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ORDER OF BUSINESS

REGULAR MEETING
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBER
21ST SESSION
WEDNESDAY, MAY 13, 2026
10 A.M.

Remote and in-person oral testimony will be permitted on all items on the agenda when each agenda item is taken up. Each speaker may not have anyone else read their statement and is limited to:

- A three-minute presentation on Public Hearing and New Business items; and
- A one-minute presentation on all other items.

As both English and Hawaiian are official languages of the State of Hawai'i, pursuant to Article XV, Section 4 of the Hawai'i State Constitution and Section 1-13 of the Hawai'i Revised Statutes (HRS), members of the public may testify in either language. For oral testimonies offered in 'Ōlelo Hawai'i, additional time as may be necessary will be allowed for the testifier to provide an English translation of their testimony.

Remote testimony:

1. For direct access to submit oral testimony call: +1-253-215-8782, enter ID **82368033226** and Passcode **243384**.
2. To testify by videoconference visit the Honolulu Records Collection website, type the following into the address bar of the browser: <https://hnlldoc.ehawaii.gov/hnlldoc/testimony>. Videoconference access information will be provided upon registration. Testifiers are encouraged to register/submit testimony at least 24 hours prior to the meeting.

Although remote oral testimony is being permitted, this is a regular meeting and not a remote meeting by interactive conference technology under HRS Section 92-3.7. Therefore, the meeting will continue notwithstanding loss of audiovisual communication with remote testifiers or loss of the public broadcast of the meeting.

Persons wishing to testify in the Council Chamber are requested to register by 10 a.m. by filling out the registration form in person. Persons who have not registered will be given an opportunity to speak following the oral testimonies of the registered speakers.

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Written testimony may be uploaded through the Honolulu Records Collection website, type the following into the address bar of the browser: <https://hnlldoc.ehawaii.gov/hnlldoc/testimony>, or mailed to Office of the City Clerk, Attention: Information Section, 530 South King Street, Room 100, Honolulu, HI 96813. If submitted, written testimonies, including the testifier's address, e-mail address, and phone number, will be available to the public on the Honolulu Records Collection website, type the following into the address bar of the browser: <https://hnlldoc.ehawaii.gov>.

Should you have any questions, please call (808) 768-3119 or send an email to doris.lam@honolulu.gov.

Honorary Certificates will be presented at 9 a.m.

The Council may recess from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Meeting materials are accessible on the Honolulu Records Collection website, type the following into the address bar of the browser: <https://hnlldoc.ehawaii.gov/hnlldoc/browse/agendas> by clicking on the appropriate Council meeting.

The meeting will be viewable: (1) by internet live streaming on the Honolulu City Council YouTube Channel, type the following into the address bar of the browser: <https://www.youtube.com/@HonoluluCityCouncil>; (2) by televised live broadcast on 'Ōlelo TV Channel 54; and (3) on the monitor situated outside the Council Chamber. Viewers who experience a loss of viewing signal should try switching to another viewing option.

After the meeting, the meeting will be viewable on demand on the Honolulu City Council YouTube channel, type the following into the address bar of the browser: <https://www.youtube.com/@HonoluluCityCouncil>. Copies of older meeting videos may be requested by calling the City Clerk's Office at (808) 768-5822, charges may apply.

If you need an auxiliary aid/service or other accommodation due to a disability or an interpreter for a language other than English, contact the Office of the City Clerk Information Section at (808) 768-5822, Monday through Friday, between 7:45 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., excluding State holidays, or send an email to doris.lam@honolulu.gov as soon as possible or at least three (3) business days before the scheduled meeting. Requests made as early as possible have a greater likelihood of being fulfilled.

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PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

MESSAGE OF ALOHA

CALL TO ORDER

Roll Call

Introduction of Guests

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

[Session Minutes from the March 25, 2026 Council Meeting](#)

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ORDER OF THE DAY

APPOINTMENT – RESOLUTIONS

PUBLIC SAFETY & ECONOMY

CR-117(26)

Resolution 26-59, CD1

Confirming the appointment of Richard Bryce, Jr. to serve on the Fire Commission of the City and County of Honolulu.

FOR ADOPTION, AS AMENDED

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PUBLIC HEARING/ADOPTION

BUDGET

CR-105(26)

Recommendations on the review and evaluation of the Salary Commission pursuant to Chapter 3, Article 15, Revised Ordinances of Honolulu 2021.

FOR ADOPTION

CR-106(26)

Recommendations on the review and evaluation of the Real Property Tax Boards of Review I, II, and III pursuant to Chapter 3, Article 15, Revised Ordinances of Honolulu 2021.

FOR ADOPTION

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PUBLIC HEARING/RESOLUTIONS

[Resolution 26-89](#)

Confirming the appointment of Kalani Ka'anā'anā to serve on the Economic Revitalization Commission of the City and County of Honolulu.

