



**PETITIONS, MEMORIALS, COMMUNICATIONS, CERTIFICATES OF MERIT AND EXPRESSIONS OF CONDOLENCE**

**9:00 A.M.: STATEMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC ON ORDER OF RESOLUTIONS**

**ORDER OF RESOLUTIONS**

Res. 252-06: Transfers/Appropriates an Appropriation Out and From the Designated Fund Account(s) and Credits Same to a Designated Fund Account(s). {Transfers/appropriates \$5,000 out and from Clerk-Council Services – Contingency Relief account; credits same to Prosecuting Attorney – Weed and Seed Coordinator. Discretionary funds from District 5 would be used to purchase tools and equipment to train students for entry level positions in the field of auto mechanics at Pāhoā High and Intermediate School.}

Re: Comm. 661  
Intr. by: Mr. Safarik  
Approve: FC-229

**ADOPTED:**

**AYES:** Council Members Arakaki, Hoffmann, Holschuh, Ikeda, Isbell, Jacobson, Pilago, Safarik, and Chair Higa – 9.

**NOES:** None.

**ABSENT & EXCUSED:**None.

Res. 253-06: Authorizes the Office of the Mayor to Enter Into an Agreement with the State of Hawai'i Department of Transportation, Pursuant to HRS 46-7, for a Deputy Prosecutor Training Project. {Funds would be used to improve performance of the law enforcement system in its efforts to enforce traffic laws by training deputy prosecuting attorneys in the conceptual, technical, scientific, and trial aspects of these offenses and by having them participate in traffic commander meetings.}

Re: Comm. 664  
Intr. by: Ms. Isbell  
Approve: FC-230

**ADOPTED:**

**AYES:** Council Members Arakaki, Hoffmann, Holschuh, Ikeda, Isbell, Jacobson, Pilago, Safarik, and Chair Higa – 9.

**NOES:** None.

**ABSENT & EXCUSED:**None.

Res. 262-06: Transfers/Appropriates an Appropriation Out and From the Designated Fund Account(s) and Credits Same to a Designated Fund Account(s).  
 {Transfers/appropriates \$3,000 out and from Clerk-Council Services – Contingency Relief account; credits same to Department of Research and Development Tourism Promotion Miscellaneous Contract Services (Filipino Centennial Celebration in Hāmākua). Discretionary funds from District 1 would be used to assist with the funding requirements for the Filipino Centennial Celebration in Hāmākua. }

Re: Comm. 700  
 Intr. by: Mr. Holschuh  
 Waived: FC

**ADOPTED:**

**AYES:** Council Members Arakaki, Hoffmann, Holschuh, Ikeda, Isbell, Jacobson, Pilago, Safarik, and Chair Higa – 9.

**NOES:** None.

**ABSENT & EXCUSED:**None.

Res. 263-06: Transfers/Appropriates an Appropriation Out and From the Designated Fund Account(s) and Credits Same to a Designated Fund Account(s).  
 {Transfers/appropriates \$2,000 out and from Clerk-Council Services – Contingency Relief account; credits same to Department of Research and Development (Agriculture Research and Development, Miscellaneous Contract Services – Taste of Puna). Discretionary funds from District 3 would be used to co-sponsor the 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Taste of Puna scheduled for Saturday, March 18, 2006. }

Re: Comm. 706  
 Intr. by: Mr. Arakaki  
 Waived: FC

**ADOPTED:**

**AYES:** Council Members Arakaki, Hoffmann, Holschuh, Ikeda, Isbell, Jacobson, Pilago, Safarik, and Chair Higa – 9.

**NOES:** None.

**ABSENT & EXCUSED:**None.

Res. 264-06: Transfers/Appropriates an Appropriation Out and From the Designated Fund Account(s) and Credits Same to a Designated Fund Account(s).  
 {Transfers/appropriates \$15,550 out and from Clerk-Council Services – Contingency Relief account; credits same to Hawaii County Fire Department Fire Protection Other Current Expense Miscellaneous Charges (Project Lifesaver International, Equipment, and Training). Discretionary funds from District 1 would be used to purchase equipment and cover the cost of required training for Project Lifesaver, a search and rescue technology that would be utilized by the Hawai'i County Fire Department.}

