

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 17, 2023

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

Honorable Scott K. Saiki  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Thirty-Second State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2023  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Transportation, to which was referred  
S.C.R. No. 193, S.D. 1, entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CITY AND COUNTY  
OF HONOLULU TO RELOCATE THE BUS TURNAROUND OFF MAKAU STREET  
TO KEAAU BEACH PARK OR THE SURROUNDING AREA,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request the City and County  
of Honolulu to relocate the bus turnaround off Makau Street to  
Keaaau Beach Park or the surrounding area.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure  
from numerous individuals.

Your Committee finds that Makau Street is located in a  
residentially zoned neighborhood in Waianae, Oahu, situated  
between the world famous Makaha Beach Park to the south and Keaaau  
Beach Park to the north. Currently two public bus routes that  
service the area pass through Makau Street, a narrow, unmarked  
two-way street encompassed by curbside parking on both sides,  
which can require pedestrians to enter the street to bypass parked  
cars. Your Committee further finds that in addition to near  
accidents from speeding buses, Makau Street experienced  
approximately thirteen water main breaks. Your Committee  
therefore finds that this measure seeks to address safety and

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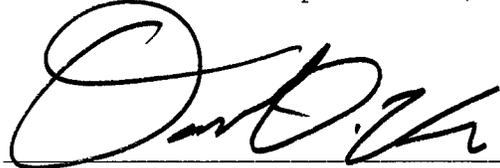


infrastructure concerns near Makau Street and alleviate ongoing issues in the area.

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 S.C.R. No. 193, S.D. 1, and recommends its adoption.

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

For



CHRIS TODD, Chair



