commissioner Wong	PRESENT
Commissioner Adair	PRESENT
Commissioner Feng	ABSENT
Commissioner Loftus	PRESENT
Commissioner Miller	PRESENT



Comms & Outreach Officer Listana	ABSENT
Commissioner Anish	ABSENT
Comms & Outreach Officer Utting	PRESENT
Commissioner Colin	PRESENT
Commissioner Pimentel	PRESENT
Vice Chair Barker Plummer	PRESENT
Leg Affairs Officer Hum	PRESENT
Leg Affairs Officer Shaw	ABSENT
Commissioner Frett	ABSENT
Commissioner Im	PRESENT
Commissioner Hillman	ABSENT
Chair Nguyen	PRESENT

11 PRESENT, 6 ABSENT Quorum is met.

Motion to excuse Commissioners Shaw and Commissioner Anish from today's meeting was moved by Vice-Chair BARKER PLUMMER and seconded by Commissioner COLIN.

Commissioner Hum: I think we should excuse all the absent commissioners because this is a special meeting that is out of the normally scheduled time.

Motion to excuse all Commissioners absent moved by Commissioner HUM and seconded by Vice-Chair BARKER PLUMMER.

No public comment.

On the motion to excuse all absent Commissioners (Hum, Barker Plummer):

Member	Aye / Nay / Abstain / Absent
Commissioner Wong	AYE
Commissioner Adair	NAY
Commissioner Feng	ABSENT



Commissioner Loftus	AYE
Commissioner Miller	NAY
Comms & Outreach Officer Listana	ABSENT
Commissioner Anish	ABSENT
Comms & Outreach Officer Utting	NAY
Commissioner Colin	NAY
Commissioner Pimentel	AYE
Vice Chair Barker Plummer	AYE
Leg Affairs Officer Hum	AYE
Leg Affairs Officer Shaw	ABSENT
Commissioner Frett	ABSENT
Commissioner Im	AYE
Commissioner Hillman	ABSENT
Chair Nguyen	NAY

5 AYE, 6 ABSENT, 6 NAY with Adair, Miller, Utting, Colin, and Nguyen in the dissent. The motion failed.

On the motion to excuse Commissioner Shaw and Anish from today's meeting (Barker Plummer, Colin):

Member	Aye / Nay / Abstain / Absent
Commissioner Wong	AYE
Commissioner Adair	AYE
Commissioner Feng	ABSENT
Commissioner Loftus	AYE
Commissioner Miller	AYE
Comms & Outreach Officer Listana	ABSENT
Commissioner Anish	ABSENT
Comms & Outreach Officer Utting	AYE



Commissioner Colin	AYE
Commissioner Pimentel	AYE
Vice Chair Barker Plummer	AYE
Leg Affairs Officer Hum	AYE
Leg Affairs Officer Shaw	ABSENT
Commissioner Frett	ABSENT
Commissioner Im	AYE
Commissioner Hillman	ABSENT
Chair Nguyen	AYE

2. Communications

Joy Zhan, YC staff, provides communications.

3. Approval of Agenda (Action Item)

No public comment.

Motion to approve today's agenda moved by Commissioner ADAIR and seconded by Commissioner UTTING.

On the motion to approve today's agenda (Adair, Utting):

Member	Aye / Nay / Abstain / Absent
Commissioner Wong	AYE
Commissioner Adair	AYE
Commissioner Feng	ABSENT
Commissioner Loftus	AYE
Commissioner Miller	AYE
Comms & Outreach Officer Listana	ABSENT



Commissioner Anish	ABSENT
Comms & Outreach Officer Utting	AYE
Commissioner Colin	AYE
Commissioner Pimentel	AYE
Vice Chair Barker Plummer	AYE
Leg Affairs Officer Hum	AYE
Leg Affairs Officer Shaw	ABSENT
Commissioner Frett	ABSENT
Commissioner Im	AYE
Commissioner Hillman	ABSENT
Chair Nguyen	AYE

4. Approval of Minutes (Action Item)

a. October 17th, 2022 (Packet Materials)

No public comment.

Motion to approve the October 17th, 2022 Full Youth Commission meeting minutes moved by Commissioner ADAIR and seconded by Commissioner COLIN.

On the motion to approve the Oct 17th, 2022 Full Youth Commission meeting minutes (Adair, Colin):

Member	Aye / Nay / Abstain / Absent
Commissioner Wong	AYE
Commissioner Adair	AYE
Commissioner Feng	ABSENT
Commissioner Loftus	AYE
Commissioner Miller	AYE
Comms & Outreach Officer Listana	ABSENT



Commissioner Anish	ABSENT
Comms & Outreach Officer Utting	AYE
Commissioner Colin	AYE
Commissioner Pimentel	AYE
Vice Chair Barker Plummer	AYE
Leg Affairs Officer Hum	AYE
Leg Affairs Officer Shaw	ABSENT
Commissioner Frett	ABSENT
Commissioner Im	AYE
Commissioner Hillman	ABSENT
Chair Nguyen	AYE

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

No public comment.

6. BOS Hearing 220471 - Response and Resources Available to Students Experiencing and Reporting Sexual Assault and/or Sexual Harassment at SFUSD Schools (Discussion Item and Possible Action Item)

Chair Nguyen: The District 7 office legislative aide has requested that the Youth Commission gives a presentation at the 10/27/22 Hearing, but the SAC is already giving presentations that are five minutes each. Should we give a presentation by ourselves or partner with SAC without taking away SAC's presentation time?