Re: Comm. 707  
 Intr. by: Mr. Holschuh  
 Waived: FC

**ADOPTED:**

**AYES:** Council Members Arakaki, Hoffmann, Holschuh, Ikeda, Isbell, Jacobson, Pilago, Safarik, and Chair Higa – 9.

**NOES:** None.

**ABSENT & EXCUSED:**None.

Res. 265-06: Authorizes the Office of the Mayor to Enter Into an Agreement with the State of Hawai'i Department of Transportation, Pursuant to HRS 46-7, for a Waimea Transportation Circulation Plan Grant. {Funds would be used to develop a long-range regional transportation circulation plan for the Waimea region.}

Re: Comm. 708  
 Intr. by: Ms. Isbell  
 Waived: FC

**ADOPTED:**

**AYES:** Council Members Arakaki, Hoffmann, Holschuh, Isbell, Jacobson, Pilago, Safarik, and Chair Higa – 8.

**NOES:** None.

**ABSENT & EXCUSED:**Council Member Ikeda – 1.

Res. 266-06: Transfers/Appropriates an Appropriation Out and From the Designated Fund Account(s) and Credits Same to a Designated Fund Account(s).  
 {Transfers/appropriates \$7,000 out and from Clerk-Council Services – Contingency Relief account; credits same to Department of Parks and Recreation Friends of the Park (Pana'ewa Park Dugouts). Discretionary funds from District 4 would be used to construct two dugouts at Pana'ewa Park for youth sports.}

Re: Comm. 710  
 Intr. by: Mr. Higa  
 Waived: FC

**ADOPTED:**

**AYES:** Council Members Arakaki, Hoffmann, Holschuh, Ikeda, Isbell, Jacobson, Pilago, Safarik, and Chair Higa – 9.

**NOES:** None.

**ABSENT & EXCUSED:**None.

Res. 267-06: Regarding the Selection of a Member of the Hawai'i County Council to Serve as an Advisor to a Request for Proposals Evaluation Committee Selecting Private Vendors Proposing Solid Waste Solutions for the County of Hawai'i;

Re: Comm. 711  
 Intr. by: Mr. Safarik  
 Waived: EMC

**AMENDED TO DRAFT 3 & ADOPTED:**

**AYES:** Council Members Arakaki, Hoffmann, Holschuh, Ikeda, Isbell, Jacobson, Pilago, Safarik, and Chair Higa – 9.

**NOES:** None.

**ABSENT & EXCUSED:**None.

*and*

Comm. 582.9: From Finance Director William Takaba, dated February 10, 2006, transmitting an opinion from the Office of the Corporation Counsel regarding whether or not Resolution 238-02 applied to RFP No. 2210 as it relates to who is placed on the evaluation committee.

Res. 268-06: Transfers/Appropriates an Appropriation Out and From the Designated Fund Account(s) and Credits Same to a Designated Fund Account(s).  
 {Transfers/appropriates \$253,139 out and from Clerk-Council Services – Contingency Relief account; credits to the following: Police Administration Division – Other Current Expense, Equipment Repairs/Maintenance (\$22,900), South Hilo Police – Other Current Expense, Equipment Repairs/Maintenance (\$8,250), Kohala Police – Other Current Expense, Equipment Repairs/Maintenance (\$1,830), Kona Police – Other Current Expense, Equipment Repairs/Maintenance (\$49,309), Puna Police – Other Current Expense, Equipment Repairs/Maintenance (\$14,910), Investigative Cause of Death, Miscellaneous Contract (\$35,850), Police Sobriety Test, Miscellaneous Contract Services (\$14,250), Police Administration Division – Other Current Expense, Miscellaneous Contract Services (\$3,600), Police Administration Division – Other Current Expense, Miscellaneous Materials and Supplies (\$25,200), Waimea Police Division – Other Current Expense, Miscellaneous Contract Services (\$8,200), North Hilo – Other Current Expense, Miscellaneous Contract Services (\$2,200), Hāmākua – Other Current Expense, Miscellaneous Contract Services (\$2,200), Police Administration Division – Other Current Expense, Miscellaneous Contract Services (\$31,500), Kona Police – Other Current Expense, Miscellaneous Contract Services (\$29,000), and Police Administration Division – Equipment, Miscellaneous Equipment (\$3,940), for a total of \$253,139.}. Requests funding be transferred from the Contingency Relief account into the Police Department's budget to be used towards anticipated account shortages, unforeseen repairs, and district stations' improvements. }

