



City and County of San Francisco
Meeting Minutes - Final
Youth, Young Adult, and Families Committee

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Members: Hillary Ronen, Ahsha Safai, Myrna Melgar

Clerk: Brent Jalipa (415) 554-7712

Friday, July 9, 2021

10:00 AM

Regular Meeting

Present: 3 - Hillary Ronen, Ahsha Safai, and Myrna Melgar

The Youth, Young Adult, and Families Committee met in regular session through videoconferencing, and provided public comment through teleconferencing, on Friday, July 9, 2021, with Chair Hillary Ronen presiding. Chair Ronen called the meeting to order at 10:03 a.m.

Remote Access to Information and Participation

In accordance with Governor Newsom's Executive Order No. N 33 20 declaring a State of Emergency regarding the COVID 19 outbreak and Mayor London N. Breed's Proclamation declaring a Local Emergency issued on February 25, 2020, including the guidance for gatherings issued by the San Francisco Department of Public Health Officer, aggressive directives were issued to reduce the spread of COVID 19. On March 17, 2020, the Board of Supervisors authorized their Board and Committee meetings to convene remotely (via Microsoft Teams) and will allow remote public comment via teleconference. Visit the SFGovTV website at (www.sfgovtv.org) to stream the live meetings, or to watch meetings on demand.

Members of the public are encouraged to participate remotely via detailed instructions on participating via teleconference available at: <https://sfbos.org/remote-meeting-call>. Members of the public may participate by phone or may submit their comments by email to: brent.jalipa@sfgov.org; all comments received will be made a part of the official record. Regularly scheduled Youth, Young Adult, and Families Committee Meetings begin at 10 a.m. every second Friday of each month. Committee agendas and their associated documents are available at <https://sfbos.org/committees>.

ROLL CALL AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

On the call of the roll, Chair Ronen, Vice Chair Safai, and Member Melgar were noted present. A quorum was present.

AGENDA CHANGES

There were no agenda changes.

REGULAR AGENDA

210494 [Administrative Code - Consultation Regarding Filing of Juvenile Delinquency Cases]

Sponsor: Ronen

Ordinance amending the Administrative Code to require the Police Department to consult with the District Attorney ("DA") on all juvenile delinquency cases under California Welfare and Institutions Code, Section 651, and provide the DA the opportunity to commence proceedings in the juvenile delinquency court in the San Francisco Superior Court.

05/04/21; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Youth, Young Adult, and Families Committee, expires on 6/3/2021.

05/07/21; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Police Department, District Attorney, Public Defender, the Juvenile Probation Department, and the Superior Court for informational purposes. Referred to the Youth Commission, for review and comment.

Heard in Committee. Speakers: William Scott, Chief (Police Department); Katherine Miller, Chief Juvenile Probation Officer (Juvenile Probation Department); Chesa Boudin, District Attorney (Office of the District Attorney); provided an overview and responded to questions raised throughout the discussion.

Chair Ronen moved that this Resolution be AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING SAME TITLE, on Page 3, Lines 17-18, by changing 'without the DA's (or DA designee's) consent' to 'unless the DA (or DA's designee) first declines to prosecute the case'. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Ronen, Safai, Melgar

Chair Ronen moved that this Ordinance be CONTINUED AS AMENDED to the Youth, Young Adult, and Families Committee meeting of September 10, 2021. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Ronen, Safai, Melgar

210579 [Hearing - Family Friendly Workplaces]**Sponsors: Chan; Safai**

Hearing to review the progress of the Family Friendly Workplace Ordinance and on the City's family friendly policies including telecommuting, scheduling leave, and workplace safety policies; and requesting the Office of Labor Standards Enforcement, Department of Human Resources, and the Public Employees Committee of the San Francisco Labor Council to report.

05/18/21; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Youth, Young Adult, and Families Committee.

05/24/21; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to San Francisco Unified School District, Department of Children, Youth and Their Families, and Recreation and Park Department for informational purposes, and to the Youth Commission for review and comment.

