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# SENATE RESOLUTION

URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO COMPENSATE THE  
RESIDENTS OF ANY COUNCIL DISTRICT THAT IS CHOSEN TO HOST A  
NEW LANDFILL.

1 WHEREAS, the City and County of Honolulu has been in  
2 pursuit of a new landfill for municipal solid waste, which has  
3 angered communities across Oahu, could threaten the island's  
4 aquifers, and will cost taxpayers tens or hundreds of millions  
5 of dollars to move and construct; and

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7 WHEREAS, communities hosting a new landfill should be  
8 compensated for the impacts to those communities from landfill  
9 operations and related issues; now, therefore,

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11 BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the Thirty-third  
12 Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2025,  
13 that the City and County of Honolulu is urged to provide  
14 compensation to those communities hosting a new landfill on  
15 Oahu; and

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17 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this  
18 Resolution be transmitted to the Governor, Director of Health,  
19 Mayor of the City and County of Honolulu, and Director of the  
20 Department of Environmental Services of the City and County of  
21 Honolulu.

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