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Hawai'i County Building
25 Aupuni Street
Hilo, Hawai'i 96720*

37th Session

SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING

ORDER OF BUSINESS

Hawai'i County Council
Hilo, Hawai'i

Tuesday, May 28, 2002
9:00 a.m.

INVOCATION Reverend Toshio Murakami of the Honpa Hongwanji Hilo Betsuin

CALL TO ORDER 9:09 a.m.

ROLL CALL All present, except Councilmember Jacobson

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

(Note: Please turn cell phones, pagers, and other mobile communication devices on silent mode.)

STATEMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC ON ITEMS LISTED ON THE ORDER OF BUSINESS

BILLS FOR ORDINANCES (FIRST READING)

(NOTE: There are pending motions by Mr. Chung and duly seconded by Ms. Leithead-Todd to (1) approve Bill 181 and (2) to amend Bill 181 with proposed Bill 181, Draft 2.)

Bill 181: Establishes an Operating Budget for the County of Hawai'i for the fiscal year July 1, 2002 to June 30, 2003.
{Proposed \$202,785,172 Operating Budget for the County of Hawai'i.};

Re: Comm. 533
Intr. by: Mr. Chung
Approved: FC-223
Deferred: May 15, 2002

Comm. 533.18: From Finance Director William Takaba, dated April 18, 2002, transmitting an e-mail message (dated April 17, 2002) from Personnel Director Mike Ben, proposing additional reductions to his FY2002-03 budget;

Comm. 533.19: From Albert and Marilyn Idemoto, dated April 26, 2002;

Comm. 533.20: From Mayor Harry Kim, dated May 3, 2002, transmitting Bill 181, Draft 2;

Bill 181: Establishes an Operating Budget for the County of Hawai'i for the fiscal year July 1, 2002 to June 30, 2003.
(Draft 2)
{Proposed \$205,258,726 Operating Budget for the County of Hawai'i.};

AMENDED TO DRAFT 3 & PASSED 1ST READING

5 AYES: Councilmembers Chung, Elarionoff, Leithead-Todd, Pisicchio and Chairman Arakaki

3 NOES: Councilmembers Safarik, Tyler and Yagong

1 ABSENT & EXCUSED: Councilmember Jacobson

Comm. 533.21: From Mayor Harry Kim, dated May 3, 2002, transmitting the Administration's proposed new real property tax rates for FY2002-03;

Comm. 533.22: From Dr. Ted Leaf, dated April 19, 2002, transmitting two articles from the Hawai'i Island Journal;

Comm. 533.23: From Robert T. Shirai, dated March 7, 2002;

Comm. 533.24: From Michael E. Gleason, Chairman, Mayor's Committee on People with Disabilities, dated May 15, 2002;

Comm. 533.25: From A. Stephen Woo, Jr., dated May 15, 2002;

Comm. 533.26: From Don Jacobs, dated May 15, 2002;

Comm. 533.27: From Councilmember Dominic Yagong, dated May 15, 2002, transmitting his proposed budget cuts to Bill 181, Draft 2;

Comm. 533.28: From Bob and Pat Aeder, dated May 14, 2002;

Comm. 533.29: From Stan Boren, dated May 11, 2002;

