

Evans, Derek

From: Angeles Roy <angelesroy.sf@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, March 21, 2017 2:33 PM
To: Evans, Derek
Subject: Fwd: Writing in support Angeles Roy for SF Immigrant Rights Commission

LETTER OF SUPPORT #1

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From: John Trasvina <jdtrasvina@usfca.edu>
Date: Tue, Mar 21, 2017 at 2:26 PM
Subject: Writing in support Angeles Roy for SF Immigrant Rights Commission
To: ahsha.safai@sfgov.org, sandra.fewer@sfgov.org, norman.yee@sfgov.org

March 21, 2017

Supervisor Ahsha Safai, Chair
Supervisor Sandra Fewer, Member
Supervisor Norman Yee, Member
Rules Committee
Board of Supervisors
City & County of San Francisco
235 City Hall
San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Supervisors:

I am writing in strong support of the application of Ms. Angeles Roy to be appointed to the San Francisco Immigrant Rights Commission. While I am currently the Dean of the University of San Francisco School of Law, I do not write you in that capacity. However, I have spent about thirty years of my career working on immigration law and policy from advocacy (President & General Counsel, Mexican American Legal Defense & Educational Fund) to federal government perspectives (U.S. Senate Judiciary Committee counsel and Special Counsel for Immigration Related Unfair Employment Practices, U.S. Department of Justice).

Based on my experiences locally and nationally, I appreciate how essential it is to have members of immigrant communities at the table when setting policies and priorities. At the same time, immigration law and policy are often complex. Thus, having someone like Ms. Roy who has both the policy analysis skills and the deep appreciation and understanding of immigrant communities on the Immigrant Rights Commission will be an asset to the City and County of San Francisco.

I have personally observed Ms. Roy make presentations on policy matters of importance to Latino and other immigrant small business owners. She is precise in her presentation of facts and respectful of those with different perspectives. She can contribute to the important work of the commission right away and I believe she is worthy of your trust and your affirmative vote.

Thank you for taking my views in support of Angeles Roy in mind.

Sincerely,

/s/

John Trasviña

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Aimee Ellis
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San Francisco, CA, 94117

March 21, 2017

S.F. Board of Supervisors
Rules Committee Members
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
San Francisco, CA, 94102

Dear Honorable Supervisors Sandra Lee Fewer, Ahsha Safai, and Norman Yee,

I'm writing you to encourage you to appoint Angeles Roy to the Immigrant Rights Commission. Ms. Roy is a first generation immigrant with extensive experience advocating for immigrant rights. If appointed to this commission, she would be an incredible asset. I met Angeles some years ago when she was a political organizer and was immediately impressed by her tenacity, passion, communication abilities, and leadership skills.

During her time serving on the board of the San Francisco ACLU, she focused on immigrant rights advocacy and taught workshops focused on this topic. She also has much experience advocating for women, youth, and people of color. The communities she has spent her career advocating for are those most greatly impacted by issues of concern to immigrants.

Lastly, Ms. Roy is a graduate of Emerge California and the New American Leaders Project, meaning she is not only a natural leader but has also received extensive training in how to take her leadership to another level. She is a tremendous person who truly connects with everyone she crosses paths with in a way that leaves them feeling positively impacted and motivated to support the issues she is advocating for.

Thank you for considering my support of Angeles Roy's appointment to the Immigrant Rights Commission.

Sincerely,
Aimee Ellis

Senior Associate of Community Strategy
Jewish Federations of North America*

Junior League of San Francisco*
Fund Development Committee

**For identification purposes only*

Evans, Derek

From: Angeles Roy <angelesroy.sf@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, March 21, 2017 2:34 PM
To: Evans, Derek
Subject: Fwd: In Support of Angeles Roy

LETTER OF SUPPORT #2

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From: **stephen jaffe** <stephen.r.jaffe@jaffetriallaw.com>
Date: Tue, Mar 21, 2017 at 1:58 PM
Subject: In Support of Angeles Roy
To: Angeles Roy <angelesroy13@gmail.com>, Angeles Roy <angelesroy.sf@gmail.com>

I write to support the appointment of Angeles Roy to the Immigrants Rights Commission. Angeles is a recognized community leader in San Francisco. She is a tireless advocate for those without a voice in our complex and often confusing legal and immigration systems. Her integrity and ethics are beyond reproach. She will be a tremendous asset to the Commission. I enthusiastically endorse her appointment without reservation.

