H.R. NO. 198

HOUSE RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT AN AUDIT ON THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION'S PALI HIGHWAY RESURFACING.

WHEREAS, the Pali Highway resurfacing project began in May 1 2017, and was anticipated to be completed in December 2020; and 2 3 WHEREAS, the project is only approximately seventy-five 4 5 percent completed; and 6 WHEREAS, commuters on Pali Highway are still experiencing 7 lane closures and uneven lanes; and 8 9 WHEREAS, Vineyard Boulevard, Wyllie Street, Waokanaka 10 Street, Funchal Street, and Pacific Heights Road still need to 11 be paved; and 12 13 14 WHEREAS, the Department of Transportation estimates the project will be completed in August 2023; and 15 16 WHEREAS, under section 23-5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, the 17 Auditor may examine and inspect all accounts, books, records, 18 files, papers, and documents, and all financial affairs of every 19 department, office, agency, and political subdivision; and 20 21 WHEREAS, authorizing the Auditor to examine the Pali 22 Highway resurfacing project may provide residents with timely 23 24 information on the status of the project; now, therefore, 25 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the 26 Thirty-second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular 27 Session of 2023, that the Auditor is requested to conduct an 28 audit of the Department of Transportation's Pali Highway 29 30 resurfacing; and 31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Office of the Auditor is 32 requested to submit its performance audit, including any 33 findings, recommendations, and proposed legislation, to the 34 Legislature no later than twenty days prior to the convening of 35 the Regular Session of 2024; and 36



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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
Resolution be transmitted to the Auditor, Director of
Transportation, and Deputy Director of the Highways Division.

OFFERED BY:

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