## REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY

**Voting Members:** 

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

Committee Meeting Held September 26, 2024

Honorable Tommy Waters Chair, City Council City and County of Honolulu

Mr. Chair:

Your Committee on Public Safety, which considered Resolution 24-224 entitled:

"RESOLUTION ACCEPTING A GIFT OF THANKSGIVING MEALS VALUED AT \$17,155 TO THE CITY FROM THE HONOLULU FIREFIGHTERS FOUNDATION (HFF) FOR ON-DUTY HONOLULU FIRE DEPARTMENT (HFD) PERSONNEL,"

transmitted by Departmental Communication No. 650 (2024), dated September 3, 2024, from the Honolulu Fire Department, and introduced on September 6, 2024, reports as follows:

The purpose of Resolution 24-224 is to accept a gift to the City valued at \$17,155 from the Honolulu Firefighters Foundation ("HFF") of Thanksgiving Day meals for on-duty Honolulu Fire Department ("HFD") personnel.

Section 13-113 of the Revised Charter of the City and County of Honolulu 1973, as amended, provides as follows:

The Council, on behalf of the City, may accept gifts or donations of money, securities or other personal property or of real estate or any interest in real estate.

To implement this Charter provision, the Council adopted Resolution 05-349, CD1, FD1, which establishes guidelines for the solicitation and receipt of gifts on behalf of the City.

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Your Committee finds that the acceptance of this gift conforms to the applicable provisions of Resolution 05-349, CD1, FD1, and that this gift will benefit the people of the City and County of Honolulu.

Your Committee on Public Safety is in accord with the intent and purpose of Resolution 24-224 and recommends its adoption. (Ayes: Dos Santos-Tam, Okimoto, Tulba, Tupola – 4; Noes: None.)

Respectfully submitted,

Committee Chair

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