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# **ORDER OF BUSINESS**

REGULAR MEETING CITY COUNCIL CHAMBER 13TH SESSION WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2021 10 A.M.

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# PUBLIC PARTICIPATION AND TESTIMONY

CITY COUNCIL

CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU

HONOLULU, HAWAI'I 96813-3077

Pursuant to Governor David Ige's Emergency Proclamation Related to the COVID-19 Response, issued on August 5, 2021, in order to allow public participation in a manner consistent with safe practices and social distancing requirements, this meeting will be conducted as a remote meeting by interactive conference technology, with the following procedures in effect for the meeting:

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- 3. Each speaker may not have anyone else read their statement and is limited to:
  - a. A three-minute presentation on Public Hearing and New Business items; and
  - b. A one-minute presentation on all other items.

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# The Council will recess from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

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# PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

#### **MESSAGE OF ALOHA**

## CALL TO ORDER

Roll Call

Introduction of Guests

# ORAL TESTIMONY REMOTELY VIA VIDEO CONFERENCE OR PHONE

Approval of Minutes of the 12<sup>th</sup> Session

#### ORDER OF THE DAY

## **APPOINTMENT – RESOLUTIONS**

PUBLIC SAFETY

<u>CR-282</u>

## Resolution 21-150, CD1

Confirming the appointment of David Matlin to serve on the Fire Commission of the City and County of Honolulu.

FOR ADOPTION, AS AMENDED

## PUBLIC HEARING/SECOND READING

TRANSPORTATION, SUSTAINABILITY AND HEALTH

<u>CR-269</u>

<u>Bill 36</u>

Relating to parking. (Amending the regulation of metered parking at Kapiolani Park.)

## PASS SECOND READING

# EXECUTIVE MATTERS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS

<u>CR-273</u>

Resolution 21-156, CD1

Initiating amendments to the Revised Charter of the City and County of Honolulu 1973 (Amended 2017 Edition), as amended, relating to the Planning Commission.

PASS SECOND READING, AS AMENDED

## **FIRST READING**

Resolution 21-234

Initiating amendments to the Revised Charter of the City and County of Honolulu 1973 (Amended 2017 Edition), as amended, relating to Ocean Safety and Lifeguard services.

#### PASS FIRST READING

#### <u>Bill 38</u>

Relating to commercial activities at public parks. (Addressing commercial activities at certain beach parks.)

PASS FIRST READING

<u>Bill 39</u>

Relating to real property taxation. (Amending the provisions relating to the alternate energy improvements real property tax exemption.

PASS FIRST READING

# <u>Bill 40</u>

Relating to the transient accommodations tax. (Establishing a transient accommodations tax for the City and County of Honolulu, provide for its imposition and disposition, and facilitate the receipt and deposit of the revenues derived from the transient accommodations tax.)

#### PASS FIRST READING

## RESOLUTIONS

## TRANSPORTATION, SUSTAINABILITY AND HEALTH

<u>CR-270</u>

Resolution 21-175, CD1

Requesting the City Administration to take the steps necessary to acquire that section of Leahi Avenue between Monsarrat Avenue and Noela Street, including, if necessary, the preparation of a Resolution to initiate proceedings in eminent domain.

FOR ADOPTION, AS AMENDED

<u>CR-271</u>

Resolution 21-199

Urging the City Administration to evaluate and install "Do Not Block Intersection" pavement markings and signs for problematic intersections on City roadways.

HOUSING AND THE ECONOMY

<u>CR-272</u>

Resolution 21-210

Authorizing the assignment and extension of a lease of City property with DET Renton Partners LP for the DE Thompson Village Project under Section 28-3.4(j), Revised Ordinances of Honolulu 1990, as amended (ROH).

## FOR ADOPTION

BUDGET

<u>CR-278</u>

Resolution 21-205

Accepting a gift of various medical supplies for the Honolulu Zoo valued at \$11,047 from the Hawai'i Veterinary Medical Association for the use by the staff of the Honolulu Zoo.

BUDGET (Cont'd.)

