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# SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES,  
DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES, AND THE CITY AND  
COUNTY OF HONOLULU DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION TO  
PROVIDE UNIVERSAL CHANGING ACCOMMODATIONS IN ALL STATE  
FACILITIES, STATE PARKS, AND CITY AND COUNTY PARKS.

1           WHEREAS, all people in the State, including keiki, kupuna,  
2 and people with disabilities, deserve an equal opportunity to  
3 participate in basic civic activities and everyday events; and  
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5           WHEREAS, a person's inability to utilize conventional  
6 restroom facilities directly affects their ability to enjoy and  
7 fully participate in public activities or access public spaces;  
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10           WHEREAS, some people with disabilities require help with  
11 toileting and are unable to use standard handicap-accessible  
12 restrooms; and  
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14           WHEREAS, people with disabilities and their families,  
15 friends, and caretakers often face challenges participating in  
16 daily activities and outings due to a lack of accessible  
17 changing accommodations; and  
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19           WHEREAS, people with disabilities requiring toileting  
20 assistance often face the choice of staying home and out of  
21 public spaces, being laid down on a restroom floor to be changed  
22 by their caregiver, leaving public places or events to be  
23 changed inside a vehicle, or returning home; and  
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25           WHEREAS, universal changing accommodations include height-  
26 adjustable changing tables that may be used by everyone needing  
27 toileting assistance; and  
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1 WHEREAS, universal changing accommodations provide a safe,  
2 sanitary, private, and dignified space to be changed and cleaned  
3 by a caregiver when participating in public activities; now,  
4 therefore,  
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6 BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the Thirty-third  
7 Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2025, the  
8 House of Representatives concurring, that the Department of  
9 Accounting and General Services, Department of Land and Natural  
10 Resources, and the City and County of Honolulu Department of  
11 Parks and Recreation are requested to provide universal changing  
12 accommodations in all state facilities, state parks, and city  
13 and county parks; and  
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15 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Accounting  
16 and General Services, Department of Land and Natural Resources,  
17 and the City and County of Honolulu Department of Parks and  
18 Recreation are more specifically requested to provide universal  
19 changing accommodations in at least one restroom accessible to  
20 women and men, respectively, and in at least one family or  
21 gender-neutral restroom, if one exists, in each facility or  
22 park; and  
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24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this  
25 Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Governor,  
26 Comptroller, Chairperson of the Board of Land and Natural  
27 Resources, Administrator of the Division of State Parks of the  
28 Department of Land and Natural Resources, Mayor of the City and  
29 County of Honolulu, and Director of the Department of Parks and  
30 Recreation of the City and County of Honolulu.

