STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1476 -24

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 28 , 2024

H.R. No. 81 RE: H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki Speaker, House of Representatives Thirty-Second State Legislature Regular Session of 2024 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Water & Land, to which was referred H.R. No. 81 entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO PLAN AND CONSTRUCT A HAWAII FIRST RESPONDERS MEMORIAL,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request the Department of Accounting and General Services to establish a working group to plan and construct a Hawaii First Responders Memorial.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Hawai'i Fire Department; United Public Workers, AFSCME Local 646, AFL-CIO; and one individual.

Your Committee finds that the Hawaii Law Enforcement Memorial, which was completed in 2016, offers a place of honor for those law enforcement officers who made the ultimate sacrifice while serving the people of Hawaii. Your Committee further finds that this measure is an important first step toward erecting a proper memorial that honors the sacrifices of Hawaii's non-lawenforcement first responders--firefighters, paramedics/emergency medical technicians, lifequards, and medical flight nurses and pilots.

Your Committee has amended this measure by making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Water & Land that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 81, as amended herein, and recommends that it be referred to your Committee on Finance in the form attached hereto as H.R. No. 81, H.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Water & Land,

LINDX ICHIYAMA Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Thirty-second Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Water & Land

Bill/Resolution No.:	Committee Referral: WAL, FIN	Date	03/19	1124
☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD) Hold Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
WAL Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. ICHIYAMA, Linda (C)	✓			
2. POEPOE, Mahina (VC)				
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3. CHUN, Cory M.				
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7. MORIKAWA, Dee				2 (5 - 10) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1)
8. TAKAYAMA, Gregg	Section of the sectio			### 1004pg
9. SOUZA, Kanani				
TOTAL (9)	9			
The recommendation is: Adopted If joint referral, did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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