

1 [San Francisco Youth Commission Support of Richmond Youth Council's Recommendation to Lower
2 the Municipal Voting Age]

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5 Supplemental Information

6 The Richmond Youth Council began considerations and investigations of the utility of lowering the
7 municipal voting age in October 2015. Beginning in January 2016, they are preparing formal
8 recommendations regarding lowering the voting age for the Richmond City Council. The San
9 Francisco Youth Commission has done extensive investigation on the positive impacts these efforts
10 would have on the civic participation of teens and young adults and we formally lend our support to the
11 efforts of young people in our neighboring city to advance this important cause.

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