



**City and County of San Francisco  
YOUTH COMMISSION**

**MINUTES**

**Wednesday, October 30, 2024  
5:00 pm**

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

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**Members:** Gabbie Listana (Vice Chair, D6), Jason Fong (Chair, Mayoral), Winnie Liao (Communications & Outreach Officer, D3), Emily Yang (Communications & Outreach Officer, Mayoral), Lucas Liang (Legislative Affairs Officer, D4), Jin Valencia-Tow (Legislative Affairs Officer, D7).

**Present:** Jason Fong, Winnie Liao, Lucas Liang, Jin Valencia-Tow.

**Absent:** Gabbie Listana (excused), Emily Yang (unexcused).

**Tardy:** None.

The San Francisco Youth Commission met in-person with remote viewing on October 30, 2024, with Chair Fong presiding.

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

Chair Fong called the meeting to order at 5:03 pm.

On the call of the roll:

Roll Call Attendance: 4 present, 2 absent.

Jason Fong (Mayoral) - Present  
Winnie Liao (D3) - Present  
Emily Yang (Mayoral) - Absent  
Lucas Liang (D4) - Present  
Jin Valencia-Tow (D7) - Present  
Gabbie Listana (D6) - Absent

A quorum of the Commission was present.

Officer Valencia-Tow, seconded by Chair Fong, motioned to excuse Commissioner Listana. No discussion. No public comment. The motion was carried by the following voice vote:

Voice Vote: 4 ayes, 0 nays, 2absent

Jason Fong (Mayoral) - Aye  
Winnie Liao (D3) - Aye  
Emily Yang (Mayoral) - Absent  
Lucas Liang (D4) - Aye  
Jin Valencia-Tow (D7) - Aye  
Gabbie Listana (D6) - Absent

Action: Commissioner Listana's absence excused.

## **2. Communications**

Joy Zhan, Youth Development Specialist of the SFYC, shared communications and meeting announcements with Commissioners.

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

Officer Valencia-Tow, seconded by Officer Liang, motioned to approve the October 30, 2024 full Youth Commission meeting agenda. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following voice vote:

Voice Vote: 4 ayes, 0 nays, 2 absent

Jason Fong (Mayoral) - Aye  
Winnie Liao (D3) - Aye

Emily Yang (Mayoral) - Absent  
Lucas Liang (D4) - Aye  
Jin Valencia-Tow (D7) - Aye  
Gabbie Listana (D6) - Absent

Action: Agenda Approved.

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

- a. October 16, 2024 (Packet Materials)
- b. Discussion and Debrief of October 21, 2024 full Youth Commission Meeting

Officer Valencia-Tow, seconded by Officer Liang, motioned to approve the October 16, 2024 full Youth Commission meeting minutes. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following voice vote:

Voice Vote: 4 ayes, 0 nays, 2 absent

Jason Fong (Mayoral) - Aye  
Winnie Liao (D3) - Aye  
Emily Yang (Mayoral) - Absent  
Lucas Liang (D4) - Aye  
Jin Valencia-Tow (D7) - Aye  
Gabbie Listana (D6) - Absent

Action: Minutes Approved.

Commissioners gave a recap on the October 21st full commission meeting. The executive committee would like for commissioners to prepare statements for each hearing for more engagement like vocal participation.

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

No public comment.

**6. Committee Business** (all items to follow are discussion and possible action)

- a. Community Builder / Icebreaker

Officer Liang asked the following question "What TV channel will you end up watching on election night?", Officer Liao asked "What does it smell like outside today?", Officer Valencia-Tow asked, "What's your favote weird food combination?", and Chair Fong asked "What is your favorite fruit?".

Each commissioner answered the various questions presented.

b. Review Commission Attendance

Director Esquivel Garcia gave the following attendance updates:

Commissioner Lonné Amir has an excused absence from the 10/28 Transformative Justice Committee. Commissioner Listana has an excused absence from the 10/30 Executive Committee. Commissioner Yang has an unexcused absence from the 10/30 Executive Committee. Commissioner Liang has an excused absence from the 10/28 Civic Engagement and Education Committee. Commissioners Ansari and Paea have an excused absence from the 10/21 Youth Commission meeting.

c. Updates on Commission Outreach and Communications

- i. Presenters: Winnie Liao & Emily Yang, Comms & Outreach Officers

Officer Liaio gave an update on the different social media posts and when they will be voted.

d. Updates on Recent Youth-Related Board of Supervisors / Mayor Legislation

- i. Presenters: Lucas Liang & Jin Valencia-Tow, Legislative Affairs Officers

Officers Liang and Valencia-Tow gave an update on the current legislation they are tracking. They also gave some insight plans on the December 4th Budget Forum.

e. Approval of Full Youth Commission November 4, 2024 Agenda

Chair Fong, seconded by Officer Liang, motioned to approve the November 4, 2024 full Youth Commission meeting agenda. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following voice vote:

Voice Vote: 4 ayes, 0 nays, 2 absent

Jason Fong (Mayoral) - Aye  
Winnie Liao (D3) - Aye  
Emily Yang (Mayoral) - Absent  
Lucas Liang (D4) - Aye  
Jin Valencia-Tow (D7) - Aye  
Gabbie Listana (D6) - Absent

Action: Full Youth Commission agenda approved.

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

Youth Development Specialist Zhan gave an update on committee leadership.

## **8. Adjournment**

There being no further business on the agenda, the full Youth Commission adjourned at 5:39 pm.

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