Re: Comm. 712  
 Intr. by: Ms. Isbell  
 Waived: FC

**ADOPTED:**

**AYES:** Council Members Holschuh, Ikeda, Isbell, Jacobson, Pilago, Safarik, and Chair Higa – 7.

**NOES:** None.

**ABSENT & EXCUSED:**Council Members Arakaki and Hoffmann – 2.

Res. 269-06: Authorizes the Council Chair and the Mayor to Negotiate the Purchase (not to exceed \$5,000,000) of Approximately 17,000 Square Feet of Fee Simple Office Property Located at 333 Kīlauea Avenue, Hilo, Hawai'i from BF Hilo Partners to Domicile the Office of the County Council-Clerk.

Re: Comm. 713  
Intr. by: Mr. Higa  
Waived: FC

**POSTPONED INDEFINITELY**

**9:45 A.M.: STATEMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC ON BILLS FOR ORDINANCES (FIRST READING)**

**BILLS FOR ORDINANCES (FIRST READING)**

Bill 123: Amends Section 25-8-5 (Kailua Urban Zone Map), Article 8, Chapter 25 (Zoning Code) of the Hawai'i County Code, by Changing the District Classification from Multiple Family Residential (RM-1) to Resort-Hotel (V-.75) at Puaa 1<sup>st</sup>, North Kona, Hawai'i, Covered by Tax Map Key 7-5-9:23 (approx. 1.172 acres). {KPC Villages, LLC, Applicant.}

Re: Comm. 362  
Intr. by: Mr. Hoffmann and Mr. Pilago  
Negative Recommendation: PC-54

**PASSED 1<sup>ST</sup> READING:**

**AYES:** Council Members Arakaki, Holschuh, Ikeda, Isbell, and Chair Higa – 5.

**NOES:** Council Members Hoffmann, Jacobson, Pilago, and Safarik, – 4.

**ABSENT & EXCUSED:**None.

Bill 209: Amends Ordinance No. 05-86, as Amended, the Operating Budget for the County of Hawai'i for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2006. {Appropriates revenues in Federal Grants – Deputy Prosecutor Training (\$15,864); appropriates same to Deputy Prosecutor Training.}

Re: Comm. 664  
Intr. by: Ms. Isbell  
Approve: FC-231

**PASSED 1<sup>ST</sup> READING:**

**AYES:** Council Members Arakaki, Hoffmann, Holschuh, Ikeda, Isbell, Jacobson, Pilago, Safarik, and Chair Higa – 9.

**NOES:** None.

**ABSENT & EXCUSED:**None.

Bill 210: Amends Ordinance No. 05-86, as Amended, the Operating Budget for the County of Hawai'i for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2006. {Increases revenues in Fund Balance from Previous Year (\$3,475,662); appropriates to the following: Traffic Division – Other Current Expense (\$125,000), Streetlights (\$343,602), Traffic Signs and Markings – Other Current Expense (\$240,060), Highway Maintenance Administration – Other Current Expense (\$42,000), Highway Maintenance Administration – Equipment (\$1,048,000), Puna Road – Other Current Expense (\$37,000), and Transfer to Capital Project Fund (\$1,640,000), for a total of \$3,475,662. Re-appropriates funds which had lapsed (Kailua Village Streetlights, Puna Makai Subdivision Streetlights, Ainaola Subdivision Streetlights, and the Volcano Charter School Shoulder Paving) to the aforementioned accounts. }