Alondra Esquivel Garcia, YC Director: The D7 Supervisor is requesting that YC gives a presentation. There's a lot of misinformation between the District 7 office and the Youth Commission. Alondra's suggesting that the Youth Commission officially request that this hearing is referred to the Youth Commission to then give an official statement.

Vice Chair Barker Plummer: Requesting this hearing to be referred to the Youth Commission officially.



Chair Nguyen: If we give a presentation, it will only be two minutes. This presentation will need to be aligned with SAC's presentation and make sure that it's not repetitive.

Commissioner Loftus: We should work with SAC to make sure that it's not repetitive.

Commissioner Utting: I agree that we should not take away from SAC's time, let's work with them to make sure that it's jointly with them.

Alondra: To make sure we use the timeslot fully, we could ask questions.

Vice Chair Barker Plummer: Shared the resolution from last year that showed support for this hearing.

Chair Nguyen: What are everyone's thoughts?

Vice Chair Barker Plummer: Let's not take the time away from SAC. We can listen and give public comments along with the other commissions.

Chair Nguyen: I'd feel bad that we take away from their time, but I think it'd be more powerful if both organizations, SAC and YC, who advise the BoE and BOS and mayor, stand together to give the presentation.

Commissioner Utting: I'm not too sure because the points will be powerful whether or not we join the presentation or just give public comment.

(Chair Nguyen lost connection)

Vice Chair Barker Plummer: Any thoughts from other Commissioners especially from SFUSD students? What would be the difference between giving public comments and presenting?

Alondra: BOS needs to hold a meeting after school time if there's an issue about students Alondra's suggesting public comment during the hearing and taking more of a leadership role during the SHARP town hall.

Vice Chair Barker Plummer: I'm inclined to agree.

Chair Nguyen: Commissioner Im is interested in doing public comment

Vice Chair Barker Plummer: I'm interested too.

Commissioner Wong: I can maybe do it depending on my schedule.



Commissioner Loftus, Utting, Im: I can't make it.

Commissioner Utting: Can we call in? I can read people's comments if necessary.

Commissioner Im: I can participate virtually too if possible.

Vice Chair Barker Plummer: We have three options - go in person, call in virtually, or staff can read it as well. The committee has a request for female-identifying public school students to do public comment.

Alondra: Commissioner Miller can go in person but will need help with talking points. We can also print out the resolution to pass out at the hearing.

Vice Chair Barker Plummer: If you can make it, please go and make public comment.

Chair Nguyen: If you can't make this, we do need help with the SHARP town hall. At the hearing, please take notes, and see what we can do further down the road.

Commissioner Miller: Can definitely make it in person.

Chair Nguyen: Anyone else can make it in person?

Commissioner Pimentel: I can make it in person.

No public comment.

Motion to support BOS hearing 220471 moved by Commission Im and seconded by Commissioner Utting.

Motion to support BOS hearing 220471 (Im, Utting):

Member	Aye / Nay / Abstain / Absent
Commissioner Wong	AYE
Commissioner Adair	AYE
Commissioner Feng	ABSENT
Commissioner Loftus	AYE
Commissioner Miller	AYE



Comms & Outreach Officer Listana	ABSENT
Commissioner Anish	ABSENT
Comms & Outreach Officer Utting	AYE
Commissioner Colin	AYE
Commissioner Pimentel	AYE
Vice Chair Barker Plummer	AYE
Leg Affairs Officer Hum	AYE
Leg Affairs Officer Shaw	ABSENT
Commissioner Frett	ABSENT
Commissioner Im	AYE
Commissioner Hillman	ABSENT
Chair Nguyen	AYE

Chair Nguyen: What are our next steps?

Vice Chair Barker Plummer: Can staff take a look at the past letters and resolutions to write up talking points?

Joy Zhan, YC staff: I can help with that.

Chair Nguyen: Who can talk about the talking points or resolutions? We should prioritize personal stories.

Commissioner Pimentel: I volunteer myself if no one wants to do it.

Vice Chair Barker Plummer, Commissioner Miller: We can do it too.

Commissioner Utting: Will the points be shared?

Chair Nguyen: Yes. And we will also split it up. Who will be sending the texts? Does staff have capacity?



(Commissioner Feng joined at 8:07 PM)

Joy, staff: I will be there, and I can do that and send the text with the public comment instructions.

Chair Nguyen: Staff will write up public comment instructions text and the talking points based on the resolutions and letters.

Commissioner Feng: I can help with the talking points.

Alondra: I can look at the gutted Title IX policies, but we still need someone to facilitate the debriefing afterward. Can someone ask the questions?

Commissioner Miller: I can ask the questions.

Chair Nguyen: Can we have a questions doc? Can Alondra help with that?

Alondra: I can put it on the resolutions doc.

7. Staff Report (discussion item)

No reports from staff.

No public comment.

8. Announcements (this includes Community Events)

Chair Nguyen: We still need someone to facilitate the SHARP town hall.

Alondra: We need more people at Great Hauntway.

Joy: We still need someone to facilitate the debriefing post-hearing

9. Adjournment

There is no further business. Meeting is adjourned at 8:20 PM.