Honolulu, Hawaii

Agr. 111 , 2006

RE: H.R. No. 89

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Third State Legislature Regular Session of 2006 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Health, to which was referred H.R. No. 89 entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING HAWAII'S COUNTY, STATE, AND FEDERAL LEVEL GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS TO PLAY AN ACTIVE ROLE IN CREATING "HEART HEALTHY COMMUNITIES","

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this resolution is to support healthy lifestyles by urging community planners and other government leaders to create environments that include healthier food choices in schools and public buildings and exercise choices, such as mass transit alternatives, expanded parks, bike lanes, walking paths, and other amenities, to make it easier to get and stay fit.

The Department of Health, Department of Education, Kaiser Permanente, a member of the Mililani/Waipio/Melemanu Neighborhood Board No. 25, and a concerned individual supported this resolution.

Your Committee finds that a healthy lifestyle is important to the health of an individual as well as to the entire community. We currently have an excellent example of such a program that works—Kokua Kalihi Valley Community Health Center. It is important to encourage healthy living and create "heart healthy communities" by fostering and encouraging healthy lifestyles through the public policy development and community planning responsibilities.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Health that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 89 and recommends its adoption.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Health,

DENNIS A ARAKAKI Chair

State of Hawaii

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Health

HR 89	Date:	106/06		
Committee Referral:	☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.			
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended	☐ Pass, with amendments			
☐ Hold	☐ Recommit			
HLT Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. ARAKAKI, Dennis A. (C)				
2. GREEN, Josh, M.D. (VC)		apadasat kartoon ett turkopan 1994ana.		
3. CABANILLA, Rida T.R.				
4. HALE, Heléne H.				
5. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.6. SONSON, Alex M.				
7. HALFORD, Chris				
military, chris				
TOTAL	4	0	0	3
The recommendation is:				
☐ Not Adopted				
If joint referral, did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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