

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1442

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 30 2023

RE: S.R. No. 56  
S.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi  
President of the Senate  
Thirty-Second State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2023  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Transportation and Culture and the Arts, to which was referred S.R. No. 56 entitled:

"SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CREATE A SECOND ACCESS POINT FROM WHITMORE VILLAGE VIA SAIPAN ROAD TO KAMEHAMEHA HIGHWAY TO ALLEVIATE TRAFFIC ON WHITMORE AVENUE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to request the Department of Transportation to create a second access point from Whitmore Village via Saipan Road to Kamehameha Highway to alleviate traffic on Whitmore Avenue.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from one individual.

Your Committee finds that the population of Whitmore Village has increased by almost one thousand residents between 2000 and 2020. Further, Whitmore Village is also the site of the Naval Computer and Telecommunications Area Master Station Pacific and National Security Agency Hawaii, in addition to agricultural lands that are being developed for food production. Despite the increase of economic activity in the area, there is only one ingress and egress from Whitmore Village to Kamehameha Highway, creating traffic congestion within Whitmore Village. This measure



requests a multi-jurisdictional approach between state and federal agencies to alleviate traffic congestion in Whitmore Village.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Requesting the Naval Computer and Telecommunications Area Master Station Pacific to assist the Department of Transportation with the creation of an access road;
- (2) Adding the Commanding Officer of the Naval Computer and Telecommunications Area Master Station Pacific to the list of recipients of certified copies; and
- (3) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity and consistency.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Transportation and Culture and the Arts that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.R. No. 56, as amended herein, and recommends its adoption in the form attached hereto as S.R. No. 56, S.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Transportation and  
Culture and the Arts,



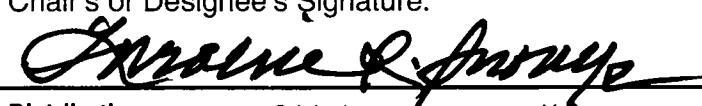
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CHRIS LEE, Chair



The Senate  
 Thirty-Second Legislature  
 State of Hawai'i

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Bill / Resolution No.:* <b>SR 56</b>	Committee Referral: <b>TCA</b>	Date: <b>3/23/23</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
LEE, Chris (C)	✓			
INOUYE, Lorraine R. (VC)	✓			
ELEFANTE, Brandon J.C.	✓			
KEOHOKALOOLE, Jarrett	✓			
AWA, Brenton	✓			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5</b>			
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
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