SUMMARY OF PROPOSED COMMITTEE DRAFT:

Resolution 26-97
CONFIRMING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF HILARIE ALOMAR TO SERVE ON THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU.

The PROPOSED CD1 makes the following amendments:

A. Adds a new second WHEREAS clause stating that, pursuant to Charter Section 13-103, members of the Planning Commission are appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council for staggered five-year terms.

B. In the now-fifth WHEREAS clause, adds a reference to Mayor's Message 56 (2026).

C. Adds a new sixth WHEREAS clause to state that, if Hilarie Alomar is confirmed by the Council, she will serve for a second term to expire on June 30, 2031.

D. Makes miscellaneous technical and nonsubstantive amendments.

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RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, Section 6-1505, Revised Charter of the City and County of Honolulu 1973 (Amended 2017 Edition), as amended ("Charter"), establishes a Planning Commission ("Commission") consisting of nine members; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Charter Section 13-103, the members of the Commission are appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council ("Council") and serve for staggered five-year terms; and

WHEREAS, Charter Section 6-1505 provides that at least one member of the Commission must have substantial experience or expertise in one of the following categories of disciplines, each of the categories must be represented by a different member, and all of the categories must be represented on the Commission:

1. Native Hawaiian traditional and customary practices, native Hawaiian law, or traditional Hawaiian land usage;

2. Land use planning, policies, and principles;

3. Land development and construction; and

4. Climate change and sea level rise causes, effects, and solutions; or environmental protection and preservation; and

WHEREAS, Charter Section 6-1506 provides that, among other things, major duties of the Commission are to:

1. Advise the Mayor, the City Council, and the Director of Planning and Permitting on matters concerning the planning programs; and

2. Hold public hearings and make recommendations on all proposals to adopt or amend the general plan, development plans, and zoning ordinances; and

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WHEREAS, by Mayor's Message 56 (2026), dated April 22, 2026, the Mayor has reappointed Hilarie Alomar to the Commission; and

WHEREAS, if confirmed by the Council, Hilarie Alomar will serve for a second term to expire on June 30, 2031; and

WHEREAS, Hilarie Alomar will provide representation on the Commission in the category of Native Hawaiian traditional and customary practices, native Hawaiian law, or traditional Hawaiian land usage; and

WHEREAS, Charter Section 13-103 requires that each appointee to the Commission be a registered voter of the City and County of Honolulu; and

WHEREAS, the Council has reviewed Hilarie Alomar's qualifications and character and finds that Hilarie Alomar is qualified to serve on the Commission and deserves confirmation; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City and County of Honolulu that it confirms the reappointment of Hilarie Alomar to the Planning Commission for a term to expire on June 30, 2031; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Council expresses its gratitude and appreciation to Hilarie Alomar for the commitment and willingness to continue to actively participate in City government; and

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BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be transmitted to the Mayor, the Department of Planning and Permitting, the Chair of the Planning Commission, and Hilarie Alomar.

INTRODUCED BY:

Tommy Waters (br)

DATE OF INTRODUCTION:

April 27, 2026
Honolulu, Hawai‘i

Councilmembers

Report Title:
Reappointment; Confirmation; Boards and Commissions; Planning Commission; Department of Planning and Permitting ("DPP")

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