HCR-93 Submitted on: 4/18/2022 1:31:54 PM

Testimony for TRS on 4/22/2022 10:15:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
John Bickel	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I am writing to strongly support this concurrent resolution. The property in question is about a block from my home. It has been vacent with rebar protruding out of the ground for as long as I can rememberr-which is back to the late 1990s. It is an eyesore. It attracts dumping of trash. It attracts drug dealers on Tusitala by Liliuokalani St. There are so many needs for land in Waikiki. Affordable housing, green space, and especially affordable parking would be great additions to the neighborhood. This resolution nudges City Council to explore them.

You may ask why should the STATE legislature nudge a City Council. My answer is that Waikiki is the engine to our tourist economy. Having this unsightly lot near hotels diminishees our abiliity to sell Waikiki as a pleasant destination. Therefore it affects the state.

HCR-93 Submitted on: 4/18/2022 2:51:19 PM Testimony for TRS on 4/22/2022 10:15:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
B.A. McClintock	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Please support this important bill.

<u>HCR-93</u>

Submitted on: 4/18/2022 11:05:08 PM Testimony for TRS on 4/22/2022 10:15:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Louis Erteschik	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I am the Vice Chair of the Waikiki Neighborhood Board and our Board has voted to endorse this Concurrent Resolution and we very much appreciate the effort and advocacy on behalf of our community by Representative Tam.

HCR-93 Submitted on: 4/19/2022 8:41:29 AM Testimony for TRS on 4/22/2022 10:15:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Denise Boisvert	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I am submitting testimony in FULL SUPPORT of HCR93.

Central Waikiki has very few lovely green spaces. Too many buildings in a concentrated area prevent adequate absorbtion of rain water and they dramatically increase heat and sound.

The long-empty parcels should be turned into lovely parks for people and dogs.

Also adding several EV charging stations lined with trees along the sides of the parks would be a perfect way to plan for the future!! Many of the older condo and apartment buildings do not have the space or infrastructure to add them to their buildings. This would be a real benefit to hundreds or thousands of neighbors and others per week, and would be a GET generator.

Please pass this resolution; and thank you for your kind consideration.

HCR-93 Submitted on: 4/19/2022 8:51:12 AM Testimony for TRS on 4/22/2022 10:15:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Kim Jorgensen	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Please pass HCR93. The empty lots with partial foundations and rebar have been eyesores for years and make it look like an invitation to crime to the neighborhood.

There are not enough green spaces in central Waikiki and these lots could be put to great use for the surrounding community.

EV charging stations would greatly benefit the neighborhood; and they should be covered with solar 'carport roofs. Or if parking is also included next to a park, then it definitely needs to provide many EV charging stations and to have a green garden rooftop to make a pleasanter sight for people looking at it from above.