



San Francisco Youth Commission Housing & Land Use Committee Minutes

Thursday, October 3rd, 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: Maggie Dong (Chair), Khatab Alameri (Vice Chair), Jose Ty, Alexander Hirji, Calvin Quick,

1) Call to Order and Roll Call

Chair Dong called the meeting at 5:03 PM. Quorum is met.

2) Approval of Agenda (Action Item)

There is no public comment. Commissioner Ty motioned to approve of the October 3rd, 2019 agenda, seconded by Commissioner Quick. The motion passed by a vote of acclamation.

3) Approval of Minutes (Action Item)

A. September 26th, 2019

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There is no public comment. Commissioner Quick motioned to approve of the September 26th, 2019 minutes, seconded by Commissioner Ty. The motion passed by a vote of acclamation.

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

San Francisco State University students, Raymond and Paula are observing the meeting as credit for their activism class.

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

A. Check In

Presented by Chair Dong

Chair Dong checked in with the commissioner with a light hearted question regarding which cartoon, disney, or fictional character describes them. Chair Dong: Pooh, Commissioner Hirji: Lightning McQueen, Commissioner Ty: Stitch, Vice Chair Alameri:



Spongebob, Commissioner Quick: Pat from Island of Horses, Staff Truong: Harry Potter

B. Local / Community/ Legislative Updates

Local Updates: Recently there was a case of MTA citations for youth that shows there are still gaps on the Free Muni for Youth accessibility and collaboration on departments and the school district. Commissioners plan to follow up on this issue.

Community: There is a liquor store in Tenderloin that wants to convert their business license but there is unease about it in the community.

Legislative: There is none to report.

C. Workgroup Updates

i) Housing Updates

Commissioner Ty: HRC will be hosting a panel discussion on “The State of LGBTQ Homelessness in San Francisco”. This event will take place on Wednesday, November 6, at 25 Van Ness in room 610. This program is in partnership with Larkin Street Youth Services, LYRIC, and the Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing. This panel will explore the unique barriers that LGBTQ youth experience with regards to access to housing and jobs. There are currently 1,145 homeless youth under 25 in San Francisco; of this number 46% identify in the LGBTQ spectrum. San Francisco’s youth homeless response system does not effectively engage this population with comprehensive supportive services. The goal of the youth panel is to uplift the voices of young people with lived experiences as well as discuss strategies on how to best engage this marginalized population. They will be presenting on HRC's LGBTQ+ Initiative centering youth homelessness this upcoming Full Youth Commission meeting.

Commissioner Ty: attended the All In Campaign, community gather in D8, where they were discussing solutions to homelessness at the SF LGBT Center. People in attendance were: Supervisor Mandelman, the SF LGBT Center, Brilliant Corners, Castro Country Club, Open House, and LYRIC. For context the goal of this campaign, the All In initiative is a coalition of over 80 organizations that have come together to rally everyday San Franciscans to support solutions to homelessness with the goal of housing 1,100 people across each of the supervisorial districts, with wraparound supportive services to help them flourish. This community meeting was an opportunity for District 8 community members to hear directly from community leaders and advocates on homelessness, provide feedback to our coalition, ask questions, and gain valuable insight into tangible solutions. What is important to note from the conversation is that in the past 10 years 100,000 jobs were created but only 16,000 housing units made. Many services are fighting for crumbs in beds and shelters each year with only 10 slots a year.

Staff Truong: attended the LGBT Coordinated Entry meeting and it highlighted the low shortage of housing and high bar of criteria for people to make it into housing. There are discrepancies with having a high population of black folks unhoused with only 5%



of black folks left in the city, and a disproportionate amount of black folks getting priority status. There is also coding and data collection errors with recording trans, gender non conforming, nonbinary, and queer unhoused people. Staff has requested the slides.

Commissioner Ty: Host Homes is launching, the info session was at the SF LGBT Center asking for community support for transitional housing for youth, if folks have extra rooms.

ii) Land Use Updates

There is none to report.

iii) Transportation Updates

Commissioner Hirji reported that SFMTA is still looking for a director.

Commissioner Quick: Exec is moving forward with HLU being the folks taking a lead with ConnectSF.

Commissioner Hirji and Commissioner Alameri will reach out on locations for the November events. A possible location could be the Islais Creek yard community room through SFMTA.

D. Work Time

i) LandScaping City and County of San Francisco

Commissioners considered the players that would be the source of where they can make their asks for budget and policy priorities.

ii) Resolution for 30x30 Rapid Network

Commissioners reviewed the draft resolution which will be read into the record by Commissioner Hirji and included edits to include schools on 29 line route, and additional context for what community responses have been.

iii) Omnibus Budget Priorities

Commissioners reviewed last year's priorities and gave additions to them with transportation priorities as well.

E. Timeline Review and Next Steps

Commissioners reviewed the timeline and made plans to convene again Oct 24th and potentially Nov. 7th to work out the upcoming events in November.



F. Appreciations

Commissioners appreciated the work and the snacks.

6) Staff Report (Discussion Only)

Staff Truong and Estrada will be co-supporting the committee for the rest until full proper transition has been completed.

7) Announcements

A. Community Events

There is nothing to report.

8) Adjournment

Chair Dong adjourned the meeting at 6:54 pm.