PUBLIC HEARING AND REFERRAL TO COMMITTEE

[Resolution 26-90](#)

Confirming the appointment of Micah Kim to serve on the Zoning Board of Appeals of the City and County of Honolulu.

PUBLIC HEARING AND REFERRAL TO COMMITTEE

[Resolution 26-91](#)

Confirming the reappointment of Jasper Wong to serve on the Commission on Culture and the Arts of the City and County of Honolulu.

PUBLIC HEARING AND REFERRAL TO COMMITTEE

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[Resolution 26-96](#)

Confirming the reappointment of Richard Davis to serve on the O'ahu Historic Preservation Commission of the City and County of Honolulu.

PUBLIC HEARING AND REFERRAL TO COMMITTEE

[Resolution 26-97](#)

Confirming the reappointment of Hilarie Alomar to serve on the Planning Commission of the City and County of Honolulu.

PUBLIC HEARING AND REFERRAL TO COMMITTEE

[Resolution 26-98](#)

Confirming the reappointment of Dr. Peter Young to serve on the Board of Review III for real property tax appeal of the City and County of Honolulu.

PUBLIC HEARING AND REFERRAL TO COMMITTEE

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[Resolution 26-100](#)

Confirming the appointment of Lani Lapilio to serve on the O'ahu Historic Preservation Commission of the City and County of Honolulu.

PUBLIC HEARING AND REFERRAL TO COMMITTEE

[Resolution 26-101](#)

Confirming the reappointment of Joshua Tengan to serve on the Commission on Culture and the Arts of the City and County of Honolulu.

PUBLIC HEARING AND REFERRAL TO COMMITTEE

[Resolution 26-102](#)

Confirming the reappointment of Ryan Toyomura to serve on the Zoning Board of Appeals of the City and County of Honolulu.

PUBLIC HEARING AND REFERRAL TO COMMITTEE

ORDER OF BUSINESS
Wednesday, May 13, 2026

FIRST READING

[Bill 35 \(2026\)](#)

Relating to streets, sidewalks, malls, and other public places. (Amending and repealing certain outdated, obsolete, or unnecessary provisions relating to curbside tellers.)

PASS FIRST READING

[Bill 36 \(2026\)](#)

Relating to ordinance revision. (Making certain changes to ordinances codified in the Revised Ordinances of Honolulu 2021, as needed, for the purposes of: (1) deleting obsolete or unnecessary provisions relating to small businesses and emerging technologies and ordinances that have been invalidated due to judicial findings of unconstitutionality; or (2) updating references due to the repeal of certain State of Hawai'i statutes.)

PASS FIRST READING

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PUBLIC HEARING/SECOND READING

ZONING & PLANNING

CR-114(26)

Bill 34 (2026), CD1

Relating to flood hazard areas. (Amending the Flood Hazard Area Ordinance, Chapter 21A, Revised Ordinances of Honolulu 2021, to update requirements and construction standards for consistency with the requirements of the Federal Emergency Management Agency, to remain eligible for participation in the National Flood Insurance Program and the Community Rating System, and for housekeeping purposes.)

PASS SECOND READING, AS AMENDED

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THIRD READING

GOVERNMENT EFFICIENCY & CUSTOMER SERVICES

CR-119(26)

Bill 8 (2025), CD2

Relating to animal nuisances. (Amending and modifying provisions related to animal nuisances.)

PASS THIRD READING, AS AMENDED

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RESOLUTIONS

BUDGET

CR-97(26)

[Resolution 26-83, CD1](#)

Approving collective bargaining cost items for the Hawai'i Fire Fighters Association Bargaining Unit 11 included and excluded managerial employees of the City and County of Honolulu.

FOR ADOPTION, AS AMENDED

CR-98(26)

[Resolution 26-84](#)

Relating to the transfer of funds. (Department of Design and Construction)

FOR ADOPTION

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BUDGET (Cont'd.)

CR-99(26)

Resolution 26-85

Relating to the transfer of funds. (Honolulu Fire
Department)

FOR ADOPTION

CR-100(26)

Resolution 26-86

Relating to real property tax compromise.

FOR ADOPTION

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BUDGET (Cont'd.)

CR-101(26)

[Resolution 26-87, CD1](#)

Relating to the transfer of funds. (Department of
Enterprise Services)

FOR ADOPTION, AS AMENDED

[Resolution 26-87, CD1, Proposed FD1](#)
(Submitted by Councilmember Okimoto)

CR-102(26)

[Resolution 26-88](#)

Relating to the transfer of funds. (Department of
Emergency Management)

FOR ADOPTION

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BUDGET (Cont'd.)