<u>CR-279</u>

Resolution 21-208

Relating to the transfer of funds. (Office of Climate Change, Sustainability and Resiliency)

FOR ADOPTION

<u>CR-280</u>

Resolution 21-213

Relating to the inclusion in the 2022 Hawai'i State Association of Counties' legislative package of a proposal that would authorize the counties to impose additional fines beyond the fines provided by the Statewide Traffic Code and apportion the revenues collected from such fines to the counties where the violations occurred.

BUDGET (Cont'd.)

<u>CR-281</u>

Resolution 21-214

Relating to the appointment of Arushi Kumar as the City Auditor.

FOR ADOPTION

## EXECUTIVE MATTERS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS

(CR-237 adopted Resolution 21-114, CD1

9/8/21)

Providing for the acquisition of easements for public use for the rehabilitation of Numana Road Bridge over Kalihi Stream, Bridge No. 129, located at Kaahaloa, Kupehau, or Laelae, Kalihi Valley, Honolulu, Oʻahu, Hawaiʻi, and determining and declaring the necessity of the acquisition by eminent domain.

(Note: Laid over on 9/8/21 and published on 9/15/21)

#### EXECUTIVE MATTERS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS (Cont'd.)

(<u>CR-238</u> adopted 9/8/21)

Resolution 21-148

Providing for the acquisition of land for public use of 1615 Ala Wai Boulevard, located at Kalia, Waikiki, Honolulu, O'ahu, Hawai'i, and determining and declaring the necessity of the acquisition by eminent domain.

(Note: Laid over on 9/8/21 and published on 9/15/21)

#### FOR ADOPTION

<u>CR-274</u>

#### Resolution 21-182, CD1

Initiating amendments to the Revised Charter of the City and County of Honolulu 1973 (Amended 2017 Edition), as amended, pursuant to the Mayor's executive reorganization authority, relating to the Office of Housing.

#### FOR ADOPTION, AS AMENDED

EXECUTIVE MATTERS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS (Cont'd.)

<u>CR-275</u>

Resolution 21-212

Amending the City's policy guidelines for sister city relationships.

FOR ADOPTION

<u>CR-276</u>

Resolution 21-217

To request additional funds and extend time for Contract No. SC-COR-1700063 to continue the services of O'Connor & Dyet, P.C. formerly known as O'Connor & Campbell of Tempe, Arizona as Special Deputy Corporation Counsel for the Honolulu Police Department and its Custodian(s) of Record in a legal action entitled <u>State of Arizona v.</u> <u>Miti Maugaotega</u>, Criminal No. CR 2010-01172 (Superior Court of the State of Arizona, Pinal County).

PUBLIC SAFETY

<u>CR-283</u>

Resolution 21-191

Accepting a gift to the City from State Farm Insurance. (Accepting a gift in the amount of \$25,000 for an accelerant detection canine and training for Honolulu Fire Department personnel.)

#### FOR ADOPTION

CR-284

Resolution 21-207

Authorizing the Chief of Police of the Honolulu Police Department to apply for and to enter into an agreement with the Bureau of Justice Assistance, U.S. Department of Justice, for funds from the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program FY2021 Local Solicitation.

#### ZONING AND PLANNING

#### <u>CR-285</u> <u>Resolution 21-203, CD1</u>

Granting a Special Management Area ("SMA") Use Permit for improvements to the Kawailoa Transfer Station. (Applicant: Department of Environmental Services) (Deadline: 10/25/21)

#### FOR ADOPTION, AS AMENDED

Related communication:

<u>CC-337</u> Disclosure of Interest Statement submitted by Councilmember Elefante.

<u>CR-286</u>

Resolution 21-204, CD1

Granting a Special Management Area Use Permit to replace the Laieloa Stream Bridge. (Applicant: State of Hawai'i, Department of Transportation) (Deadline: 10/31/21)

FOR ADOPTION, AS AMENDED

## ZONING AND PLANNING (Cont'd.)

<u>CR-287</u>

## Resolution 21-209, CD1

Granting an after-the-fact Special Management Area (SMA) Use Permit to allow construction and repainting of a security fence surrounding the Diamond Head 180 Reservoir, and revegetation of cleared areas, at Tax Map Key (TMK) 3-1-042:007 at Diamond Head Crater. (Applicant: Board of Water Supply) (Deadline: 11/8/21)

## FOR ADOPTION, AS AMENDED

#### **BALANCE OF COMMITTEE REPORTS**

EMLACR-277

Request for authorization to settle a case against the City and County of Honolulu entitled <u>Melissa-Iris E. Lau, et al. v. City</u> <u>and County of Honolulu, et al.</u>, Civil No. 1CCV-20-0001699 (Cir. Ct.)

