STAND. COM. REP. NO.

925

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 05 , 2021

RE: H.B. No. 331

H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki Speaker, House of Representatives Thirty-First State Legislature Regular Session of 2021 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 331, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE PLAN,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to improve the quality of life in the State by:

- (1) Establishing objectives, policies, and priority guidelines in the Hawaii State Planning Act to promote the use of green infrastructure, vegetation, and trees in state facility systems, infrastructure, and transit projects; and
- (2) Requiring the Office of Planning, in partnership with the Greenhouse Gas Sequestration Task Force, to report to the Legislature with recommendations for implementing the green infrastructure objectives, policies, and priority guidelines.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Health; Painting Industry of Hawaii Labor Management Cooperation Trust Fund; Hawaii Tapers Market Recovery Trust Fund; Hawaii Glaziers, Architectural Metal Glassworkers Local Union 1889, AFL-CIO Stabilization Trust Fund; Carpet,

Linoleum and Soft Tile Local Union 1926 Market Recovery Trust Fund; Energy and Climate Action Committee of the Environmental Caucus of The Democratic Party of Hawai'i; Climate Protectors Hawaii; Environmental Caucus of The Democratic Party of Hawai'i; 350Hawaii.org; and five individuals. Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, Office of Hawaiian Affairs, Office of Planning, and Trees for Honolulu's Future.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 331, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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

SYLVIA LURE, Chair

## State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Thirty-first Legislature

## **Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance**

Bill/Resolution No.: Committee	Bill/Resolution No.: Committee Referral: Date:				
#B 331, #DI GVR, EEP, FIN 3-2-2021					
☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.					
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD)  Hold					
Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)					
FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused	
1. LUKE, Sylvia (C)	1,				
2. CULLEN, Ty J.K. (VC)					
3. BRANCO, Patrick Pihana	1,				
4. ELI, Stacelynn K.M.					
5. HOLT, Daniel				X F F	
6. ILAGAN, Greggor					
7. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand			E. Table 18		
8. MARTEN, Lisa					
9. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.					
10. PERRUSO, Amy A.		=			
11. SAYAMA, Jackson D.					
12. TAM, Adrian K.					
13. WILDBERGER, Tina					
14. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.					
15. McDERMOTT, Bob					
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TOTAL (15)	14		Ø	Ø	
The recommendation is: Adopted  Not Adopted					
If joint referral, did not support recommendation.					
commune acronym(s)					
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:					
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