
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO PLAN SUFFICIENT ON-CAMPUS
PARKING AT KAPIOLANI COMMUNITY COLLEGE.

1 WHEREAS, Kapiolani Community College (KCC), located on the
2 slopes of Diamond Head, presently has an enrollment of 7,300
3 students who commute daily to this campus; and
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5 WHEREAS, there are 225 parking spaces for 550 staff members
6 and 942 stalls for students on campus, a ratio of one stall per
7 six users which is the largest shortfall of parking in the UH
8 system; and
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10 WHEREAS, in 2005, Dr. John Morton, then KCC Chancellor,
11 estimated that there was a need for 400 additional parking
12 spaces during peak class periods; and
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14 WHEREAS, a 2005 student study found that many students
15 arrive on campus early in the morning, hours ahead of their
16 scheduled classes, in order to secure a parking space, then
17 study or sleep until class time; and
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19 WHEREAS, when all campus stalls are taken, students must
20 then park in the Kaimuki neighborhood, an old community with
21 narrow streets with little room for parking; and
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23 WHEREAS, many Kaimuki homes have garages for only one car,
24 so residents must also park on the streets; and
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26 WHEREAS, future growth of Kapiolani Community College will
27 entail growth in the size of the student body, a corresponding
28 increase in the number of instructors, administrative and
29 maintenance staff and the construction of additional offices and
30 classrooms; and
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