

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1339

Honolulu, Hawaii

MARCH 31, 2015

RE: H.C.R. No. 193
H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2015
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Transportation, to which was referred
H.C.R. No. 193 entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF
HONOLULU TO INCREASE PEDESTRIAN SAFETY IN THE AREA
SURROUNDING HONOWAI ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN WAIPAHAU, HAWAII,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to increase pedestrian safety
by urging the Department of Transportation Services to consider
the following recommendations for the area surrounding Honowai
Elementary School:

- (1) Raised crosswalks or the use of different materials for
crosswalks;
- (2) The use of pedestrian crossing signs;
- (3) Painting "School Xing" on the roadway before crosswalks;
and
- (4) Painting visual cues on the roadway leading to
sidewalks.

The Honolulu Police Department and several concerned
individuals testified in support of this measure.



Your Committee notes the concerns raised by the individuals from the Waipahu community and would like to amend the measure to include two other schools in addition to Honowai Elementary School, Mauka Lani Elementary School, and Kalei`opu`u Elementary School.

Accordingly, your Committee has amended this measure by:

(1) Adding the areas around Mauka Lani Elementary School and Kalei`opu`u Elementary School to the places where the City and County of Honolulu is being requested to increase pedestrian safety;

(2) Changing its title to read: "URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO INCREASE PEDESTRIAN SAFETY IN THE AREA SURROUNDING HONOWAI ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, MAUKA LANI ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, AND KALEI`OPU`U ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN DISTRICT 39"; and

(3) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Transportation that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.C.R. No. 193, as amended herein, and recommends that it be referred to the Committee on Finance in the form attached hereto as H.C.R. No. 193, H.D. 1.

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



for HENRY J.C. AQUINO, Chair