Heard in Committee. Speakers: Supervisor Connie Chan (Board of Supervisors); Pat Mulligan, Director (Office of Labor Standards Enforcement); Carol Isen, Director, Peggy Sugarman, and Janie White (Department of Human Resources); Kim Tavaglione, Director (San Francisco Labor Council). Diana Fabian-Gutierrez (Legal Aid at Work); Elizabeth Newman (Department on the Status of Women); Meredith Dodson (Decreasing the Distance); spoke on various concerns regarding the hearing matter.

Vice Chair Safai requested to be added as a co-sponsor.

Vice Chair Safai noted not present at 12:20 p.m.

Chair Ronen moved that this Hearing be CONTINUED TO THE CALL OF THE CHAIR. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 2 - Ronen, Melgar

Absent: 1 - Safai

Vice Chair Safai noted present at 12:32 p.m.

210586 [Administrative Code - Policies Authorizing Parental Leave and Teleconferencing During Leave by Members of the Board of Supervisors and City Boards and Commissions]

Sponsors: Melgar; Chan, Ronen, Stefani, Walton, Safai, Mar and Preston

Ordinance amending the Administrative Code to authorize the Board of Supervisors to adopt a parental leave policy for its members, which policy shall, among other things, authorize members to participate in public meetings by teleconferencing to the extent permitted by State law when the member is not able to attend in person due to pregnancy, childbirth, or a related condition, and which may authorize members to participate in public meetings by teleconferencing to the extent permitted by State law when the member is absent to care for the member's child after birth of the child or after placement of the child with the member for adoption or foster care; and adopt a parental leave policy for other City boards and commissions, including authorization to participate in public meetings by teleconferencing under the same conditions.

06/08/21; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Youth, Young Adult, and Families Committee, expires on 7/8/2021.

06/16/21; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Department of Human Resources, Children and Families Commission, Department of Children, Youth and Their Families, Health Service System, and Office of Labor Standards Enforcement for informational purposes. Referred to the Youth Commission, for review and comment.

Heard in Committee. Speakers: Diana Fabian-Gutierrez (Legal Aid at Work); Elizabeth Newman (Department on the Status of Women); spoke in support of the Ordinance.

Member Melgar moved that this Ordinance be AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING SAME TITLE, on Page 1, Lines 1-2, by changing 'Administrative Code - Parental Leave Policies Authorizing Teleconferencing by Members of the Board of Supervisors and City Boards and Commissions' to 'Administrative Code - Policies Authorizing Parental Leave and Teleconferencing During Leave by Members of the Board of Supervisors and City Boards and Commissions'; on Page 3, Lines 11-13, by striking 'Members shall be excused from attending and participating in meetings of the Board or its committees, whether in-person or by teleconferencing, while on parental leave.' and inserting 'Members shall be allowed to take parental leave for 16 weeks or until the member no longer meets the eligibility requirements of subsection (b), above, whichever comes first. Members meeting the eligibility requirements of subsection (b)(1), above, shall be allowed to take parental leave for 32 weeks, or until the member no longer meets the eligibility requirements. Members meeting the eligibility requirements of subsection (b)(2), above, shall be allowed to take parental leave for 16 weeks, or until the member no longer meets the eligibility requirements.'; and on Pages 4, Lines 23-24, by striking 'Members shall be allowed to take parental leave for 16 weeks or until they no longer meet the eligibility requirements of subsection (c), below, whichever comes first.' and inserting 'Members meeting the eligibility requirements of subsection (c)(1), below, shall be allowed to take parental leave for 32 weeks, or until the member no longer meets the eligibility requirements. Members meeting the eligibility requirements of subsection (c)(2), below, shall be allowed to take parental leave for 16 weeks, or until the member no longer meets the eligibility requirements.' The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Ronen, Safai, Melgar

Chair Ronen moved that this Ordinance be CONTINUED AS AMENDED to the Youth, Young Adult, and Families Committee meeting of September 10, 2021. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Ronen, Safai, Melgar

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the Youth, Young Adult, and Families Committee adjourned at the hour of 12:37 p.m.

N.B. The Minutes of this meeting set forth all actions taken by the Youth, Young Adult, and Families Committee on the matters stated, but not necessarily in the chronological sequence in which the matters were taken up.