REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY, ENVIRONMENT & SUSTAINABILITY

Voting Members:
Matt Weyer, Chair; Tyler Dos Santos-Tam, Vice-Chair;
Augie Tulba, Andria Tupola

Committee Meeting Held
August 25, 2026

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

Mr. Chair:

Your Committee on Energy, Environment & Sustainability, which considered Resolution 26-172 entitled:

"RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE REAPPOINTMENT OF NA'ALEHU ANTHONY TO SERVE ON THE BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU,"

transmitted by Mayor's Message 99 (26), dated July 28, 2026 from the Office of the Mayor, introduced on July 29, 2026, and was the subject of a public hearing at the August 12, 2026 Council meeting, reports as follows:

The purpose of the Resolution is to confirm the reappointment of Na'alehu Anthony to serve on the Board of Water Supply of the City and County of Honolulu for a term to expire June 30, 2031.

Mr. Anthony provided background information about himself and expressed his willingness to serve on the Board of Water Supply, and responded to questions from Councilmembers.

The Manager and Chief Engineer of the Board of Water Supply provided testimony in support on behalf of the Board of Water Supply.

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ADOPTED ON SEP 9 2026

COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 222(26)

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Your Committee considered and approved a proposed hand-carried CD1 version that makes the following amendments:

A. Amends the title to read as follows:

"CONFIRMING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF NA'ALEHU ANTHONY TO SERVE ON THE BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU."

B. Amends the fourth WHEREAS clause to identify the Mayor's letter, dated July 28, 2026, as Mayor's Message 99 (2026).

C. Makes miscellaneous technical and nonsubstantive amendments.

Your Committee finds that Mr. Anthony meets all qualifications required to serve as a member of the Board of Water Supply, and can fulfill the responsibilities of his appointment.

Your Committee on Energy, Environment & Sustainability is in accord with the intent and purpose of Resolution 26-172, as amended herein, and recommends its adoption in the form attached hereto as Resolution 26-172, CD1. (Ayes: Tulba, Tupola, Weyer – 3; Noes: None; Absent: Dos Santos-Tam – 1.)

Respectfully submitted,

Committee Chair

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No. **26-172, CD1**

RESOLUTION

CONFIRMING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF NA'ALEHU ANTHONY TO SERVE ON THE BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU.

WHEREAS, Section 7-101, Revised Charter of the City and County of Honolulu 1973 (Amended 2017 Edition), as amended ("Charter"), establishes a Department of Water, to be known as the Board of Water Supply ("Board"); and

WHEREAS, Charter Section 7-104 creates a policy-making body consisting of seven members, two ex officio members and five members appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council ("Council") to five-year terms; and

WHEREAS, in general, the Board has the duty of developing, managing, controlling, and operating the water systems of the City and County of Honolulu ("City"); and

WHEREAS, by Mayor's Message 99 (2026), dated July 28, 2026, the Mayor has reappointed Na'alehu Anthony to the Board; and

WHEREAS, if confirmed by the Council, Na'alehu Anthony will serve for a term to expire on June 30, 2031; and

WHEREAS, Charter Section 13-103, which applies to the Board, requires that appointees to the Board be registered voters of the City; and

WHEREAS, the Council has reviewed Na'alehu Anthony's qualifications and character and finds that Na'alehu Anthony qualifies to serve on the Board and deserves confirmation; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City and County of Honolulu that it confirms the reappointment of Na'alehu Anthony to the Board of Water Supply for a term expiring on June 30, 2031; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Council expresses its gratitude and appreciation to Na'alehu Anthony for the willingness to be considered for public service and actively participate in City government; and

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CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU

No. **26-172, CD1**

RESOLUTION

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be transmitted to the Mayor, the Manager and Chief Engineer of the Board of Water Supply, and Na'alehu Anthony.

INTRODUCED BY:

Tommy Waters (br)

DATE OF INTRODUCTION:

July 29, 2026
Honolulu, Hawai'i

Councilmembers

Report Title:
Reappointment; Confirmation; Boards and Commissions; Board of Water Supply ("BWS")

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