Re: Comm. 670  
 Intr. by: Ms. Isbell (B/R)  
 Approve: FC-232

**PASSED 1<sup>ST</sup> READING:**

**AYES:** Council Members Arakaki, Hoffmann, Holschuh, Ikeda, Isbell, Jacobson, Pilago, Safarik, and Chair Higa – 9.

**NOES:** None.

**ABSENT & EXCUSED:**None.

Bill 211: Amends Ordinance No. 05-87, as Amended, Relating to Public Improvements and Financing Thereof for the Fiscal Year July 1, 2005 to June 30, 2006. {Adds PUBLIC WORKS: Māmalahoa Highway Improvements (Mud Lane to Waimea Town) (\$640,000); funds shall be provided from General Obligation Bonds, Capital Projects Fund – Fund Balance and/or Other Sources (\$640,000). Current cost for materials and striping is estimated to be \$1,140,000 and not \$500,000 as previously budgeted. }

Re: Comm. 670  
 Intr. by: Ms. Isbell (B/R)  
 Approve: FC-233  
 2/3 Vote: Section 10-6(d), Hawai'i County Charter

**PASSED 1<sup>ST</sup> READING:**

**AYES:** Council Members Arakaki, Hoffmann, Holschuh, Ikeda, Isbell, Jacobson, Pilago, Safarik, and Chair Higa – 9.

**NOES:** None.

**ABSENT & EXCUSED:**None.

Bill 212: Amends Ordinance No. 05-87, as Amended, Relating to Public Improvements and Financing Thereof for the Fiscal Year July 1, 2005 to June 30, 2006. {Adds PUBLIC WORKS: Coastview-Wonderview Road Resurfacing (\$858,000); funds shall be provided from General Obligation Bonds, Capital Projects Fund – Fund Balance and/or Other Sources (\$858,000). Resurfaces failing asphaltic concrete pavement, which has deteriorated to an extent that causes a safety hazard for motorists. }

Re: Comm. 670  
 Intr. by: Ms. Isbell  
 Approve: FC-234  
 2/3 Vote: Section 10-6(d), Hawai'i County Charter

**PASSED 1<sup>ST</sup> READING:**

**AYES:** Council Members Arakaki, Hoffmann, Holschuh, Ikeda, Isbell, Jacobson, Pilago, Safarik, and Chair Higa – 9.

**NOES:** None.

**ABSENT & EXCUSED:**None.

Bill 213: Amends Ordinance No. 05-87, as Amended, Relating to Public Improvements and Financing Thereof for the Fiscal Year July 1, 2005 to June 30, 2006. {Adds PUBLIC WORKS: Painted Church Road Safety Improvements (\$142,000); funds shall be provided from General Obligation Bonds, Capital Projects Fund – Fund Balance and/or Other Sources (\$142,000). Project would improve intersection sight distance and necessary road realignment, as well as associated road and drainage improvements. }

Re: Comm. 670  
 Intr. by: Ms. Isbell  
 Approve: FC-235  
 2/3 Vote: Section 10-6(d), Hawai'i County Charter