Stephen R. Jaffe

Adam S. Mehis
127 States Street
San Francisco, CA 94114

March 21, 2017

Dear Supervisors Fewer, Safai, and Yee,

It's my privilege to recommend Angeles Roy to the Immigrant Rights Commission. These desperate times urge us to position astute individuals in positions to advocate for those most targeted by the President. Her leadership at San Francisco Young Democrats, working various political campaigns, and matriculating through Emerge California has illustrated that she is in a place to address immigrant's concerns. Additionally, Angeles's recent immigrant background and her work at the Chilean Consulate personally connects her to the depth of issues that immigrant communities face in San Francisco. With the combination of her personal narrative and the work she's done there is no other person more qualified to become the next Immigration Rights Commissioner. In my time knowing Angeles, she's a determined, passionate, and insightful person that can add different perspectives to a complicated set of issues to communities most impacted by the President.

Please feel free to contact me at 415-336-2898 if you need any additional information or clarification.

Sincerely,

Adam S. Mehis

Shanell Williams
Trustee, Board of Trustees
City College of San Francisco
50 Phelan Avenue E200
San Francisco, CA 94112

March 21, 2017

To: Supervisor Sandra Fewer, Supervisor Ahsha Safai, Supervisor Norman Yee
Rules Committee
San Francisco Board of Supervisors

Re: Angeles Roy Immigrant Rights Commission Appointment

Dear Rules Committee Members,

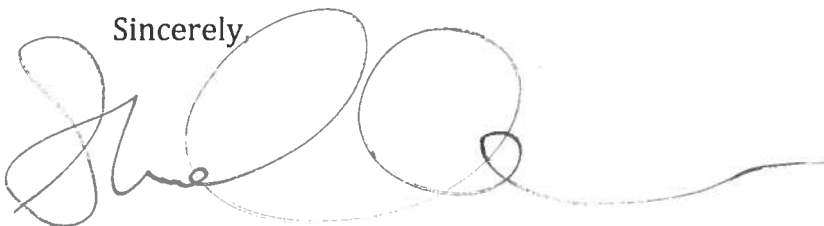
I would like to express my enthusiastic support for the appointment of Angeles Roy to the Immigrant Rights Commission. I have known Ms. Roy four years and believe her personal and professional experience makes her an exceptional candidate to serve as an Immigrant Rights Commissioner.

Ms. Roy nine years ago, immigrated to the Bay Area from Chile for a better life, without financial support or connections in the United States. Through hard work and determination she was able to learn English and graduate from UC Berkeley with a Bachelors Degree in Political Science. She has dedicated herself to giving back to her community, advocating on behalf of undocumented immigrants and women of color through organizations such as the ACLU, California Latinas for Reproductive Justice and the New American Leaders Project. She also currently serves as President of the San Francisco Young Democrats, the largest club for young democrats in California.

In addition to her compelling personal story and passion for immigrant rights, she has extensive experience leading and winning candidate and issue based campaigns. She is intelligent and thoughtful with impressive leadership, advocacy, policy and organizing skills.

Ms. Roy would be amazing addition and asset to the Immigrant Rights Commission. Ms. Roy would be a strong voice for protecting the rights of the immigrant community in the face of overwhelming uncertainty.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Shanell Williams', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Shanell Williams

Evans, Derek

From: Angeles Roy <angelesroy.sf@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, March 21, 2017 5:43 PM
To: Evans, Derek
Subject: Fwd: recommendation for Immigrant Rights Commission

ENDORSEMENT LETTER #5!



Angeles Roy
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From: **Brigitte Davila** <bd@brigittedavila.com>
Date: Tue, Mar 21, 2017 at 5:34 PM
Subject: recommendation for Immigrant Rights Commission
To: angelesroy.sf@gmail.com

Dear Members of the Rules Committee (Supervisors Yee, Fewer and Safai)

Please accept my highest recommendation for Angeles Roy to be appointed to the Immigrant Rights Committee. I believe she will be a great fit for the commission.

Angeles is intelligent, an experienced advocate and understands the policy considerations the commission will tackle. Also, as you may know, Angeles is an immigrant herself and has lived the immigrant experience in this country.

In short, it will be hard to find a better candidate than Angeles. if you wish to ask additional questions, please don't hesitate to text/call [415-531-9743](tel:415-531-9743).

Brigitte Davila

Brigitte
DAVILA

Vice President, Board of Trustees
CITY COLLEGE SAN FRANCISCO

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Evans, Derek

From: angelesroy.sf@gmail.com
Sent: Tuesday, March 21, 2017 8:04 PM
To: Evans, Derek
Subject: Fwd: Angeles Roy - Immigration Commission application letter of support

Endorsement letter #7!

Begin forwarded message:

From: Timothy Killikelly <tkillikelly@comcast.net>
Date: March 21, 2017 at 7:52:44 PM PDT
To: Angeles Roy <angelesroy.sf@gmail.com>
Subject: Angeles Roy - Immigration Commission application letter of support

I sent separate emails to Fewer, Yee and Safai

Good luck. Let me know what is happens!

