

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

MINUTES

**Monday, April 15, 2024
5:00 p.m.**

**IN-PERSON MEETING
City Hall, Room 416
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place,
San Francisco, CA 94102**

IN-PERSON MEETING with REMOTE ACCESS via Webex

Members: Ewan Barker Plummer (Chair, Mayoral), Gabbie Listana (Vice Chair, D6), Téa Lonné Amir (Comms & Outreach Officer, Mayoral), Kelly Wu (Comms & Outreach Officer, D3), Allister Adair (Legislative Affairs Officer, D2), Jason Fong (Legislative Affairs Officer, D7), Chloe Wong (D1), Linda Ye (D4), Helen Cisneros (D5), Galicia Stack Lozano (D8), Skylar Dang (D9), Adrianna Faagau-Noa (D10), Imaan Ansari (D11), Valentina Alioto-Pier (Mayoral), Isabella T. Perez (Mayoral), Aryelle Lampkins (Mayoral), Joselyn Marroquin (Mayoral).

Present: Ewan Barker Plummer, Gabbie Listana, Téa Lonné Amir, Allister Adair, Jason Fong, Chloe Wong, Helen Cisneros, Galicia Stack Lozano, Skylar Dang, Adrianna Faagau-Noa, Imaan Ansari, Valentina Alioto-Pier, Isabella T. Perez, Aryelle Lampkins, Joselyn Marroquin.

Absent: Linda Ye (excused), Kelly Wu (excused).

Tardy: Helen Cisneros.

The San Francisco Youth Commission met in-person with remote access on April 15, 2024 with Chair Barker Plummer presiding.

1. Call to Order and Roll Call for Attendance

Chair Barker Plummer called the meeting to order at 5:05pm.

On the call of the roll:



Roll Call Attendance: 14 present, 3 absent.

Chloe Wong present
Allister Adair present
Kelly Wu absent
Linda Ye absent
Helen Cisneros absent
Gabbie Listana present
Jason Fong present
Galia Stack Lozano present
Skylar Dang present
Adrianna Faagau-Noa present
Imaan Ansari present
Valentina Alioto-Pier present
Isabella T. Perez present
Aryelle Lampkins present
Joselyn Marroquin present
Téa Lonné Amir present
Ewan Barker Plummer present

A quorum of the Commission was present.

Commissioner Dang, seconded by Commissioner Wong, motioned to excuse Officer Wu and Commissioner Ye. The motion was carried by the following voice vote:

Voice Vote: 14 ayes, 3 absent.

Chloe Wong aye
Allister Adair aye
Kelly Wu absent
Linda Ye absent
Helen Cisneros absent
Gabbie Listana aye
Jason Fong aye
Galia Stack Lozano aye
Skylar Dang aye
Adrianna Faagau-Noa aye
Imaan Ansari aye
Valentina Alioto-Pier aye
Isabella T. Perez aye
Aryelle Lampkins aye



Joselyn Marroquin aye
Téa Lonné Amir aye
Ewan Barker Plummer aye

Action: Officer Wu and Commissioner Ye excused for today's absence.

2. Communications

Alondra Esquivel Garcia, Director of the SFYC, shared communications and meeting announcements with Commissioners.

3. Approval of Agenda (Action Item)

Officer Lonné Amir, seconded by Commissioner Stack Lozano, motioned to approve the April 15, 2024 full Youth Commission meeting agenda. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following voice vote:

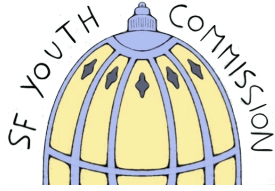
Voice Vote: 14 ayes, 3 absent.

Chloe Wong aye
Allister Adair aye
Kelly Wu absent
Linda Ye absent
Helen Cisneros absent
Gabbie Listana aye
Jason Fong aye
Galia Stack Lozano aye
Skylar Dang aye
Adrianna Faagau-Noa aye
Imaan Ansari aye
Valentina Alioto-Pier aye
Isabella T. Perez aye
Aryelle Lampkins aye
Joselyn Marroquin aye
Téa Lonné Amir aye
Ewan Barker Plummer aye

Action: Agenda Approved.

4. Approval of Minutes (Action Item)

- a. April 1, 2024 (Packet Materials)



Officer Adair, seconded by Commissioner Dang, motioned to approve the April 1, 2024 full Youth Commission meeting minutes. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following voice vote:

Voice Vote: 14 ayes, 3 absent.

Chloe Wong aye
Allister Adair aye
Kelly Wu absent
Linda Ye absent
Helen Cisneros absent
Gabbie Listana aye
Jason Fong aye
Galia Stack Lozano aye
Skylar Dang aye
Adrianna Faagau-Noa aye
Imaan Ansari aye
Valentina Alioto-Pier aye
Isabella T. Perez aye
Aryelle Lampkins aye
Joselyn Marroquin aye
Téa Lonné Amir aye
Ewan Barker Plummer aye

Action: Minutes Approved.

