REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BUDGET

Voting Members:
Val A. Okimoto, Chair; Scott Y. Nishimoto, Vice Chair;
Radiant Cordero, Esther Kiaʻāina, Augie Tulba, Tommy Waters

Committee Meeting Held
September 22, 2026

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

Mr. Chair:

Your Committee on Budget, which considered Resolution 26-203 entitled:

"RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE TRANSFER OF FUNDS,"

transmitted by Departmental Communication 561(26), dated August 31, 2026, from the Honolulu Fire Department ("HFD") and introduced on September 1, 2026, reports as follows:

The purpose of the resolution is to authorize a transfer of $16,624 in General Fund moneys from the Provision for Grants, Partnerships and Security activity, current expenses ("CE") character of expenditure ("COE"), to the Honolulu Fire Department's ("HFD"), Fire Operations activity CE COE, to match funds from the Federal Emergency Management Agency ("FEMA") Assistance to Firefighters Grant.

At your Committee's meeting on September 22, 2026, Battalion Chief Jason Torres of the Honolulu Fire Department provided comments on the resolution and answered questions.

Your Committee received no oral or written testimony on the resolution.

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Your Committee on Budget is in accord with the intent and purpose of Resolution 26-203 and recommends its adoption. (Ayes: Cordero, Kia'āina, Nishimoto, Okimoto, Tulba – 5; Noes: None; Absent: Waters – 1.)

Respectfully submitted,

Val A. Okimoto

Committee Chair

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