Dear Supervisor

I am writing in support of Angeles Roy's application to the Immigrant Rights Commission.

I met Angeles while she was my student at CCSF back in 2009. At the time, she was working towards attaining her transfer requirements and was a volunteer for Project Shine, teaching literacy to Spanish speaking immigrants. Angeles was a great student (she got an A). She was hard working and had a strong commitment to social justice.

Several years ago our paths crossed again. She has put her work ethic and strong sense of justice to good use.

An immigrant herself from Chile, she has her B.A. in Political Science from UC Berkeley. She will bring a wealth of experience dealing with immigration issues to the commission. Angeles has extensive experience serving on the Board of the SF Chapter of the ACLU, in which she focused on Immigrant Rights advocacy such as promoting AB60 (driver licenses for undocumented immigrants) and taught Know Your Rights workshops.

I'm confident that as commissioner, she'll play a critical role in protecting our increasingly vulnerable immigrant communities.

Thank you for considering my thoughts on Angeles' application. Please feel free to contact me at (415) 622-7965.

Sincerely

Tim Killikelly, Ph.D. Professor of Political Science
AFT 2121 President
City College of San Francisco

Evans, Derek

From: angelesroy.sf@gmail.com
Sent: Wednesday, March 22, 2017 6:47 AM
To: Evans, Derek
Subject: Fwd: Letter of Support for Angeles Roy

SUPPORT LETTER #7!

Begin forwarded message:

From: Pratima Gupta <drpratima.sf@gmail.com>
Date: March 21, 2017 at 11:54:06 PM PDT
To: angelesroy.sf@gmail.com
Subject: Letter of Support for Angeles Roy

Supervisor Ahsha Safai, Chair

Supervisor Sandra Fewer, Member

Supervisor Norman Yee, Member

Rules Committee

Board of Supervisors

City & County of San Francisco

235 City Hall

San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Supervisor Safai, Supervisor Fewer, and Supervisor Yee:

My name is Dr. Pratima Gupta, and I am a first generation American and a Vice Chair of the San Francisco Democratic County Central Committee. I am writing in strong support of Angeles Roy's application to the Immigrant Rights Commission.

I have known Angeles for over a year as we were both part of the same cohort of participants in the Emerge California training program. From the first time I met her, I have been impressed by her work ethic, ability to collaborate with a diverse range of

individuals, and commitment to her values. More recently, she has been elected President of the San Francisco Young Democrats, so I have had the pleasure of partnering with her. I continue to be impressed with her responsiveness and attention to detail.

I'm confident that as commissioner, she will be thoughtful, enthusiastic and capable of engaging the community at large around issues affecting the immigrant community.

If you have any additional questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Pratima Gupta, MD

Vice Chair of Club Chartering

San Francisco Democratic Party

Derek Evans
Assistant Clerk of the Board
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
City Hall, Room 244
San Francisco, CA 94102

Mr. Evans:

I am writing you this letter to publicly support Ms. Angeles Roy's candidacy for the Immigrant Rights Commission in the City and County of San Francisco. Having worked with Angeles in her capacity as President of the San Francisco Young Democrats, I believe I am qualified to testify honestly and sincerely as to her capabilities as a leader, advocate, and future commissioner.

Her passion, her conviction in her voice, her warm presence, and her ability to listen and work as a team will suit the Commission well. As an immigrant, I believe she will provide valuable insight and ideas as to how the Commission can continue to carry out its mission of advocating for the immigrant community of San Francisco.

She has incredible determination, drive, and work ethic. I am grateful I have gotten to know her these past few months, and I am proud to call her a friend and model citizen of San Francisco.

I look forward to the opportunity to work alongside her to fight for our immigrant community during these tumultuous times.

Best Regards,

Ryan A. Khojasteh
Commissioner of Immigrant Rights

Evans, Derek

From: Angeles Roy <angelesroy.sf@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, March 22, 2017 10:13 AM
To: Evans, Derek
Subject: Fwd: Commission letter

Letter of support #10!

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From: **Gabriela Jimenez** <jimenez.gab@gmail.com>
Date: Wed, Mar 22, 2017 at 10:12 AM
Subject: Commission letter
To: Angeles Roy <angelesroy.sf@gmail.com>

Good morning!

Long story short but I dont have access to MS Word right now. Can you please put this onto a word doc for me?
Thank you and good luck!

