



HONOLULU CITY COUNCIL
KE KANIHELA O KE KALANA O HONOLULU
CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU

**COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY
& ECONOMY**

Voting Members:

Augie Tulba, Chair
Esther Kia'āina, Vice Chair
Scott Y. Nishimoto
Val A. Okimoto
Andria Tupola

WRITTEN SUMMARY FOR VIDEO RECORD

REGULAR MEETING
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2026

CITY COUNCIL CHAMBER
3RD FLOOR, HONOLULU HALE
HONOLULU, HAWAII 96813

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CALL TO ORDER

The regular meeting of the Committee on Public Safety & Economy was called to order by Committee Chair Augie Tulba at 1:03 p.m. Councilmembers Kia'āina (voting member), Nishimoto (voting member), Tupola (voting member), and Weyer (non-voting member) were present at the meeting. Councilmember Okimoto (voting member) was excused from the meeting.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

INFORMATIONAL BRIEFING

[1:06 p.m.]

1. UPDATE FROM THE HONOLULU POLICE DEPARTMENT ON ITS PROJECTS AND PRIORITIES.

[1:14 p.m.]

There was no public testimony.

[1:14 p.m.]

Councilmember Nishimoto exited the Council Chamber.

FOR ACTION

[1:19 p.m.]

2. RESOLUTION 26-194 – COMMITTEE REPORT 270(26)

ACCEPTANCE OF GIFT (DES). Accepting a gift to the City of two pregnant Mini Nigerian Does (female pygmy goats), including transportation and vet screenings, valued at \$3,370, from Meadow Gold Dairies via The Honolulu Zoological Society for the Keiki Zoo at the Honolulu Zoo.

[1:20 p.m.]

Councilmember Nishimoto entered the Council Chamber.

[1:20 p.m.]

There was no public testimony.

[1:20 p.m.]

Resolution 26-194 reported out for adoption.

AYES: KIA'ĀINA, NISHIMOTO, TULBA, TUPOLA – 4.

NOES: None.

ABSENT: OKIMOTO – 1.

Related communications:

D-544(26)	Department of Enterprise Services
M-400(26)	Testimony on Resolution 26-194

[1:21 p.m.]

3. RESOLUTION 26-195 – COMMITTEE REPORT 271(26)

ACCEPTANCE OF GIFT (DES). Accepting a gift to the City of a gate installation, valued at \$12,565, from The Honolulu Zoological Society to provide access to the giraffe exhibit at the Honolulu Zoo.

[1:23 p.m.]

There was no public testimony.

[1:23 p.m.]

Resolution 26-195 amended to CD1 (OCS2026-0564/9/14/2026 9:37 AM) and reported out for adoption.

AYES: KIA'ĀINA, NISHIMOTO, TULBA, TUPOLA – 4.
NOES: None.
ABSENT: OKIMOTO – 1.

Related communication:

D-545(26) Department of Enterprise Services

[1:23 p.m.]

4. RESOLUTION 26-205 – COMMITTEE REPORT 272(26)

ACCEPTANCE OF GIFT (HOSD). Accepting a gift to the City of various supplies, equipment, and food, valued at \$19,000, from the Hawaiian Lifeguard Association to support the Junior Lifeguard Program from June 1 through July 31, 2026; the O'ahu Junior Guard Championship held on August 2, 2026; and the State Junior Guard Championship held on August 8, 2026.

[1:26 p.m.]

There was no public testimony.

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[1:26 p.m.]

Resolution 26-205 amended to CD1 (OCS2026-0565/9/14/2026 9:54 AM) and reported out for adoption.

AYES: KIA'ĀINA, NISHIMOTO, TULBA, TUPOLA – 4.
NOES: None.
ABSENT: OKIMOTO – 1.

Related communication:

D-564(26) Honolulu Ocean Safety Department

[1:26 p.m.]

5. RESOLUTION 26-212 – COMMITTEE REPORT 274(26)

ACCEPTANCE OF GIFT (CCSR). Accepting a gift of travel, lodging, and related expenses valued at \$2,231.00 to the City from ICLEI – Local Governments for Sustainability USA for a representative of the Office of Climate Change, Sustainability, and Resiliency to attend Local Governments for Sustainability USA and Coalition for Green Capital Flagship National Convening in Baltimore, Maryland, from October 4 to October 8, 2026.

[1:28 p.m.]

There was no public testimony.

[1:28 p.m.]

Resolution 26-212 amended to CD1 (OCS2026-0587/9/18/2026 3:18 PM) and reported out for adoption.

AYES: KIA'ĀINA, NISHIMOTO, TULBA, TUPOLA – 4.
NOES: None.
ABSENT: OKIMOTO – 1.

Related communication:

MM-121(26) Office of Climate Change, Sustainability, and Resiliency

[1:29 p.m.]

6. RESOLUTION 26-211 – COMMITTEE REPORT 273(26)

THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAI'I–WEST O'AHU FILM AND PRODUCTION FACILITY PROJECT. Urging the University of Hawai'i Board of Regents to expeditiously advance the University of Hawai'i–West O'ahu Film and Media Production Facility Project.

[1:30 p.m.]

The following individuals testified:

1. Angela Young (Support)
2. Tim Garry (Support)

[1:43 p.m.]

Resolution 26-211 amended to CD1 (OCS2026-0586/9/18/2026 3:01 PM) and reported out for adoption.

AYES: KIA'ĀINA, NISHIMOTO, TULBA, TUPOLA – 4.
NOES: None.
ABSENT: OKIMOTO – 1.

Related communication:

MM-124(26) Honolulu Film Office

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 1:44 p.m.