CR-103(26)

Resolution 26-93, CD1

Relating to the transfer of funds. (Department of Parks
and Recreation)

FOR ADOPTION, AS AMENDED

CR-104(26)

Resolution 26-94, CD1

Relating to the transfer of funds. (Honolulu Emergency
Services Department)

FOR ADOPTION, AS AMENDED

ORDER OF BUSINESS
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ENERGY, ENVIRONMENT & SUSTAINABILITY

CR-107(26)

Resolution 26-76

Accepting a gift of travel and related expenses, valued at \$4,000, to the City from the World Health Organization for the Executive Director of the Office of Climate Change, Sustainability and Resiliency to attend the 2025 World Health Organization Global Summit on Traditional Medicine in New Delhi, India, from December 14 to December 21, 2025.

FOR ADOPTION

INTERNATIONAL & LEGAL AFFAIRS

CR-108(26)

Resolution 26-7, CD1

Establishing an End Landfills Task Force to evaluate the feasibility, costs, risks, and implementation pathways for eliminating landfill dependency in the City and County of Honolulu.

FOR ADOPTION, AS AMENDED

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INTERNATIONAL & LEGAL AFFAIRS (Cont'd.)

CR-109(26)

Resolution 26-58

Directing the City Auditor to conduct a performance audit of the Customer Services Department's law enforcement-initiated towing program, management, and contract administration.

FOR ADOPTION

CR-110(26)

Resolution 26-104

To retain the legal services of Starn O'Toole Marcus & Fisher, a Law Corporation, as Special Deputy Corporation Counsel to advise and represent the City in claims and disputes relating to the Skyline Core Systems Contract.

FOR ADOPTION

ORDER OF BUSINESS
Wednesday, May 13, 2026

ZONING & PLANNING

CR-115(26)

Resolution 26-39, CD1

Proposing an amendment to Chapter 21, Revised Ordinances of Honolulu 2021 (The Land Use Ordinance), relating to development standards.

FOR ADOPTION, AS AMENDED

CR-116(26)

Resolution 26-95, CD1

Adopting a revision to the Public Infrastructure Map for the 'Ewa Development Plan area.

FOR ADOPTION, AS AMENDED

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PUBLIC SAFETY & ECONOMY

CR-118(26)

Resolution 26-80, CD1

Accepting a gift of cash in the amount of \$3,000 to the City from Barbara Hudman for the Department of Emergency Services.

FOR ADOPTION, AS AMENDED

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BALANCE OF COMMITTEE REPORTS

- ILACR-111(26) Request for authorization to settle claims against the City and County of Honolulu by Gerald Eubank.
- ILACR-112(26) Request for authorization to settle a case against the City and County of Honolulu entitled Jonathan Lefiti v. Dejanira Seale, et al., Civil No. 1CCV-25-0000798.
- ILACR-113(26) Request for authorization to settle a case against the City and County of Honolulu entitled State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Co. as subrogee for Sandra Jamora v. City and County of Honolulu; Civil No. 1DRC-25-0007177.

FOR ADOPTION

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

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NEW BUSINESS

[Resolution 26-92](#)

Accepting a gift of one high-back traditional bench, preparations of the grounds and a bronze plaque with an inscription to read "Donated by the Family of Gafatasi J.W.E Veu," valued at \$2,716.74 from Serena Veu to be placed at Sandy Beach Park.

FOR ACTION

[Resolution 26-92, Proposed FD1](#)

(Submitted by Councilmember Tupola)

Accepting a gift to the City of one high-backed traditional bench, preparations of the grounds, and a bronze plaque with an inscription to read, "Donated by the Family of Gafatasi J.W.E. Veu," valued at \$2,716.74 from Serena Veu to be placed at Sandy Beach Park.

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[Resolution 26-103](#)

Accepting a gift of tuition, travel, and related expenses valued at \$2,463.80 to the City from the American Association of Motor Vehicle Administrators (AAMVA) for a representative of the Department of Facility Maintenance to attend the 2026 Commercial Driver License Coordinators/IT Meeting in San Antonio, Texas, from May 12-14, 2025.

FOR ACTION

[Resolution 26-103, Proposed FD1](#)

(Submitted by Councilmember Cordero)

Accepting a gift of tuition, travel, and related expenses, valued at \$2,463.80 to the City from the American Association of Motor Vehicle Administrators ("AAMVA") for a representative of the Department of Facility Maintenance to attend the 2026 Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration/AAMVA Commercial Driver License Coordinators/IT Meeting in San Antonio, Texas, from May 12 to 14, 2026.

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[Resolution 26-108](#)

Authorizing the Interim Chief of Police of the Honolulu Police Department to apply for and to enter into an agreement with the Bureau of Justice Assistance, U.S. Department of Justice, for funds from the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program FY2025 local solicitation.

FOR ACTION

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COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE/EXECUTIVE SESSION

If the need arises with respect to any item on this agenda, then pursuant to Council Rule 12.A and Hawai'i Revised Statutes Sections 92-4 and 92-5(a)(4), the Council may resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole to consult with its attorneys in executive session on questions and issues pertaining to the City's and the Council's powers, duties, privileges, immunities and/or liabilities relating to that item.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ADJOURNMENT