- Comm. 533.30: From Larry Chang, dated May 13, 2002;
Comm. 533.31: From Winfield Chang, dated May 14, 2002;
Comm. 533.32: From Pradeepta Chowdhury, MD, dated March 2, 2002;
Comm. 533.33: From Robert Corsair, dated March 21, 2002;
Comm. 533.34: From David A. Eichner, dated May 2002;
Comm. 533.35: From Marjorie Erway, dated May 13, 2002;
Comm. 533.36: From John Fife, dated May 16, 2002;
Comm. 533.37: From Charles "Chuckee" Flaherty, dated May 16, 2002;
Comm. 533.38: From Brenda Ford, dated May 16, 2002;
Comm. 533.39: From Charles Hanson, dated May 9, 2002;
Comm. 533.40: From Jean Jewell, dated May 16, 2002;
Comm. 533.41: From Michael and Tammy Kelly, dated May 16, 2002;
Comm. 533.42: From Keith King, dated May 16, 2002;
Comm. 533.43: From MomandDadBerry@aol.com, dated May 11, 2002; from Mark Ericson, dated May 10, 2002; and from Ray Mears, dated May 11, 2002;
Comm. 533.44: From Thomas Langenstein, dated May 13, 2002;
Comm. 533.45: From Peter E. Martin, dated May 13, 2002;
Comm. 533.46: From Peggy McArdle, dated May 11, 2002;
Comm. 533.47: From Miles Mulcahy, dated May 13, 2002;
Comm. 533.48: From Miles H. Mulcahy, dated May 12, 2002;
Comm. 533.49: From Martin M. Ohan, dated May 16, 2002;
Comm. 533.50: From Phil Sansone, dated May 11, 2002;
Comm. 533.51: From Sandra Scarr, dated May 11, 2002;
Comm. 533.52: From Bonnie Shannon-Moore, dated March 1, 2002;
Comm. 533.53: From René Siracusa, President, Malama O Puna, dated May 3, 2002;
Comm. 533.54: From Susan Stadler, dated May 10, 2002;
Comm. 533.55: From Mark Staszkw, dated May 16, 2002;
Comm. 533.56: From John Totten, dated May 16, 2002;
Comm. 533.57: From Pamela Wang, dated May 13, 2002;
Comm. 533.58: From Luella Wiese, dated May 11, 2002;
Comm. 533.59: From Johanna Wiseman, dated May 17, 2002;
Comm. 533.60: From Sarah Yarberry, dated April 26, 2002;
Comm. 533.61: From Dan Sabo, dated May 16, 2002;
Comm. 533.62: From F. Wandell, dated May 20, 2002;
Comm. 533.63: From Linda Gross, dated May 16, 2002;
Comm. 533.64: From Midori Iwano, dated May 20, 2002;

and

HSEDC The Committee on Human Services and Economic Development is in accord with the
Rept. 11: intent and purpose of the funding recommendations to 46 nonprofit agencies, as set
(C-522.13) forth in Communication 522.13, for inclusion in the Mayor's FY2002-03 Operating
 Budget (Bill 181, Draft 2) and recommends its adoption by the Council.

APPROVED

Bill 182: Relates to Public Improvements and financing thereof for the fiscal year July 1, 2002 to
(Draft 2) June 30, 2003.
{Proposed \$62,464,000 Capital Improvements Project Budget for the County of
Hawai'i.};

Re: Comm. 534.1
Intr. by: Mr. Chung
Approved: FC-224
Deferred: May 15, 2002

and

AMENDED TO DRAFT 3 & PASSED 1ST READING

5 AYES: Councilmembers Elarionoff, Leithead-Todd, Pisicchio, Yagong and
Chairman Arakaki

1 NO: Councilmember Tyler

3 ABSENT & EXCUSED: Councilmembers Chung, Jacobson and Safarik

Comm. 534.2 From Mayor Harry Kim, dated May 16, 2002, requesting to amend Bill 182, Draft 2,
by \$20,587,000. States this proposed amendment is the result of re-evaluating the
construction costs for Kahului-Keauhou Parkway (formerly known as Ali'i Highway).
Submits the revised Project Data Sheet and revised Six-Year Capital Program for the
Department of Public Works.

STATEMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC

ADJOURNMENT 9:22 p.m.

(Note: B/R, as listed next to the name of an Introducer, signifies that the Councilmember has agreed to introduce legislation "By Request" and on behalf of the requesting party; however, it does not necessarily signify their support of or opposition to the proposal.)

The meeting place is accessible for persons with physical disabilities. Persons who need special accommodations to attend this meeting should call 961-8255. Persons using TDDs may call 961-8521. Those desiring to speak on matters listed on the Order of Business must register at the County Clerk's Office prior to the convening of the meeting. Copies may be viewed at the Hawai'i County Services Office at 75-5706 Kuakini Highway, Suite 103, Kailua-Kona, Hawai'i 96740; at the Office of the County Clerk at 25 Aupuni Street, Hilo, Hawai'i 96720; and the County Council's Kona Branch Office at 77-6399 Nalani Street, Suite 104, Kailua-Kona, Hawai'i 96740.

Government Access Television: Channel 52 (Hilo and Kona) Wednesday, June 5, 2002, at 6 p.m.; Sunday, June 9, 2002, at 10:30 a.m.; and Wednesday, June 12, 2002, at 6 p.m.