FOR ADOPTION

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

Resolution 21-215

Accepting a gift to the City from the Honolulu Firefighters Foundation. (Accepting a gift of Thanksgiving Day meals for the Honolulu Fire Department personnel valued at \$16,500.)

FOR ACTION

# Resolution 21-230

Accepting a gift to the City from Techconnect of two registrations valued at \$2,000 for a Councilmember and a Legislative Aide to access and participate in the Smart Cities Connect Conference and Expo to be held at National Harbor, Maryland, from October 19-21, 2021.

Resolution 21-237

Accepting a gift of tuition, travel, meals and accommodations to the City from Bloomberg Philanthropies for the Mayor Rick Blangiardi to attend the Bloomberg Harvard Leadership Initiative in New York City, New York from September 26-29, 2021.

FOR ACTION

Resolution 21-238

Accepting a gift of tuition, travel, meals and accommodations to the City from Bloomberg Philanthropies for Managing Director Michael D. Formby and Executive Director Matthew Gonser, Office of Climate Change, Sustainability and Resiliency to attend the Bloomberg Harvard Agency Executive Seminar in New York City, New York from October 25-29, 2021.

Resolution 21-229

Requesting the City Administration to work with the Council to establish a benchmarking program to increase the efficiency and resiliency of commercial and residential buildings on O'ahu.

FOR ACTION

Resolution 21-235

Relating to the inclusion in the 2022 Hawai'i State Association of Counties' legislative package of a proposal that would address issues related to administration and enforcement of the county transient accommodations tax and authorize the State Department of Taxation to assist the counties with the tax collection.

Resolution 21-236

Relating to the inclusion in the 2022 Hawai'i State Association of Counties' legislative package of a proposal that would authorize the counties to employ a power of sale to collect unpaid civil fines, fees, and charges, or clean-up and removal costs for a public nuisance or violation of certain county ordinances.

FOR ACTION

# Communication D-621

From the Department of Design and Construction requesting consideration of Grant of Access Easement L and Grant of Sidewalk Easements J, K, 101 and 102 for public use in Waikiki. [Kalia Road (Hilton Hawaiian Village Easements)]

#### Communication D-645

From the Department of Design and Construction requesting consideration of Deed conveying roadway Lots 17922, 18038 to 18042; Grant of Drain Easements 9607 and 9608 and Mortgagee's Consent and Subordination Agreement; and Grant of Sewer Easements 9603 and 9604 for public use in Ewa. (Ocean Pointe Area IVA Phase 2 Subdivision)

#### FOR ACTION

#### Communication D-649

From the Department of Design and Construction requesting consideration of Deed conveying roadway Lots 19190 to 19193; Grant of Drain Easements 10288 and 10451; and Grant of Sewer Easements 10442 and 10443 for public use in Ewa. (Ocean Pointe Area IV E Subdivision)

Communication D-670

From the Department of Design and Construction requesting consideration of Deed conveying roadway Lots 16983, 16961, 16962 and 16963; Grant of Drain Easement 6479; Grant of Flowage Easement 6479; and Grant of Sewer Easement 6479 for public use in Waipio. (Mililani Mauka Unit 129 Subdivision)

#### COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE/EXECUTIVE SESSION

If the need arises with respect to any item on this agenda, then pursuant to Council Rule 12.A and Hawai'i Revised Statutes Sections 92-4 and 92-5(a)(4), the Council may resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole to consult with its attorneys in executive session on questions and issues pertaining to the Council's powers, duties, privileges, immunities and/or liabilities relating to that item.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### ADJOURNMENT