REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON HOUSING, HOMELESSNESS & PARKS

Voting Members:
Andria Tupola, Chair; Augie Tulba, Vice-Chair;
Radiant Cordero, Scott Y. Nishimoto, Matt Weyer

Committee Meeting Held
May 21, 2026

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

Mr. Chair:

Your Committee on Housing, Homelessness & Parks, which considered Resolution 26-112 entitled:

"RESOLUTION ACCEPTING A GIFT OF COOKIES FOR THE BOY SCOUTS VOLUNTEERS VALUED AT $606.00 FROM DIAMOND BAKERY WILL BE USED FOR THE MAYOR'S MEMORIAL DAY EVENT HELD AT NATIONAL MEMORIAL CEMETERY OF THE PACIFIC AT PŪOWAINA,"

transmitted by Departmental Communication 315 (2026), dated May 8, 2026, from the Department of Parks and Recreation, and introduced on May 12, 2026, reports as follows:

The purpose of Resolution 26-112 is to accept a gift to the City from Diamond Bakery of cookies, valued at $606, for the Boy Scouts volunteering at the Annual Mayor's Memorial Day Ceremony at the National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific at Pūowaina.

Kēhaulani Pu'u, Deputy Director of Parks and Recreation testified in support.

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Your Committee considered and approved a proposed CD1 version of the Resolution, which makes the following amendments:

A. Amends the resolution title to read as follows:

"ACCEPTING A GIFT TO THE CITY OF COOKIES VALUED AT $606.00 FROM DIAMOND BAKERY FOR THE BOY SCOUTS VOLUNTEERING AT THE MAYOR'S MEMORIAL DAY EVENT HELD AT THE NATIONAL MEMORIAL CEMETERY OF THE PACIFIC AT PŪOWAINA."

B. In the fourth WHEREAS clause and the BE IT RESOLVED clause, identifies the letter dated May 8, 2026 as Departmental Communication 315 (2026).

C. Makes miscellaneous technical and nonsubstantive amendments.

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.

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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.

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 Housing, Homelessness & Parks is in accord with the intent and purpose of Resolution 26-112, as amended herein, and recommends its adoption in the form attached hereto as Resolution 26-112, CD1. (Ayes: Cordero, Tulba, Tupola – 3; Noes: None; Absent: Nishimoto, Weyer – 2.)

Respectfully submitted,

A. Tupola

Committee Chair

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No. **26-112, CD1**

RESOLUTION

ACCEPTING A GIFT TO THE CITY OF COOKIES VALUED AT $606.00 FROM DIAMOND BAKERY FOR THE BOY SCOUTS VOLUNTEERING AT THE MAYOR'S MEMORIAL DAY EVENT HELD AT THE NATIONAL MEMORIAL CEMETERY OF THE PACIFIC AT PŪOWAINA.

WHEREAS, Section 13-113, Revised Charter of the City and County of Honolulu 1973 (Amended 2017 Edition), as amended, provides the City Council ("Council") with the authority to accept gifts to the City and County of Honolulu ("City"); and

WHEREAS, Resolution 05-349, CD1, FD1, establishes a policy of the Council for the solicitation and acceptance of gifts donated to the City; and

WHEREAS, the policy allows for the acceptance of gifts by the affirmative action of the Council; and

WHEREAS, through a letter dated May 8, 2026 (Departmental Communication 315 (2026)), approved by the Managing Director, the Director of Parks and Recreation has submitted a request to the Council for acceptance of a gift to the City from Diamond Bakery of cookies valued at $606.00 for the Boy Scouts volunteering at the Mayor's Memorial Day Event held at the National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific at Pūowaina; and

WHEREAS, the description and value of the gift are set forth in the Declaration of Gift form attached hereto as Exhibit A; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City and County of Honolulu that this body gratefully accepts the gift of cookies valued at $606.00 from Diamond Bakery that is more fully described in Departmental Communication 315 (2026), dated May 8, 2026, and the Declaration of Gift form attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated by reference herein; and

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No. **26-112, CD1**

RESOLUTION

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be transmitted to the Director of Parks and Recreation and Michelle Yoshimura, Diamond Bakery, 756 Mo'owa'a Street, Honolulu, Hawai'i 96817.

INTRODUCED BY:

Tommy Waters (br)

DATE OF INTRODUCTION:

May 12, 2026
Honolulu, Hawai'i

Councilmembers

CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU

DECLARATION OF GIFT	
NAME OF DONOR	Diamond Bakery
DONOR'S ADDRESS	756 Moowaa St. Honolulu, HI 96817
DONOR'S TELEPHONE	808-847-3551

STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP AND/OR TERMS OF CONVEYANCE

The donor named above owns the property described below and desires to give the property to the City and County of Honolulu. To carry out this purpose, the donor hereby absolutely and without condition or reservation gives, grants, and conveys the property to the City and County of Honolulu.

DESCRIPTION OF GIFT	VALUE
Cookies Snacks for the Boy Scouts placing leis at the Mayor's Memorial Day event.	$ 606.00
TOTAL	$ 606.00

SIGNATURE: Michelle Yoshimura	DATE: 3/11/26
PRINT NAME: Michelle Yoshimura	TITLE: Office Manager

Report Title:

Gift; Department of Parks and Recreation ("DPR"); Memorial Day; National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific; Pūowaina; Puowaìna

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