

Youth Commission Testimony in Support of the YC in the City Charter

Youth Commissioner Kelly Wu (2023-2024) Appointed by Supervisor Aaron Peskin (D3)

Serving on the Youth Commission gave me firsthand exposure to pressing issues in San Francisco that I hadn't previously known about, much less considered. Through our discussions, I came to understand how policy decisions about land use and housing directly shape access for youth and their families. That awareness has since guided my interests!

This summer, I interned with the Metropolitan Transportation Commission, where I worked on improving affordable housing placement and access. I wouldn't have been propelled to take on this opportunity if it weren't for my time on the Youth Commission. I also fully support compensating Youth Commissioners!!! Commissioners do so much between their school work, other extracurriculars, and jobs!

Signed, Kelly Wu