

1 [Youth Commission Sponsorship of SF Youth of the Year Awards and Award Ceremony]

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3 At its regular meeting of March 19, 2012, the San Francisco Youth Commission adopted the following
4 motion:

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6 The San Francisco Youth Commission will establish the SF Youth of the Year Awards to (1) recognize
7 youth for outstanding civic engagement in their community, (2) empower youth to take a more active
8 role in their community and (3) spread the name of the Youth Commission. The Youth Commission
9 shall hold the Award Ceremony during its regularly scheduled meeting on May 21st.

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12 Supplemental Information:

13 *Purpose*

14 The purpose of the SF Youth of the Year Awards is: to recognize one young person (age 12-23) from
15 each Supervisorial district of San Francisco who has demonstrated excellent leadership and strong
16 civic engagement in her community; to inspire other youth to become more involved community
17 improvement; and to increase awareness of the San Francisco Youth Commission.

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19 *Tentative Timeline*

20 *Outreach is essential! Start spreading the word **now**. Community Outreach and Media & Public
21 Relations Officers will keep you updated on ways to outreach.

22 *April 2, 2012 – Announced at the Youth Commission Budget Hearing

23 *April 30, 2012 – Applications due

24 *May 7, 2012 – Award recipients announced

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1 *May 21, 2012 – Award Ceremony

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ADOPTED BY YOUTH COMMISSION

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