

**RES23-050**  
**Testimony**

**MISC. COMM. 307**

COUNCIL

## **COUNCIL Meeting**

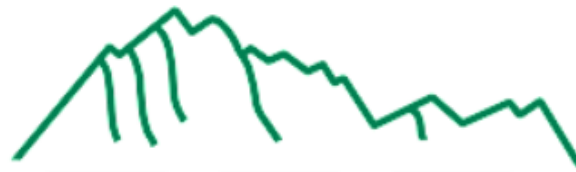
Meeting Date: Jun 7, 2023 @ 10:00 AM

Support: 3

Oppose: 0

I wish to comment: 0

Name: Denise Antolini	Email: antolinid@gmail.com	Zip: 96712
Representing: Self	Position: Support	Submitted: Jun 6, 2023 @ 08:57 AM
<p>Testimony:</p> <p>Aloha Council,</p> <p>I am in STRONG SUPPORT for Reso. 23-50 urging HPD to establish a new police substation in District 2 to service the North Shore.</p> <p>We need this substation!</p> <p>Mahalo nui,</p> <p>Denise Antolini Ppkea resident, Council District 2</p>		
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## **ORDER OF BUSINESS**

REGULAR MEETING  
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBER  
9TH SESSION  
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7, 2023  
10 A.M.

## **STRONGLY SUPPORT**

### Resolution 23-50

Urging the Honolulu Police Department to establish a new police substation in Patrol District 2 to service the North Shore Community.

Aloha Chair Tommy Waters, Esther Kia'iana and City Council members:

The Ko'olaupua and the north shore region have a very long stretch of mileage along the coast.

From the Kaneohe Police Station to the Kahuku sub-station, it's about 25.1 miles with a 50 minutes driving time.

From the Kahuku sub-station to the Wahiawa Police Station, it's about 24.4 miles with a 56 minutes driving time.

These driving distances are pending smooth driving and not considering road blockages, increment weather and other occurring obstacles to this part of Oahu.

The communities are growing. The Kahuku sub-station usually has 3-4 police officers on duty, which are insufficient. Residents have complained about response time, through no fault of the officers themselves.

We also feel that it's unfair to dispatch a single HPD officer to questionable or possibly volatile circumstances. It is not in best interest and protection of our HPD officers as well. It should be a standard protocol to send pairs of HPD in response, both to protect themselves and also to assist the public.

Public Safety is a fundamental issue. We appreciate our first responders, including our men in blue. We want them to return home in safety and in peace each time they step out to service the peoples of Honolulu. There should be ample funding to provide resources and support to the public and to HPD for such essential services.

Mahalo.

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