HONOLULU CITY COUNCIL

KE KANIHELA O KE KALANA O HONOLULU

CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU

No. **26-111, CD1**

RESOLUTION

ACCEPTING A GIFT TO THE CITY OF SHIPPING SERVICES VALUED AT $2,500 FROM AEKO KULA LLC DBA ALOHA AIR CARGO FOR SHIPPING FLOWERS AND LEI FROM THE NEIGHBOR ISLANDS TO SUPPORT THE MAKING AND COLLECTION OF 38,000 LEI TO ADORN THE GRAVES OF OUR SERVICE MEMBERS BURIED AT THE NATIONAL MEMORIAL CEMETERY OF THE PACIFIC AT PŪOWAINA AS PART OF THE MAYOR'S MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONY.

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

WHEREAS, through a letter dated May 8, 2026 (Departmental Communication 314 (2026)), approved by the Managing Director, the Director of Parks and Recreation has submitted a request to the Council for the acceptance of a gift to the City from Aeko Kula LLC dba Aloha Air Cargo of shipping services, valued at $2,500, for the shipping of flowers and lei from the neighbor islands to support the making and collection of 38,000 lei to adorn the graves of our service members buried at the National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific at Pūowaina as part of the Mayor's Memorial Day ceremony; 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 valued at $2,500 from Aeko Kula LLC dba Aloha Air Cargo that is more fully described in Departmental Communication 314 (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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BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the Director of Parks and Recreation and Jade Castillo, Director of Sales, Aeko Kula LLC dba Aloha Air Cargo, 50 Elliott Street, Honolulu, Hawai'i 96819.

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	Aeko Kula LLC dba Aloha Air Cargo
DONOR'S ADDRESS	50 Elliott Street, Honolulu, HI 96819
DONOR'S TELEPHONE	808-836-4222

STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP AND/OR TERMS OF CONVEYANCE

Aloha Air Cargo to provide in-kind shipping of flowers for the 75th Annual Mayor's Memorial Day Ceremony from Hilo, Kona, Lihue, and Kahului to Honolulu. Lei's to be tendered on outer islands on Thursday, May 21, 2026 and will be held in our Honolulu Station reefer till recovered. Estimated date of pick up is set for either Friday, May 22 or Saturday, May 23.

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
In-Kind Air Freight Shipping up to $2500.00 in total, per the below origin/destinations. ITO – HNL KOA-HNL OGG-HNL LIH-HNL	$2500.00

Signature: Jade Castillo	**Date:** 3/11/26
Print Name: Jade Castillo	**Title:** Director of Sales

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HONOLULU, HAWAII

CERTIFICATE

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Introduced:	05/12/26	By:	TOMMY WATERS - BY REQUEST	Committee:	HOUSING, HOMELESSNESS & PARKS (HHP)

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Voting Legend: * = Aye w/Reservations

05/12/26	INTRO	Introduced.
05/21/26	HHP	Reported out for adoption as amended in CD1 form. CR-153(26) 3 AYES: CORDERO, TULBA, TUPOLA 2 ABSENT: NISHIMOTO, WEYER
06/03/26	CCL	Committee report and Resolution as amended were adopted. 9 AYES: CORDERO, DOS SANTOS-TAM, KIA'ĀINA, NISHIMOTO, OKIMOTO, TULBA, TUPOLA, WATERS, WEYER

I hereby certify that the above is a true record of action by the Council of the City and County of Honolulu on this RESOLUTION.

CHADD KADOTA, ACTING CITY CLERK

TOMMY WATERS, CHAIR AND PRESIDING OFFICER