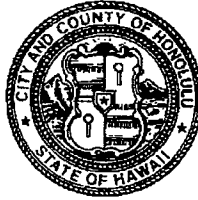


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August 10, 2021

The Honorable Tommy Waters  
Chair and Presiding Officer  
and Members  
Honolulu City Council  
530 South King Street, Room 202  
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Dear Chair Waters and Councilmembers:

SUBJECT: Resolution 21-177 – Supporting the Recommendations of the  
Kupuna Food Security Coalition (KFSC) After Action Report

The Department of Community Services (DCS) submits this letter in support of Resolution 21-177 including the City Administration's evaluation on the lessons learned, best practices, and recommendations provided in the Kupuna Food Security Coalition After Action report. The implementation of those recommendations shall also be considered as part of the planning and utilization of City's American Rescue Plan Act funds.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide this letter of support and acknowledgement of the work of DCS's Elderly Affairs Division and the KFSC to meet the hunger needs of Oahu's kupuna during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Should you have questions, please contact me at 768-7760.

Sincerely,

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Sarah Allen  
Director

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