

Supplementary Material

Supplemental Figure 1. Mutagenesis scheme for the $ey^{OK107/X}$ mutants

Males of the Gal4 line OK107 were mutagenized *en masse* by EMS feeding, and crossed to ey^{D1Da}/ci^D females, generating males of the genotype $OK107^*/ci^D$ (asterisk indicates mutagenized OK107 chromosome). These males were then crossed individually to ey^{D1Da}/ci^{lacZ} females, and their non- ci^D progeny were screened for an *eyeless* phenotype. Of those found, their non- ci^D siblings without *eyeless* phenotypes ($OK107^*/ci^{lacZ}$) were crossed to ey^{D1Da}/ci^D females in order to establish stocks and confirm the observed *eyeless* phenotype.

Supplemental Figure 2. Eyeless protein expression is not affected in the $ey^{OK107/X}$ mutants

Neither Eyeless protein synthesis nor stability is affected by the missense mutations in the $ey^{OK107/X}$ mutants. Here Eyeless expression in the Kenyon cell cluster of the mushroom body is shown for each of the four $ey^{OK107/X}$ alleles (homozygous for mutant allele) as well as a wildtype control (Oregon-R).