

1 [Urging the Planning Commission to provide all the necessary approvals such that New Door Ventures
2 can expand into a new building on 19th St. and thus serve more youth]

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4 Shall the Youth Commission adopt the following motion:

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6 The Youth Commission calls on the Planning Commission to provide all the necessary approvals to
7 allow New Door Ventures to expand into a new building on 19th St. such that New Door can serve
8 more young people.

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10 Supplemental Information

11 New Door Ventures is a youth employment program that has succeeded in providing
12 meaningful job opportunities for some of San Francisco’s most disconnected young people for over 30
13 years. In the last decade, for example, New Door has served over 1,000 youth who have experienced
14 significant barriers to meaningful employment, including having experience with the justice and foster
15 care systems, homelessness and substance abuse, and not finishing high school. New Door has
16 recently acquired a new building, just a few blocks from its current Mission District location, and
17 moving into this building would allow New Door to serve twice as many youth. This move requires
18 some zoning changes that must be approved by the Planning Commission.

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