
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE HAWAII EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY CONVENE A
RESILIENCY HEALTH DISASTER TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP A
COORDINATED STATEWIDE RESILIENCY HEALTH DISASTER PLAN.

1 WHEREAS, Hawaii is vulnerable to a wide range of economic,
2 social, and environmental hazards that threaten the health,
3 safety, and well-being of its people; and
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5 WHEREAS, many of these challenges disproportionately impact
6 low-income communities and small businesses, who are often not
7 prepared for such events; and
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9 WHEREAS, the development of a coordinated statewide
10 resiliency health disaster plan will help ensure that local
11 residents and businesses are prepared for the impact of future
12 health-related disasters; now, therefore,
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14 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the
15 Thirty-first Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session
16 of 2021, the Senate concurring, that the Hawaii Emergency
17 Management Agency is requested to convene a resiliency health
18 disaster task force to develop a coordinated statewide
19 resiliency health disaster plan; and
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21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the task force is requested to
22 consist of:
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- 24 (1) The Adjutant General, or the Adjutant General's
25 designee, who shall serve as the chairperson of the
26 task force;
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28 (2) The Superintendent of Education, or the
29 Superintendent's designee;



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- 1 (3) The Director of Health, or the Director's designee;
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- 3 (4) The Director of Human Services, or the Director's
- 4 designee;
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- 6 (5) The Director of Business, Economic Development, and
- 7 Tourism, or the Director's designee;
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- 9 (6) The President of the University of Hawaii, or the
- 10 President's designee;
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- 12 (7) The President of the Hawaii Tourism Authority, or the
- 13 President's designee;
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- 15 (8) The Director of the City and County of Honolulu's
- 16 Department of Emergency Management, or the Director's
- 17 designee;
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- 19 (9) The Administrator of the Maui Emergency Management
- 20 Agency, or the Administrator's designee;
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- 22 (10) The Civil Defense Administrator for the Hawaii County
- 23 Civil Defense Agency, or the Administrator's designee;
- 24 and
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- 26 (11) The Administrator for the Kauai Emergency Management
- 27 Agency, or a designee appointed by the Mayor of Kauai
- 28 County; and
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30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the task force is requested to
 31 invite:

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- 33 (1) A representative from an organization whose focus is
- 34 on supporting business opportunities, diversity, and
- 35 growth;
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- 37 (2) A representative from an organization whose focus is
- 38 on advocating for the State's hospitality industry;
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- 41 (3) Any other representative, agency, or designee deemed
- 42 appropriate by the chairperson of the task force; and

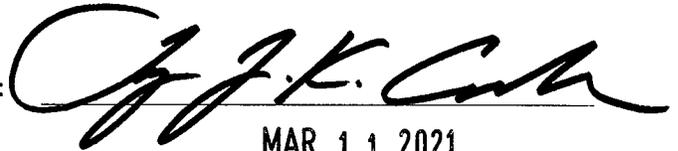


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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the task force shall submit the
2 coordinated statewide resiliency health disaster plan to the
3 Legislature no later than twenty days prior to the convening of
4 the Regular Session of 2022; and
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6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
7 Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Adjutant General;
8 Superintendent of Education; Director of Health; Director of
9 Human Services; Director of Business, Economic Development, and
10 Tourism; President of the University of Hawaii; President of the
11 Hawaii Tourism Authority; Director of the City and County of
12 Honolulu's Department of Emergency Management; Administrator of
13 the Maui Emergency Management Agency; Civil Defense
14 Administrator for the Hawaii County Civil Defense Agency; and
15 Administrator for the Kauai Emergency Management Agency.
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