



# San Francisco Youth Commission Transformative Justice Committee

## Agenda

Monday, September 16th, 2019

5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

City Hall, Room 278

1. Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Pl.

San Francisco, CA 94102

*There will be public comment on each item.*

Members: Amara Santos, Arsema Asfaw, Josephine Cureton, Nora Hylton, Rome Jones

**1) Call to Order and Roll Call**

**2) Approval of Agenda (Action Item)**

**3) Approval of Minutes (Action Item)**

A. July 8<sup>th</sup>, 2019

[Document A](#)

**4) Public Comment on Items not on Agenda (Discussion Only)**

**5) Business (All Items to Follow Discussion and Possible Action)**

A. Check In: What does Transformative Justice mean to you? (5 min)

Presented by Nora Hylton

B. History of the Prison Industrial Complex & Current Context (20 min)

presented by Staff Truong

C. Action Planning for Committee Priorities

i) Goals (5 min)

(1) Presented by Josephine Cureton

ii) Local / Community / Legislative Justice System Updates (5 - 10 min)

iii) Creating Transformative Justice Timeline (10 – 15 min)

(1) Presented by Nora Hylton and Josephine Cureton

iv) Next Steps (5 – 10 min)

D. Chair and Vice Chair Elections (5 - 10 min)

presented by Staff Truong

E. Appreciations (5 min)

**6) Staff Report (Discussion Only)**



- 7) Announcements**
  - A. Community Events

- 8) Adjournment**



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# **San Francisco Youth Commission Transformative Justice Committee Minutes**

**Monday, July 8th, 2019**

**5:00-6:30 PM**

**City Hall, Room 345**

**1. Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Pl.**

**San Francisco, CA 94102**

*There will be public comment on each item.*

Members: Nora Hylton (Chair), Josephine Cureton (Vice Chair), and Natalie Ibarra

## **1. Call to Order and Roll Call**

- a. Chair Hylton called the meeting to order at 5:04 PM. Quorum was met.

## **2. Approval of Agenda (Action Item)**

- a. There was no public comment. Commissioner Cureton motioned to approve the agenda, seconded by Commissioner Hylton. Motion passes by a vote of acclamation.

## **3. Approval of Minutes (Action Item)**

- a. June 24th, 2019

- i. Document A

- b. Public comment:

Sam Rubin (freedom socialist party - former yc 2006 - 2007 - he, Juneteenth rally -> racial and economic justice for city workers - institutional discrimination and bad working conditions for city workers and numerous generations and persists today, and solve it now so future workers won't be bullied, fear for their lives, important now - as it's become more difficult for working-class youth to find a future without. - what are the next steps, how are you going to support this effort?

Nancy Kato- freedom socialist party - working with and dealing with city workers SEIU created an erase racism acute to deal with city institution - water dept and multiple unions came together when a women plumber was killed on the job - wake up call for people, in addition, to stop discrimination, incredible amounts of bullying, and at will employees, they don't get all the same benefits, what we are seeing is that with mass gentrification not many can afford to live here, or bullied and forced out of jobs - the services they



provide. people want good and safe jobs. We are happy to come and present to the Full Youth Commission and know that there's groups and rallies coming up - it is best to have strength in numbers.

Commissioner Cureton this hasn't addressed because it's at the end of year and capacity, but next year we hope to expand our work beyond the criminal justice system.

Commissioner Hylton: thanks for coming and sharing. this issue does affect us, and as youth commissioners we want to make sure youth can take part in jobs without discrimination and harassment.

Commissioner Ibarra arrives at 5:14 pm.

Staff lets Sam and Nancy know that Dante from the Black Employees Alliance has presented to the full youth commission earlier this Spring and the Youth Commission supports their asks.

#### **4. Public Comment on Items not on Agenda (Discussion Only)**

a. Public comment continued on

#### **5. Business (All Items to Follow Discussion and Possible Action)**

a. Check-In: How do you feel about the last TJ meeting?

- i. Commissioner Ibarra: delayed processor - no feelings at the moment.
- ii. Commissioner Cureton: as a returner - it only feels like a hiatus and doesn't feel real.
- iii. Commissioner Hylton: nothing to be determined yet.

b. Celebration

- i. Commissioners talked about the highlights and lowlights of their year as they ate food.

c. End of Year Transition Binder

- i. Letter for next TJ committee
  1. Commissioner Ibarra started a draft for fellow commissioners to add to.
- ii. Highlights from this year
  1. Commissioner Hylton revised and added to the highlights of this year document.
- iii. Example of letter of support, resolutions, motions, Robert's rules of order, brown act, and sunshine ordinance
  1. Commissioner Cureton gathered materials and organized the google drive folder.
- iv. Timeline on YC, TJ and Budget
  1. Staff started a template for the TJ handsoff binder.



- v. Community meetings example
  - 1. calendar
- vi. Contact information
  - 1. First meeting have former tj folks meet
- vii. Organize our google drive folder
  - 1. Organizing emails
- d. Gratitude:
  - i. Staff led an appreciation and affirmation circle. Commissioners participated and wrapped up with a group hug and picture.

## **6. Staff Report**

- a. Major thanks and please remember to support the two upcoming BOS hearing items: humanizing language (reentry council) and office of racial equity (fewer and brown) on Tuesday and Thursday.

## **7. Adjournment**

- a. Chair Hylton adjourned the meeting at 7pm.