**PASSED 1<sup>ST</sup> READING:**

**AYES:** Council Members Arakaki, Hoffmann, Holschuh, Ikeda, Isbell, Jacobson, Pilago, Safarik, and Chair Higa – 9.

**NOES:** None.

**ABSENT & EXCUSED:**None.

Bill 214: Amends Ordinance No. 05-86, as Amended, the Operating Budget for the County of Hawai'i for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2006. {Decreases revenue in Bus Revenues <\$232,000> and increases revenue in Fund Balance from Previous Year (\$2,758,465), for a total of \$2,526,465; and appropriates to the following: Data Systems – Equipment (\$63,000), Finance Administration and Budget – Other Current Expense (\$102,025), Advertising (\$58,700), Treasury – Other Current Expense (\$20,000), Property Management – Salary and Wages (\$20,618), Property Management – Other Current Expense (\$3,132), Property Management – Equipment (\$7,250), Civil Service – Salary and Wages (\$26,500), Civil Service – Other Current Expense (\$750), Research and Development – Other Current Expense (\$9,000), Research and Development – Equipment (\$20,000), Public Works Administration – Other Current Expense (\$75,910), Automotive Division – Equipment (\$56,000), Police Commission – Other Current Expense (\$4,000), Police Administration Division – Other Current Expense (\$660,400), North Hilo – Other Current Expense (\$3,000), Hāmākua – Other Current Expense (\$10,000), Waimea – Other Current Expense (\$9,000), Kohala Police – Other Current Expense (\$11,000), Kona Police – Other Current Expense (\$89,000), Ka'u Police – Other Current Expense (\$14,000), Puna Police – Other Current Expense (\$7,000), Fire Protection – Other Current Expense (\$150,000), Fire Protection Equipment (\$264,070), Construction Inspection – Salary and Wages (\$21,000), Building Inspection – Salary and Wages (\$120,000), Building Inspection – Other Current Expense (\$35,000), Flood Control – Other Current Expense (\$150,000), Civil Defense Agency – Other Current Expense (\$31,500), RSVP – Other Current Expense (\$7,000), Parks and Recreation Administration – Other Current Expense (\$11,250), Parks Maintenance – Salary and Wages (\$24,460), Parks Maintenance – Equipment (\$26,900), Recreation Division – Other Current Expense (\$45,000), Aquatics Pools – Other Current Expense (\$100,000), Pana'ewa Zoo – Other Current Expense (\$25,000), Transfer to Housing Fund (\$170,000), Public Safety Disaster/Emergency-G (\$75,000), for a total of \$2,526,465. Due to the implementation of the Kokua Bus System, \$232,000 reflects the loss in bus revenues and attaches a list of fund balance proposals showing the breakdown of the appropriations and a brief explanation on how the funds would be used. }

Re: Comm. 671  
 Intr. by: Ms. Isbell (B/R)  
 Approve: FC-236

**PASSED 1<sup>ST</sup> READING:**

**AYES:** Council Members Arakaki, Hoffmann, Holschuh, Ikeda, Isbell, Jacobson, Pilago, Safarik, and Chair Higa – 9.

**NOES:** None.

**ABSENT & EXCUSED:** None.

Bill 215: Amends Ordinance No. 05-86, as Amended, the Operating Budget for the County of Hawai'i for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2006. {Increases revenues in Transfer from General Fund (\$170,000); appropriates to the following: Kawaihae Transitional Shelter (\$136,000) and Hawai'i Island Workforce Economic Development Ohana (HIWEDO) (\$34,000), for a total of \$170,000. Funds would be used at the Kawaihae Transitional Housing Shelter to maintain its services for this fiscal year and for repairs to its shelter; and by HIWEDO for its workforce development programs. }

Re: Comm. 671  
 Intr. by: Ms. Isbell (B/R)  
 Approve: FC-237

**PASSED 1<sup>ST</sup> READING:**

**AYES:** Council Members Arakaki, Hoffmann, Holschuh, Ikeda, Isbell, Jacobson, Pilago, Safarik, and Chair Higa – 9.

**NOES:** None.

**ABSENT & EXCUSED:**None.

Bill 234: Amends Ordinance No. 05-86, as Amended, the Operating Budget for the County of Hawai'i for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2006. {Appropriates revenues in Federal Grants – Waimea Transportation Circulation Plan (\$120,000); appropriates same to Waimea Transportation Circulation Plan. }

Re: Comm. 708  
 Intr. by: Ms. Isbell  
 Waived: FC

**PASSED 1<sup>ST</sup> READING:**

**AYES:** Council Members Arakaki, Hoffmann, Holschuh, Ikeda, Isbell, Jacobson, Pilago, Safarik, and Chair Higa – 9.

**NOES:** None.

**ABSENT & EXCUSED:**None.

**10:30 A.M.: STATEMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC ON ORDER OF THE DAY (SECOND OR FINAL READING)**

