
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FINANCIAL AND MANAGEMENT
AUDIT OF THE MAYOR WRIGHT HOMES TENANTS' ASSOCIATION.

1 WHEREAS, Mayor Wright Homes (often referred to as "Mayor
2 Wright Housing") was the first post-World War II project by the
3 Hawaii Housing Authority, and was dedicated in 1953 and later
4 named after the late Mayor of Honolulu, George F. Wright, in
5 1958; and

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7 WHEREAS, facilities in Mayor Wright Homes have continuously
8 suffered from maintenance problems, property damage, broken
9 windows, sewage problems, trash problems, and other physical
10 upkeep problems; and

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12 WHEREAS, Mayor Wright Homes has also had a turbulent
13 history of hope and despair marked by social problems, crime,
14 outsider intervention, internal strength, shootings, and other
15 violence; and

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17 WHEREAS, the Mayor Wright Homes Tenants' Association was
18 formed to improve relations between residents and public housing
19 management; and

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21 WHEREAS, the members of Mayor Wright Homes Tenants'
22 Association are elected from and by the residents; and

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24 WHEREAS, the Mayor Wright Homes Tenants' Association has a
25 treasury of funds but no audit trail; and

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27 WHEREAS, the Mayor Wright Homes Tenants' Association
28 election for the 2006-2009 term generated significant protests
29 from residents due to alleged irregular procedures and improper
30 uses of election funds; and

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