



CITY COUNCIL

CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU
HONOLULU, HAWAII 96813-3077

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY

Voting Members:

Val A. Okimoto, Chair
Augie Tulba, Vice Chair
Tyler Dos Santos-Tam
Andria Tupola

WRITTEN SUMMARY FOR VIDEO RECORD

REGULAR MEETING
THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 2023

CITY COUNCIL CHAMBER
3RD FLOOR, HONOLULU HALE
HONOLULU, HAWAII 96813

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CALL TO ORDER

The regular meeting of the Committee on Public Safety was called to order by Committee Chair Val Okimoto at 1:01 p.m. Councilmember Tupola (voting member) was present at the meeting.

[1:02 p.m.]

Councilmembers Dos Santos-Tam and Tulba entered the Council Chamber.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

FOR ACTION

[1:04 p.m.]

1. RESOLUTION 23-20 – COMMITTEE REPORT 65

ACCEPTANCE OF A GIFT (HFD). Accepting a gift of \$4,000 to the City from The 200 Club to fund the Honolulu Fire Department's Manager, Fire Fighter, and Civilian Employees of the Year awards.

[1:05 p.m.]

The following individual testified:

Angela Young, Kapalama NSW (Support)

[1:08 p.m.]

Resolution 23-20 reported out for adoption.

AYES: DOS SANTOS-TAM, OKIMOTO, TULBA, TUPOLA – 4.
NOES: None.

Related communication:

D-99 Honolulu Fire Department

[1:08 p.m.]

2. RESOLUTION 23-17 – COMMITTEE REPORT 64

APPOINTMENT OF DR. ELIZABETH CHAR TO THE POLICE COMMISSION.
Confirming the appointment of Dr. Elizabeth Char to the Honolulu Police Commission for a term to expire on December 31, 2027.

[1:15 p.m.]

The following individuals testified:

1. Katie Arita-Chang (M-86) (Support)
2. Angela Young, Kapalama Neighborhood Security Watch (M-86) (Support)

[1:19 p.m.]

Resolution 23-17 reported out for adoption.

AYES: DOS SANTOS-TAM, OKIMOTO, TULBA, TUPOLA – 4.
NOES: None.

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Related communications:

MM-22 Office of the Mayor
M-86 Testimony on Resolution 23-17

[1:19 p.m.]

3. RESOLUTION 22-250 – COMMITTEE REPORT 63

ESTABLISHING A NEW WAI‘ANAE PATROL DISTRICT. Urging the Honolulu Police Department and the Administration to establish a new Wai‘anae Patrol District 9 by 2024 and requesting that it consider providing officer recruitment and retention incentives.

[1:23 p.m.]

Councilmember Say entered the Council Chamber.

[1:25 p.m.]

The following individuals testified:

1. Nicholas Schlapak, State of Hawaii Organization of Police Officers (SHOPO) (Support)
2. Patty Kahanamoku-Teruya, Nanakuli-Mailii Neighborhood Board No. 36 (D-133) (Support)
3. Senator Kurt Fevella (M-99) (Support)
4. Louis Galdeira, Office of Senator Maile Shimabukuro (M-99) (Support)
5. Michael Rice (M-99) (Support)
6. Angela Young, Kapalama NSW (Support)
7. Representative Diamond Garcia (Support)

[1:46 p.m.]

Resolution 22-250 amended to CD1 (OCS2023-0175/3/1/2023 1:29 PM) and reported out for adoption.

AYES: DOS SANTOS-TAM, OKIMOTO, TULBA, TUPOLA – 4.
NOES: None.

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Related communications:

D-133 Nanakuli-Mailii Neighborhood Board No. 36
M-99 Testimony on Resolution 22-250

[1:47 p.m.]

4. CC-46 (2023) – COMMITTEE REPORT 62

DRAFT COMMITTEE REPORT ON THE REVIEW AND EVALUATION OF CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMISSION ON CIVIL DEFENSE PURSUANT TO ORDINANCE 17-44, CODIFIED AS CHAPTER 3, ARTICLE 15, REVISED ORDINANCES OF HONOLULU 2021, AS AMENDED. The Committee will take action on a draft committee report making recommendations to the Council on whether the Charter provisions establishing the Citizens Advisory Commission on Civil Defense should be retained, amended, or repealed.

[1:48 p.m.]

Councilmember Tulba exited the Council Chamber.

[1:49 p.m.]

The following individual testified:

Angela Young (Support)

[1:52 p.m.]

Committee Report 62 reported out for the scheduling of a public hearing and adoption.

AYES: DOS SANTOS-TAM, OKIMOTO, TUPOLA – 3.
NOES: None.
ABSENT: TULBA – 1.

Related communication:

D-80 Report submitted by the Citizens Advisory Commission on Civil Defense pursuant to Ordinance 17-44, codified as Chapter 3, Article 15, Revised Ordinances of Honolulu 2021, as amended.

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[1:52 p.m.]

Councilmember Tulba entered the Council Chamber.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 1:52 p.m.