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The Waikiki Neighborhood Board supports the concept of the following bill: HB296

At the February 9, 2021 Regular Meeting of the Waikiki Neighborhood Board the Board voted in favor of the concept of this bill.

During the first year of the Waikiki Neighborhood Board complaints about noise were raised. As our neighborhood becomes more and more concrete and more and more lifestyle changes involve muffler, siren and other sources of disturbing noise we ask the Legislature to carefully consider this bill.

Robert J. Finley Robert J. Finley Chair

<u>HB-296-HD-1</u>

Submitted on: 2/23/2021 10:41:46 PM Testimony for FIN on 2/26/2021 11:00:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Andrea Quinn	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

Dear Honorable Committee Members,

Please support HB296.

Thank you,

Andrea Quinn

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Submitted on: 2/25/2021 8:41:51 AM Testimony for FIN on 2/26/2021 11:00:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Doreen Yarson	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

I am submitting testimony in support of bill HB296. I am a resident of Foster Tower 2500 Kalakaua Ave, Apt 902. I have been working from home since March of 2020 and definitely find it disturbing to listen to the LOUD sound of the leaf blower on Kalakaua Ave.

In addition, i do not see a reason for the excessive use of the leaf blower on makai sidewalks on Kalakaua Ave. as they are regularly washed down with water.

I am hoping this bill will be passed to allow some "peaceful" quiet time in the AM and PM hours.

Perhaps someone will come up with a silencer on the leaf blower apparatus as this would be very useful.

Thank you for your time and yes vote on HB 296

Doreen Yarson