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
August 25, 2026

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

Mr. Chair:

Your Committee on Housing, Homelessness & Parks, which considered Resolution 26-178 entitled:

"RESOLUTION ACCEPTING A GIFT OF TWO (2) HIGH-BACK TRADITIONAL BENCHES, GROUND PREPARATION AND TWO (2) BRONZE PLAQUES WITH THE INSCRIPTION, "DONATED BY THE FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF JACK 'THE RUNNING DOC' SCAFF," VALUED AT $3,999.25, TO THE CITY FROM DONNA SCAFF FOR PLACEMENT AT KAPIʻOLANI REGIONAL PARK,"

transmitted by Departmental Communication 508 (2026), dated July 30, 2026, from the Department of Parks and Recreation, and introduced on August 3, 2026, reports as follows:

The purpose of Resolution 26-178 is to accept a gift to the City of two high-back traditional benches, ground preparations and two bronze plaques with the inscription, "Donated by the Family and Friends of Jack 'The Running Doc' Scaff" valued at $3,999.25, from Donna Scaff to be placed at Kapiʻolani Regional Park.

Kēhaulani Puʻu, Deputy Director of Parks and Recreation testified in support.

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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.

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 26-178 and recommends its adoption. (Ayes: Cordero, Nishimoto, Tulba, Tupola, Weyer – 5; Noes: None.)

Respectfully submitted,

A. Tupola

Committee Chair

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