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

No public comment.

6. Commission Business (discussion & possible action item)

- a. MOTION No. 2324-AL-15 - Motion to urge the San Francisco Board of Supervisors and San Francisco Mayor London Breed to support Senate Bill 1031
 - i. Presenter: Housing, Recreation, and Transit Committee

Commissioner Ansari, seconded by Officer Fong, motioned to approve the motion to urge the San Francisco Board of Supervisors and San Francisco Mayor London Breed to support Senate Bill 1031. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:



Roll Call Vote: 14 ayes, 3 absent.

Chloe Wong aye
Allister Adair aye
Kelly Wu absent
Linda Ye absent
Helen Cisneros absent
Gabbie Listana aye
Jason Fong aye
Galicia Stack Lozano aye
Skylar Dang aye
Adrianna Faagau-Noa aye
Imaan Ansari aye
Valentina Alioto-Pier aye
Isabella T. Perez aye
Aryelle Lampkins aye
Joselyn Marroquin aye
Téa Lonné Amir aye
Ewan Barker Plummer aye

Action: Motion to urge the San Francisco Board of Supervisors and San Francisco Mayor London Breed to support Senate Bill 1031, passes.

- b. MOTION No. 2324-AL-16 - Support for Ending the California American Legion Ban on Girls Participation in the National Program
 - i. Presenter: Commissioner Barker Plummer

Chair Barker Plummer introduced this motion with background regarding the American Legion national program. The effort is to support statewide legislation to support both boys and girls to be given the opportunity to attend the national conference.

Officer Fong asked why the program was created separately by sex, to which Chair Barker Plummer clarified that the Boys program was liked created first and the Girls program was created later but has consistently had significantly less funding and resources.

Commissioner Alioto-Pier asked what exactly the place of the San Francisco Youth Commission is to make a statement on a national program, to which Chair Barker Plummer said that California is currently the only state with a co-ed program. Commissioner Alioto-Pier said that she understands the funding issue,



but why there's conflicts with the co-educational structure they have. Chair Barker Plummer said that they're likely to become a combined program and that California could be the first state to move towards a desegregated program, and that the advocates are trying to rally support from youth groups like the YC.

Commissioner Alioto-Pier is saying that she thinks it's not a discrimination issue, but a funding and separation of sexes issue, to which Chair Barker Plummer said that separate but equal has never worked and they should move to advocate for a co-ed system.

Officer Fong asked for clarity around which organizations exist in California, to which Chair Barker Plummer said there is Boys & Girls State and Girls State. Vice Chair Listana clarified that this motion simply states support to allow girls to be sent as elected delegates from California Boys & Girls State to Boys National.

Commissioners Faagau-Noa, Perez, Fong, and Alioto-Pier asked brief clarifying questions regarding the motion.

Chair Barker Plummer, seconded by Commissioner Faagau-Noa, motioned to support ending the California American Legion Ban on Girls Participation in the National Program. Discussion:

Commissioner Alioto-Pier said this motion does not make sense and that she supports single-sex curriculum for younger ages, to which Chair Barker Plummer said she can offer an amendment to further clarify the language and that there is a time-sensitive deadline on this. Officer Fong said that the language is confusing and needs to be clarified, but that the message behind it makes sense.

Commissioner Dang said a good change would be to clarify that goal in making the national program co-educational and that California is the only state with a co-educational program.

Commissioner Alioto-Pier said she doesn't want to pass this language currently, since she believes it needs to be re-written. Officer Fong said given the urgency, he understands the need to pass it today, but that he'd be voting no on the motion.

No public comment.

The motion carried by the following roll call vote:



Roll Call Vote: 10 ayes, 4 nays, 3 absent.

Chloe Wong aye
Allister Adair aye
Kelly Wu absent
Linda Ye absent
Helen Cisneros aye
Gabbie Listana aye
Jason Fong nay
Galia Stack Lozano absent
Skylar Dang nay
Adrianna Faagau-Noa aye
Imaan Ansari aye
Valentina Alioto-Pier nay
Isabella T. Perez nay
Aryelle Lampkins aye
Joselyn Marroquin aye
Téa Lonné Amir aye
Ewan Barker Plummer aye

Action: Motion to support ending the California American Legion Ban on Girls Participation in the National Program, with Commissioners Fong, Dang, Alioto-Pier, and Perez in dissent.

Commissioner Cisneros entered the meeting at 5:30pm. Commissioner Stack Lozano left the meeting at 5:47pm, and returned at 5:50pm.

7. Legislation Referred (discussion & possible action item)

- a. BOS FILE NO. 240310 - Resolution - Urging the MTA, SFCTA and PW to Identify High Risk Transit Stops and Crosswalk; and Urging DPH to Coordinate and Guide Efforts to Reduce Traffic Violence
 - i. Presenter: LAOs

Commissioner Dang asked what type of infrastructure they're talking about, to which Officer Fong said that they'll be deciding what infrastructure based on a case-by-case type situation.

