



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

**COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC
SAFETY**

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AGENDA

REGULAR MEETING
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBER
THURSDAY, MAY 23, 2024
1:00 P.M.

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

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FOR ACTION

1. **BILL 22 (2024) – RELATING TO THE FIRE CODE.** Addressing fireworks use and permitting in the City and County of Honolulu. (Bill passed First Reading on 4/17/24)

2. **RESOLUTION 24-64 – USE OF OVERT VIDEO MONITORING AT SCENIC POINTS IN EAST O’AHU.** Authorizing the use of overt video monitoring in the City and County of Honolulu at scenic points in East O’ahu. (Action on Resolution postponed in Committee on 5/2/24)

PROPOSED CD1 TO RESOLUTION 24-64 (Submitted by Councilmember Okimoto) – The Proposed CD1 (OCS2024-0497/5/13/2024 9:45 AM) makes the following amendments:

- A. In the second BE IT RESOLVED clause, requires the Honolulu Police Department to submit a report pursuant to ROH Section 2-32.3(b)(8) (which provides for an annual report on overt video monitoring no later than January 15 of each year) instead of an annual report due no later than July 20th of each calendar year and requires that arrests be included as a data point in the report.

 - B. In the third BE IT RESOLVED clause, sets the end date for the provisions of this resolution to June 30, 2028 or eighteen months after overt video monitoring begins, whichever comes first, instead of January 1, 2030 or three years after overt video monitoring begins.

 - C. Makes miscellaneous technical and nonsubstantive amendments.
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3. **RESOLUTION 24-129 – ANNUAL MENTAL HEALTH ASSESSMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR FIRST RESPONDERS.** Urging the City Administration to provide annual mental health assessment opportunities for first responders.

4. **RESOLUTION 24-130 – ACCEPTANCE OF A GIFT (HESD)**. Accepting a monetary gift to the City valued at \$3,700 from Blue Koala Pictures, Inc. for the Ocean Safety Division Junior Lifeguard Program in the Honolulu Emergency Services Department. (Transmitted by Communication D-323)

INFORMATIONAL BRIEFING

5. **HURRICANE SEASON OUTLOOK AND PREPAREDNESS**

EXECUTIVE SESSION

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VAL A. OKIMOTO, Chair
Committee on Public Safety