



HONOLULU CITY COUNCIL
KE KANIHELA O KE KALANA O HONOLULU
CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU

**COMMITTEE ON
TRANSPORTATION**

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AGENDA

REGULAR MEETING
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBER
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2023
2:30 P.M.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION AND TESTIMONY

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Oral testimony will be allowed when each agenda item is taken up, in the following order:

- 1. In-person testimony in the Council Chamber;**
- 2. Remote testimony.**

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FOR ACTION

1. **[RESOLUTION 23-271](#) – ELIMINATING THE REQUIREMENT TO CONDUCT AN ENGINEERING STUDY FOR REDUCTIONS OF MAXIMUM SPEED LIMITS.** Urging the Hawai'i State Legislature to enact legislation eliminating the requirement to conduct an engineering study for reductions of maximum speed limits on City streets, and urging the City's Department of Transportation Services to assess lowering speed limits in City residential areas should the engineering study be eliminated.

2. **[RESOLUTION 23-249](#) – IMPROVE PEDESTRIAN ACCESS BETWEEN THE HĀLAWA SKYLINE STATION AND THE HĀLAWA STATION PARK-AND-RIDE PARKING LOT.** Requesting the Department of Transportation Services to take immediate steps to improve pedestrian access between the Hālawā Skyline station and the Hālawā station park-and-ride parking lot.

PROPOSED CD1 TO RESOLUTION 23-249 (Submitted by Councilmember Cordero) – The CD1 (OCS2023-0974/10/19/2023 12:37 PM) makes the following amendments:

- A. Adds a new BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED clause to request the Department of Transportation Services to provide the Council with a plan for pedestrian improvements within 60 days of the adoption of the resolution.
 - B. Makes miscellaneous technical and non-substantive amendments.
3. **[RESOLUTION 23-230](#) – THE CITY'S POLICY REGARDING THE USE OF RED CURB MARKINGS WHERE PARKING IS PROHIBITED.** Urging the Director of Transportation Services to update and expand the City's policy regarding the use of red curb markings to include designation of additional areas where parking is prohibited.

[PROPOSED CD1 TO RESOLUTION 23-230](#) (Submitted by Councilmember Dos Santos-Tam) – The CD1 (OCS2023-0909/10/10/2023 10:52 AM) makes the following amendments:

- A. In the first WHEREAS clause, updates the citation to refer to Chapter 15 ("Traffic and Vehicles"), Revised Ordinances of Honolulu 2021 ("ROH"), commonly referred to as the Traffic Code.
- B. In the third WHEREAS clause, amends "passenger loading zones" to read "passenger curb loading zones" to conform to ROH § 15-15.1(c).
- C. In the eighth WHEREAS clause, updates the reference to refer to the "*Final PM Tow-Away Zone Hours Modification Study—Downtown/ Chinatown and Urban Core Study Areas* (the "Study"), a 2021 study prepared for the DTS, sought to improve traffic conditions in the downtown, Chinatown, and urban core areas."
- D. In the ninth WHEREAS clause, revises the third point to conform to the updated Study language.
- E. Makes miscellaneous technical and nonsubstantive amendments.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

If the need arises with respect to any item on this agenda, then pursuant to Hawai'i Revised Statutes Sections 92-4 and 92-5(a)(4), the Committee may consult in a closed meeting 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.

TYLER DOS SANTOS-TAM, Chair
Committee on Transportation