



**City and County of San Francisco  
YOUTH COMMISSION  
Housing, Recreation, & Transit Committee**

**MINUTES**

**Monday, January 13, 2025  
5:30pm**

**IN-PERSON MEETING  
City Hall, Room 278  
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place,  
San Francisco, CA 94102**

**Members:** Imaan Ansari (Chair, D11), Harper Fortgang (Vice Chair, D8), Winnie Liao (D3), Jin Valencia-Tow (D7), Eloise Krehlik (Mayoral), Ava Oram (Mayoral).

**Present:** Ansari, Fortgang, Liao, Valencia-Tow, Krehlik, Oram.

**Absent:** None.

**Tardy:** None.

The San Francisco Youth Commission's Housing, Recreation, & Transit Committee met in-person with remote access, on January 13, 2025, with Chair Ansari presiding.

**1. Call to Order and Roll Call for Attendance**

Chair Ansari called the meeting to order at 5:33pm.

On the call of the roll:

Roll Call Attendance: 6 present.

Winnie Liao (D3) - present  
Jin Valencia-Tow (D7) - present  
Harper Fortgang (D8) - present  
Eloise Krehlik (Mayoral) - present

Ava Oram (Mayoral) - present  
Imaan Ansari (D11) - present

A quorum of the Housing, Recreation, & Transit Committee membership was present.

## **2. Communications**

Joshua Rudy Ochoa, Community Partnership Specialist of the SFYC, shared communications and meeting announcements with Commissioners.

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

Commissioner Oram, seconded by Vice Chair Fortgang, motioned to approve the January 13, 2025 Housing, Recreation, & Transit Committee meeting agenda. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Roll Call Vote: 6 ayes.

Winnie Liao (D3) - aye  
Jin Valencia-Tow (D7) - aye  
Harper Fortgang (D8) - aye  
Eloise Krehlik (Mayoral) - aye  
Ava Oram (Mayoral) - aye  
Imaan Ansari (D11) - aye

Action: Agenda Approved.

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

### **a. December 9, 2024 (Packet Materials)**

Commissioner Valencia-Tow, seconded by Commissioner Oram, motioned to approve the December 9, 2024 Housing, Recreation, & Transit Committee meeting minutes. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Roll Call Vote: 6 ayes.

Winnie Liao (D3) - aye  
Jin Valencia-Tow (D7) - aye  
Harper Fortgang (D8) - aye  
Eloise Krehlik (Mayoral) - aye  
Ava Oram (Mayoral) - aye  
Imaan Ansari (D11) - aye

Action: Minutes Approved.

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

No public comment.

**6. Committee Business** (discussion & possible action)

a. Icebreaker

Chair Ansari asked "Would you rather go on a vacation where it's warm and tropical or in a cold snowy area?" Commissioners and Staff answered.

b. Resolution in Support of Smoke-Free Housing

Chair Ansari went over the amendments to the resolution. Vice Chair Fortgang listed some of the suggested amendments she has for the resolution, and other commissioners added additional language changes. All committee members then read the final version of the resolution into the record.

Commissioner Liao, seconded by Vice Chair Fortgang, motioned to approve the Resolution in Support of Smoke-Free Housing with amendments. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Roll Call Vote: 6 ayes.

Winnie Liao (D3) - aye  
Jin Valencia-Tow (D7) - aye  
Harper Fortgang (D8) - aye  
Eloise Krehlik (Mayoral) - aye  
Ava Oram (Mayoral) - aye  
Imaan Ansari (D11) - aye

Action: Resolution in Support of Smoke-Free Housing passes with amendments.

c. BPP Discussion

Chair Ansari asked the committee what each member's priorities were for the BPP process that will be done during retreat. Vice Chair Fortgang said climate change and accelerating the city's electrification efforts. Commissioner Oram said extending bike lanes and public transit lanes to green spaces throughout the city. Commissioner Valencia-Tow said rent control, tenants' rights, single room occupancy units, and the Free Muni for All Youth program. Commissioner Krehlik

said street safety and addressing hate crimes. Chair Ansari said expanding access to recreational spaces. Commissioner Liao said quality and safe housing options for all.

d. HRT-related Updates

No updates.

**7. Announcements** (this includes Community Events)

Specialist Ochoa mentioned the flyers for an event this upcoming weekend if the commissioners could post them up at their schools.

**8. Adjournment**

There being no further business on the agenda, the Housing, Recreation, & Transit Committee adjourned at 6:28pm.