
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE FIRST RESPONDERS TECHNOLOGY CAMPUS AND
CYBERSECURITY DATA CENTER.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that critical
2 infrastructure for state and county first responders and data
3 systems needs to be relocated. Many existing facilities are
4 outdated and within the inundation zone, and agencies have
5 outgrown their current footprint. Some agencies lack permanent
6 headquarters, training facilities, and storage space and require
7 the use of leased facilities, which should be invested in
8 permanent assets that are owned and controlled by the State.

9 The legislature further finds that lands purchased by the
10 Hawaii technology development corporation are dedicated for the
11 first responders technology campus and cybersecurity data
12 center. The first responders technology campus is a major
13 project involving federal, state, and county first responders
14 and the office of enterprise technology services to co-locate
15 headquarters and training facilities in central Oahu. Being
16 outside of the inundation zone, this new facility would provide



1 critical partnerships for the State's first responders as they
2 coordinate joint trainings and responses. The site is also near
3 the only airfield outside of the inundation zone, as Hickam Air
4 Force Base, Daniel K. Inouye International Airport, and Kalaeloa
5 Airport are near the shorelines. Moving and co-locating
6 critical infrastructure outside of the inundation zone will
7 provide a strategy for shoreline retreat and accommodation.

8 The legislature further finds that the Hawaii emergency
9 management agency, Hawaii army national guard, department of
10 land and natural resources, department of public safety, and
11 department of law enforcement have committed to coordinate
12 access to the first responders technology campus and
13 cybersecurity data center with federal agencies also expressing
14 interest in the project.

15 The purpose of this Act is to appropriate funds for the
16 development of the first responders technology campus and
17 cybersecurity data center on tax map key 9-5-002-057.

18 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general
19 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$50,000,000 or so
20 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2023-2024 and
21 the same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal



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Report Title:

First Responders Technology Campus and Cybersecurity Data Center; Hawaii Technology Development Corporation; Appropriation

Description:

Appropriates funds for the development of the First Responders Technology Campus and Cybersecurity Data Center.

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