

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

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, 2023

RE: H.R. No. 95

Honorable Scott K. Saiki  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Thirty-Second State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2023  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, to which was referred H.R. No. 95 entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIARY TO PREPARE A MASTER DEVELOPMENT PLAN, INCLUDING A CAPITOL IMPROVEMENT PROJECT REQUEST, TO UPGRADE THE SOUTH KOHALA DISTRICT COURT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is requesting the Judiciary to prepare a master development plan, including a capital improvement project request, to upgrade the South Kohala District Court.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Hawaii State Judiciary, the Hawaii State Bar Association, and the Hawaii County Bar Association.

Your Committee finds that the serious lack of judiciary facilities in South Kohala can only be remedied by an objective evaluation of the demand for these facilities and a determination of how these needs can be met and that this evaluation and analysis would provide the necessary information to prepare a master development plan to upgrade the South Kohala District Court complex.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs that is attached to this

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report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 95 and recommends its adoption.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Judiciary &  
Hawaiian Affairs,

  
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DAVID A. TARNAS, Chair



Record of Votes of the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs

Bill/Resolution No.: <b>HR 95</b>	Committee Referral: <b>JHA</b>	Date: <b>3/23/2023</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
JHA Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. TARNAS, David A. (C)	✓			
2. TAKAYAMA, Gregg (VC)	✓			
3. GANADEN, Sonny	✓			
4. HOLT, Daniel				✓
5. HASHIMOTO, Troy N.	✓			
6. ICHIYAMA, Linda				✓
7. ILAGAN, Greggor	✓			
8. KONG, Sam Satoru				✓
9. MIZUNO, John M.	✓			
10. SOUZA, Kanani	✓			
<b>TOTAL (10)</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>∅</b>	<b>∅</b>	<b>3</b>
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <small>committee acronym(s)</small>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: <u><i>David Carnas</i></u>				
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