**ORDER OF THE DAY (SECOND OR FINAL READING)**

Bill 208: Amends Ordinance No. 05-86, as Amended, the Operating Budget for the County of Hawai'i for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2006. {Appropriates revenues in Federal Grants – Non-Support Prosecution (\$82,600); appropriates same to Non-Support Prosecution. }

Re: Comm. 646  
 Intr. by: Ms. Isbell  
 1<sup>st</sup> Reading: February 15, 2006

**PASSED 2<sup>ND</sup> & FINAL READING:**

**AYES:** Council Members Arakaki, Hoffmann, Holschuh, Ikeda, Isbell, Jacobson, Pilago, Safarik, and Chair Higa – 9.

**NOES:** None.

**ABSENT & EXCUSED:**None.

Bill 216: Amends Ordinance No. 05-87, as Amended, Relating to Public Improvements and Financing Thereof for the Fiscal Year July 1, 2005 to June 30, 2006. {Adds PUBLIC WORKS: Hokupa'a Street Drainage Project (\$20,000); funds shall be provided from General Obligation Bonds, Capital Projects Fund – Fund Balance and/or Other Sources (Contingency Relief) (\$20,000).}

Re: Comm. 673  
 Intr. by: Mr. Arakaki  
 1<sup>st</sup> Reading: February 15, 2006  
 2/3 Vote: Section 10-6(d), Hawai'i County Charter

**PASSED 2<sup>ND</sup> & FINAL READING:**

**AYES:** Council Members Arakaki, Hoffmann, Holschuh, Ikeda, Isbell, Jacobson, Pilago, Safarik, and Chair Higa – 9.

**NOES:** None.

**ABSENT & EXCUSED:**None.

Bill 218: Amends Ordinance No. 05-87, as Amended, Relating to Public Improvements and Financing Thereof for the Fiscal Year July 1, 2005 to June 30, 2006. {Adds PARKS AND RECREATION: Honoka'a Arena Improvements (\$30,000); funds shall be provided from General Obligation Bonds, Capital Projects Fund – Fund Balance and/or Other Sources (Contingency Relief) (\$30,000).}

Re: Comm. 678.1  
 Intr. by: Mr. Holschuh  
 1<sup>st</sup> Reading: February 15, 2006  
 2/3 Vote: Section 10-6(d), Hawai'i County Charter

**PASSED 2<sup>ND</sup> & FINAL READING:**

**AYES:** Council Members Arakaki, Hoffmann, Holschuh, Ikeda, Isbell, Jacobson, Pilago, Safarik, and Chair Higa – 9.

**NOES:** None.

**ABSENT & EXCUSED:**None.

## REPORTS

FINANCIAL REPORT: Monthly Financial Status Report from the Finance Department for the Month Ended September 30, 2005.

**ACCEPTED**

EMC-9 (Comm. 658): Recommends approval of the nomination of Mr. Newton Inouye (Council District 2) to the Environmental Management Commission.

**CLOSED FILE AND ACCEPTED THE WITHDRAWAL OF THE NOMINATION**

FC-228 (Comm. 659): Recommends approval of the nomination of Mr. David Y. Omura (Council District 2) and Mr. John H. Sucke (Council District 9) to the Pension Board.

**APPROVED**

**REFERRALS FOR EXECUTIVE SESSION**

The Council anticipates convening an executive meeting regarding the following cases, pursuant to Section 92-5(a)(4), Hawai'i Revised Statutes, as amended, for the purpose of consulting with the Corporation Counsel and/or its attorney on questions and issues pertaining to the Council's powers, duties, privileges, immunities and liabilities, including the current status of the litigation. A 2/3 vote, pursuant to HRS Section 92-4 and Rule 12 of the Rules of Procedure of the County Council is necessary to hold an executive meeting.

