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## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

DIRECTING THE HAWAII EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY TO SUBMIT A  
GRANT REQUEST TO THE FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY  
FOR ROCKFALL MITIGATION IN MOANALUA GARDENS AND MOANALUA  
VALLEY, OAHU.

1           WHEREAS, boulders along hillsides pose a threat of  
2 dangerous rockfalls and landslides that could directly and  
3 indirectly impact communities across the State; and  
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5           WHEREAS, rockfall mitigation projects require proactive  
6 measures to protect hillside and valley communities; and  
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8           WHEREAS, on Oahu, the Moanalua Gardens and Moanalua Valley  
9 communities are considered a high risk zone for landslides and  
10 rockfalls; and  
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12           WHEREAS, certain hillsides surrounding Moanalua Valley are  
13 owned by the federal government, such as Tripler Army Medical  
14 Center; and  
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16           WHEREAS, the United States Army Corps of Engineers has  
17 previously conducted rockfall mitigation projects on surrounding  
18 hillsides in Moanalua Gardens and Moanalua Valley; and  
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20           WHEREAS, the Hawaii Emergency Management Agency is  
21 responsible for planning for and responding to natural and  
22 human-caused emergencies in the State; now, therefore,  
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24           BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the  
25 Thirty-second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular  
26 Session of 2024, the Senate concurring, that the Hawaii  
27 Emergency Management Agency is directed to submit a hazard  
28 mitigation assistance grant request or pre-disaster mitigation  
29 program grant request to the Federal Emergency Management Agency



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1 for rockfall mitigation in Moanalua Gardens and Moanalua Valley,  
2 Oahu, under the Tripler Army Medical Center hillside; and

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Adjutant General of the Department of Defense; Commander of the United States Army Corps of Engineers, Honolulu District; and Director of the Hawaii Emergency Management Agency.

OFFERED BY:

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