Officer Adair, seconded by Commissioner Ansari, motioned to support a resolution urging the MTA, SFCTA, and PW to Identify High Risk Transit Stops and Crosswalk, and to Coordinate and Guide Efforts to Reduce Traffic Violence,



with the amendment to include the comment that traffic violence is the second-highest risk of death for youth. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Roll Call Vote: 15 ayes, 2 absent.

Chloe Wong aye
Allister Adair aye
Kelly Wu absent
Linda Ye absent
Helen Cisneros aye
Gabbie Listana aye
Jason Fong aye
Galia Stack Lozano aye
Skylar Dang aye
Adrianna Faagau-Noa aye
Imaan Ansari aye
Valentina Alioto-Pier aye
Isabella T. Perez aye
Aryelle Lampkins aye
Joselyn Marroquin aye
Téa Lonné Amir aye
Ewan Barker Plummer aye

Action: BOS File 240310 passes in support, including the comment that traffic violence is the second-highest risk of death for youth.

- b. BOS FILE NO. 240319 - Hearing - San Francisco's Continuum of Homeless Services, Supportive Housing, and Tenant Protection Services that Contribute to Community Safety
 - i. Presenter: LAOs

Chair Barker Plummer asked if this hearing is going to be before the Mayor's department budget presentation, to which staff mentioned that the hearing hasn't been scheduled yet.

Officer Adair, seconded by Commissioner Cisneros, motioned to support BOS File 240310, with comments included. No discussion. No public comment. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Roll Call Vote: 15 ayes, 2 absent.



Chloe Wong aye
Allister Adair aye
Kelly Wu absent
Linda Ye absent
Helen Cisneros aye
Gabbie Listana aye
Jason Fong aye
Galia Stack Lozano aye
Skylar Dang aye
Adrianna Faagau-Noa aye
Imaan Ansari aye
Valentina Alioto-Pier aye
Isabella T. Perez aye
Aryelle Lampkins aye
Joselyn Marroquin aye
Téa Lonné Amir aye
Ewan Barker Plummer aye

Action: BOS File 240319 passes in support, with comments attached.

8. Committee Reports (discussion item)

a. Executive Committee

i. Legislative Affairs Officers

Officer Fong and Officer Adair gave their reports.

ii. Communication and Outreach Officers

Officer Lonné Amir gave her report. Officer Wu was absent.

iii. General Committee Updates

Vice Chair Listana had no major updates from the Executive Committee, but asked everyone to bring people to the Vote16 rally and City Hall open house recruitment event.

b. Civic Engagement and Education Committee

CEEC didn't meet last week.



c. Housing, Recreation, and Transit Committee

HRT gave their report.

d. Transformative Justice Committee

TJ didn't meet last week.

9. Roll Call and Introductions

Roll call for introduction of resolutions, requests for hearings, letters of inquiry, and Commissioners' reports on their Commission related activities.

a. Presenters: Commissioner Lampkins, Commissioner Ansari, Commissioner Wong, Commissioner Cisneros, Commissioner Marroquin, Commissioner Stack Lozano, Commissioner Dang, Commissioner Faagau-Noa, Commissioner Perez

Commissioner Lampkins has been doing work around college recruitment and getting more people involved in organizations.

Commissioner Ansari has been focusing on committee work, especially targeting more towards housing. She said people have been asking her questions about the applications, and she's encouraging others to apply.

Commissioner Wong has been exploring new topics to address in regards to housing, but has also been busy with school.

Commissioner Cisneros has been working with staff to plan a local college fair, and has been working with the Boys & Girls Club and the D5 Supervisor office.

Commissioner Marroquin has been working on Vote16 efforts.

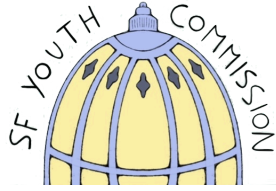
Commissioner Stack Lozano has been working on various topics and the LGBTQ+ Task Force.

Commissioner Dang has been working on outreach and tabling with staff.

Commissioner Faagau-Noa has been working on tabling and a research project on Pacific Islanders on environmental factors in D10.

Commissioner Perez has been working on Vote16 and recruitment efforts.

b. Other Legislative Introductions



No other legislative introductions.

10. Staff Report (discussion item)

Director Esquivel Garcia asked everyone to do better in reaching out to get people to RSVP for the Vote16 rally on April 24th, to get involved in supporting staff in tabling and community outreach, and to let staff know about any future initiatives as we're approaching the end of the year.

Specialist Zhan has been scheduling meetings with commissioners' appointing officers, focusing on doing outreach and presentations to various schools and organizations, and to look over the cuts that DCYF has proposed for many of the CBOs that provide youth programming and services.

Specialist Ochoa let commissioners know that they should look into the DCYF report to understand what's at stake, and thanked them for doing recruitment outreach to get more youth to apply for next year's term.

11. Announcements (this includes Community Events)

No announcements.

12. Adjournment

There being no further business on the agenda, the full Youth Commission adjourned at 6:26pm.