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San Francisco Transportation Authority Board 1455 Market Street, 22nd Floor San Francisco, CA 94103

Dear Transportation Authority Board Members,

It is my pleasure to recommend Eric Rozell for SFCTA CAC District 6 representative.

San Francisco Transit Riders (SFTR) is the city's member-supported advocate for transit riders and for affordable, efficient, and growing transit. As the Advocacy Director at SFTR, I have had the pleasure to work closely with Eric over the past year in his role as Vice Chair of the Tenderloin Traffic Safety Task Force and Pedestrian Safety Manager at the Tenderloin Community Benefit District. He has distinguished himself as an invaluable leader in the community organizing for the restoration of the 27 Bryant and 31 Balboa, two key routes in the Tenderloin that were suspended at the beginning of the pandemic. Eric worked diligently to lift up the needs of San Franciscans who desperately needed these lines restored, through numerous community meetings, rallies, public comments and in meetings with elected officials.

Additionally, I have had the pleasure of serving with Eric on the SFCTA Expenditure Plan Advisory Committee. In this role, Eric has demonstrated a clear comprehension of the transit landscape, an ability to weigh tough choices, and a strong commitment to improving transit, walking and biking for all San Franciscans.

Finally, Eric's strong relationships with residents, small businesses, and city-wide organizations will make him an invaluable asset to the committee. San Francisco Transit Riders strongly recommends Eric Rozell for the D6 CAC representative.

If I can be of any further assistance, or provide you with any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely, Zack Deutsch-Gross Advocacy Director San Francisco Transit Rider