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## **Fair and Just Prosecution Statement on San Francisco Voters Rejecting the Recall of DA Chesa Boudin**

**SAN FRANCISCO** - [Fair and Just Prosecution](#) Executive Director Miriam Krinsky issued the following statement after San Francisco voters rejected the recall of District Attorney Chesa Boudin:

“The recall effort against Chesa Boudin was never about public safety, it was an attempted power grab by forces intent on resurrecting failed tough-on-crime policies of past decades and removing from office a committed and capable leader on the back of a deep-pocketed, special interest misinformation campaign.

The rejection of the recall sends a loud and resounding message that voters welcome change and see through the fear-mongering attacks on reform-minded prosecutors. Our communities understand that criminal justice reform and public safety go hand in hand – and they are embracing this starting point in increasing numbers. While those committed to the status quo keep trying to beat back this movement, it is here to stay and growing stronger every year and with each passing election cycle.

We commend DA Boudin for sticking to his principles, following the research and data and implementing reforms that enhance safety, bolster accountability and promote equity. We look forward to continuing to work with him – and reform-minded prosecutors nationwide – to make all of our communities safer and more just.”

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