

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 3950

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 29 2026

RE: GOV. MSG. NO. 722

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Thirty-Third State Legislature
Regular Session of 2026
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Health and Human Services, to which was referred Governor's Message No. 722, submitting for study and consideration the nomination of:

STATEWIDE HEALTH COORDINATING COUNCIL

G.M. No. 722 ROBERT SHRODER
for a term to expire 06-30-2030,

begs leave to report as follows:

Your Committee reviewed the personal history, resume, and statement submitted by Robert Shroder for service on the Statewide Health Coordinating Council.

Your Committee received testimony in support of the nomination for the appointment of Robert Shroder from the State Health Planning and Development Agency.

Upon review of the testimony, your Committee finds that Mr. Shroder's background and dedication to serving the public qualify him to be appointed to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council as a member who represents the Tri-Isle Subarea Health Planning Council. Your Committee notes that Mr. Shroder has been a health care executive for over four decades and is currently retired. Mr. Shroder most recently served as the President and Chief Executive Officer of Mercy Health-Youngstown (MHY), one of nine regional health systems under Mercy Health located in Ohio. As President and CEO, Mr. Shroder was responsible for the operations of three acute care hospitals, ten ambulatory care sites, a home health care company, two long-term care facilities,

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and over one hundred thirty employed practitioners in the region. Previously at MHY, Mr. Shroder was the Executive Vice President of Operations and played a key role in the region earning awards and recognition for operational excellence, including a Best Practice Award from the American Society of Healthcare Human Resource Administration, as well as Top 100 Hospitals and Top 100 Invasive Cardiac Hospitals designations for its facilities. Your Committee further notes that Mr. Shroder has been serving on the Tri-Isle Subarea Health Planning Council and is currently its Chairperson. Your Committee finds that Mr. Shroder's experience and knowledge will enhance the effectiveness of the Statewide Health Coordinating Council. Your Committee therefore recommends that Robert Shroder be appointed to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council based on his experience, knowledge, and commitment to public service.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Health and Human Services that is attached to this report, your Committee, after full consideration of the background, experience, and qualifications of the nominee, has found the nominee to be qualified for the position to which nominated and recommends that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Health and Human
Services,

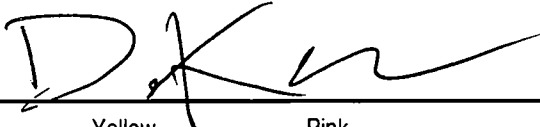


JOY A. SAN BUENAVENTURA, Chair



The Senate
 Thirty-Third Legislature
 State of Hawai'i

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Governor's Message No.:* 722	Committee Referral: HHS	Date: 4/8/26		
<input type="checkbox"/> The Committee is reconsidering its decision.				
The Recommendation is:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Advise and Consent 2340	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Advise and Consent 2345			
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
SAN BUENAVENTURA, Joy A. (C)	✓			
MCKELVEY, Angus L.K. (VC)				✓
KANUHA, Dru Mamo	✓			
KEOHOKALOPE, Jarrett	✓			
FEVELLA, Kurt	✓			
TOTAL	4			1
Recommendation:				
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Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
				
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