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March 22, 2017

Adrienne Pon, Executive Director

Office of Civic Engagement and Immigrant Affairs

50 Van Ness Avenue

San Francisco, CA 94102

Re: Appointment of Angeles Roy to Immigrant Rights Commission

I am pleased to submit a letter of support on behalf of Angeles Roy for an appointment to the Immigrant Rights Commission. Since emigrating to San Francisco from Chile almost a decade ago, Angeles has been a fierce advocate for the immigrant community. As an organizer, she has worked tirelessly to protect and promote the rights of her community as well as on behalf of all underserved communities in San Francisco. I am confident she will be a great asset to the Commission and will bring valuable experience and insight into the role.

Please feel free to contact me with any further questions at jimenez.gab@gmail.com.

Sincerely,

Gabriela Jimenez

Evans, Derek

From: Angeles Roy <angelesroy.sf@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, March 22, 2017 10:20 AM
To: Evans, Derek
Subject: Fwd: Letter for Rules Committee

Letter of support #11!

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From: **Davi Lang** <davi@janekim.org>
Date: Wed, Mar 22, 2017 at 10:17 AM
Subject: Letter for Rules Committee
To: Angeles Roy <angelesroy.sf@gmail.com>

Dear Supervisors Safai, Fewer, and Yee,

I am writing to urge you to appoint Angeles Roy to the Immigrant Rights Commission. I have had the pleasure of working with Angeles for the past several years on political campaigns. As a young Latina, who his an immigrant from Chile, Angeles will bring a valued perspective to the Commission at a time when the Commission is more important than ever, given our current national political climate. Thank you.

--
Davi Lang

Dyana Delfin-Polk



March 21, 2017

To Whom It May Concern:

I'd like to very strongly recommend Angeles Roy as a Commissioner on the Immigrant Rights Commission in the City and County of San Francisco. I have worked with Angeles for over two years as a fellow Young Democrat and I have known her to be nothing but a very passionate, professional and hard-working individual. Angeles would be the perfect candidate for the Immigrant Rights Commission.

A specific example of Angeles' leadership is her current role as President of the San Francisco Young Democrats (SFYD). When Angeles was elected this January, the first project that she and I worked on was examining the bylaws of the San Francisco Young Democrats to expand full membership to undocumented individuals. The result was a proposed change in bylaws with the California Young Democrats to include undocumented young people as full members, when there was no previous representation. She cares very deeply about issues facing immigrant communities and her experience as an immigrant from Chile gives her a unique perspective that would be invaluable to the Immigrant Rights Commission.

We are living in very uncertain times and the most important thing that government can do is ensure that community members are represented. Angeles Roy represents the immigrant community well, not just as a Latino immigrant, but as a woman of color and someone well-educated in policy. She would be a fantastic addition to the Immigrant Rights Commission and give her my full recommendation and endorsement.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions.

Most sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Dyana Delfin-Polk".

Dyana Delfin-Polk
Bay Area Regional Director, California Young Democrats

Evans, Derek

From: Angeles Roy <angelesroy.sf@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, March 22, 2017 10:43 AM
To: Evans, Derek
Subject: Fwd: My support for Angeles Roy

Another letter of support!

Sorry Derek, I'm working from my phone and can't send all the rest of the letters at once. I think there is one more coming but I'm not sure.

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From: **Thea Selby** <thea@nextstepsmarketing.com>
Date: Wed, Mar 22, 2017 at 10:37 AM
Subject: My support for Angeles Roy
To: sandra.fewer@sfgov.org, norman.yee@sfgov.org, asha.safai@sfgov.org

Dear Supervisors Fewer, Yee and Safai:

I am writing to you today to express my great respect and support for Angeles Roy. I urge you to appoint her to the position of commissioner at the Immigrants Rights Commission in San Francisco. I have known Angeles for over 4 years, but really got to know her in her role as campaign manager for Supervisor Ronen's campaign. She did such a good and conscientious job as the campaign manager, treating all the volunteers with respect and working hard to accommodate both their passions and time. Her attitude was always upbeat, and her creative thinking saved the day in several cases.

As an immigrant to the United States from Chile, she knows what it is like to navigate the waters of a foreign country, the barriers put up by language, custom, and lack of understanding of even what seem like basic processes for locals. Not only does she have personal experience, but she has also worked on Immigrant Rights issues, including being on the board of ACLU, San Francisco Chapter, where she promoted AB60, obtaining drivers licenses for immigrants, and she taught Know your Rights workshops. As a woman in politics, I'm particularly proud of her work at California Latinas for Reproductive Justice, where she worked on outreach to communities of color to educate them about their reproductive rights and health. Angeles ran at the same time I did and is an elected delegate to CADEM. We are both graduates of Emerge CA and she is also trained by the New American Leaders Project.

I cannot recommend Angeles highly enough. She will be a thoughtful, creative and compassionate member of this commission.

Warm regards,

Thea Selby

President, CCSF Board of Trustees