

Bill 22 (2026) Testimony

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****Aloha kakahiaka nui, Honorable Chair and Members of the Honolulu City Council.**** My name is ****Master Shelby "Pikachu" Billionaire, HRM****, Kingdom of The Hawaiian Islands, H.I. Chairman, Ohana Unity Party I stand before you today with a heart filled with the Aloha Spirit, in full accordance with ****HRS 5-7.5 Aloha Spirit Law****: "Aloha is the coordination of mind and heart within each person. It brings each person to the self. Each person must think and emote good thoughts and good feelings to others." I offer my ****strong support**** for ****Bill 22 (2026)**** — ***A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE EXECUTIVE OPERATING BUDGET AND PROGRAM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2026 TO JUNE 30, 2027***. This budget is not mere numbers on paper. It is the living kalo (taro) that feeds our entire 'ohana — the practical expression of aloha 'āina and the disciplined stewardship our islands deserve. Here is the arithmetic that proves its pono (righteous balance): - ****Gross Appropriations****: \$4,851,624,064 - ****Less Interfund Transfers****: \$877,598,837 - ****Net Operating Budget****: ****\$3,974,025,227**** Simple subtraction confirms: ****\$4,851,624,064 – \$877,598,837 = \$3,974,025,227**** — exact to the penny. Year-over-year growth from the prior fiscal year is only ****0.98%**** — far below Hawai'i's 3–5% inflation and wage pressures, and well under the 20–30% higher cost of living we face compared to the national average. Other cities slash services amid deficits. Honolulu chooses restraint and lokahi (harmony). The funds flow where they matter most: - Public Safety (Police, Fire, Emergency): ****\$674,076,523**** - Environmental Services & Sanitation: ****\$446,967,237**** - Human Services & Housing: ****\$189,921,116**** - Culture & Recreation (parks, beaches, trails): ****\$163,803,224**** Debt service and retirement obligations are fully funded, protecting our credit and our kupuna workers. No new taxes are required — the budget wisely uses lapsed funds and existing revenues, including self-sustaining special funds for sewer, highways, solid waste, Clean Water & Natural Lands, and climate resiliency. Implementation is straightforward: appropriations go directly to already-staffed departments with existing enforcement mechanisms. Every item over \$50,000 receives line-item transparency. This is execution with aloha — not policy theater. ****He ali'i ka 'āina, he kauwā ke kanaka**** — The land is the chief, the people are the servants. This budget honors that truth by protecting our wai, kai, and mauna while sustaining the services that keep 1 million residents and millions of visitors safe and cared for. Rejecting or delaying this budget would dim the light for every firefighter running toward danger, every lifeguard watching our children, every park ranger keeping our trails open. That is not aloha. I urge you to adopt ****Bill 22 (2026)**** as presented. Let it become law so our city can move forward in unity, with mind and heart working as one. ****E ho'omaika'i kākou**** — Let us give thanks together for a budget that feeds our future while honoring our past. Mahalo nui loa for your kuleana and for the opportunity to testify. ****Master Shelby "Pikachu" Billionaire, HRM**** Kingdom of The Hawaiian Islands, H.I. Chairman, Ohana Unity Party www.Ohanaunityparty.com Presidentbillionaire@gmail.com Facebook @Keiki'okalani Instagram @Ohanaunityparty • IG @Legendarybillionaire X @Ohanaunityparty • X @AmericanpartyOG Support The Channel, Like, Subscribe, Donate YouTube Channel: <https://www.youtube.com/@theXXXfiles> Venmo @Presidentbillionaire CashApp \$ShelbyBillionaire BTC

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