



California Child Welfare Council

Child Development and Successful Youth Transitions Committee



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The Child Development & Successful Youth Transitions Committee's name change request
to:

Empowerment Committee

Our **vision** is that all foster and justice involved youth & young adults will be equal partners in contributing to all policies and decisions made in their lives. All youth in foster care will have their needs met and the support to grow into healthy and vibrant adults.

Empowerment Committee

Will be a space within the council for youth/young adults with lived experience.

Leadership and facilitation will be by youth/young adults with lived experience & expertise to empower, educate, prep, and support peers to join and engage with CWC members and other sub-committees.

At the Steering Committee level the co-chairs will connect with the other CWC sub-committee co-chairs to identify and connect youth/young adults who want to transition to their committees.

Develop priorities around Transition Aged Youth needs to share and move forward within the council and partner with other committees.

Time to Vote!

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