



**COUNTY OF SAN MATEO**  
Inter-Departmental Correspondence  
Courts



**Date:** February 2, 2015  
**Board Meeting Date:** March 17, 2015  
**Special Notice / Hearing:** None  
**Vote Required:** Majority

**To:** Honorable Board of Supervisors

**From:** John C. Fitton, Court Executive Officer

**Subject:** Juvenile Justice & Delinquency Prevention Youth Commission Appointments

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Recommendation for the appointments of Valerie Gibbs and Michele Gustafson to the Juvenile Justice & Delinquency Prevention Youth Commission for terms ending December 31, 2018.

**BACKGROUND:**

For the efficient and effective statutory compliance of the review of juvenile operations in this county, the Court and the Board have agreed that the appointees by the Court to the Juvenile Justice Commission are appointed concurrently by the Board of Supervisors to the Juvenile Justice & Delinquency Prevention Commission.

**DISCUSSION:**

With the recommendation of Juvenile Judge Clifford V. Cretan, Presiding Judge John L. Grandsaert has appointed: Valerie Gibbs and Michele Gustafson to the Juvenile Justice & Delinquency Prevention Youth Commission for the term prescribed by law. Their terms will expire on December 31, 2018. This is a request that the Board of Supervisors appoint the above-listed commissioners to the Juvenile Justice & Delinquency Prevention Youth Commission.

Approval of these appointments contributes to the Shared Vision 2025 outcome of a Collaborative Community by providing citizen oversight, inquiry, and advocacy into safety. Leaders work in partnerships across boundaries to preserve and enhance our quality of life.