Comm. 694: JOCELYN P. BINNEY, ET AL. VS. HAWAI'I COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT, ET AL. CIVIL NO. 00-1-0088K AND TAMMY R. GOUVEIA, ET AL. VS. CAPTAIN COOK STOP 'N SHOP, ET AL. CIVIL NO. 00-1-0090K  
 From Deputy Corporation Counsel Brandon A. K. Gonzalez, dated February 10, 2006.

**CONCURRED WITH THE RECOMMENDATION OF CORP. COUNSEL**

Comm. 709: THERESA C. McKINNEY VS. COUNTY OF HAWAI'I, ET AL. CIVIL NO. 05-1-0125  
 From Deputy Corporation Counsel Katherine A. Garson, dated February 15, 2006.

**CONCURRED WITH THE RECOMMENDATION OF CORP. COUNSEL**

**AMENDED AGENDA TO ADD THE FOLLOWING:**

Comm. 724: KELLY, ET. AL. V. 1250 OCEANSIDE PARTNERS, ET. AL. CIV. NO. 00-01-0192K  
 From Corporation Counsel Lincoln S. T. Ashida, dated February 23, 2006.

**CONCURRED WITH THE RECOMMENDATION OF CORP. COUNSEL**

**OTHER BUSINESS**

(Including but not limited to consideration of vetoed items, if any, or reconsideration of actions on agenda items.)

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

COUNCIL PUBLIC HEARING RE OPERATING AND CAPITAL BUDGETS (E. HAWAI'I)	<u>THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 2006</u> 5:00 p.m.	COUNCIL ROOM
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COMMITTEES	<u>TUESDAY, MARCH 21, 2006</u> TBA	SHERATON KEAUHOU BAY RESORT & SPA
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	<u>WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22, 2006</u>	
COUNCIL	9:00 a.m.	SHERATON KEAUHOU BAY RESORT & SPA
COUNCIL PUBLIC HEARING RE OPERATING AND CAPITAL BUDGETS (W. HAWAI'I)	6:00 p.m.	SHERATON KEAUHOU BAY RESORT AND SPA
	<u>WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29, 2006</u>	
FINANCE COMMITTEE SPECIAL MEETING (DEPARTMENTAL AND PROGRAM REVIEWS OF BUDGETS)	9:00 a.m.	COUNCIL ROOM
	<u>THURSDAY, MARCH 30, 2006</u>	
FINANCE COMMITTEE SPECIAL MEETING (DEPARTMENTAL AND PROGRAM REVIEWS OF BUDGETS)	9:00 a.m.	COUNCIL ROOM
	<u>FRIDAY, MARCH 31, 2006</u>	
FINANCE COMMITTEE SPECIAL MEETING (DEPARTMENTAL AND PROGRAM REVIEWS OF BUDGETS)	9:00 a.m.	COUNCIL ROOM

**ADJOURNMENT 4:05 p.m.**

Note: B/R, when listed next to the name of an Introducer, signifies that the Council Member has agreed to introduce legislation "By Request" on behalf of the requesting party. It does not necessarily signify support of or opposition to the proposal.

The meeting place is accessible for persons with disabilities. Persons who need special accommodations to attend this meeting should call 961-8255 by February 27, 2006. Persons using TDDs may call 961-8521.

Copies of an item listed on the agenda 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; at the Kona Council Members' Office at the Kailua Trade Center, 75-5706 Hanama Place, Suite 109, Kailua-Kona, Hawai'i 96740; and at the Waimea Council Members' Office at the Holomua Center, 64-1067 Māmalahoa Highway, Suite 5, Waimea, Hawai'i 96743.

Videoconferencing is available at the following locations:

- Kona Council Office at the Kailua Trade Center; and
- Waimea Council Office at the Holomua Center.

If, for technical reasons the video connection cannot be made and/or is disrupted, the scheduled meeting will continue.

- Videoconferencing from the Pāhoa Neighborhood Facility will not be available.

Submitting Testimony: Those persons wishing to testify in person or by videoconference must register with the Council/Clerk's staff. Those testifying in person and submitting written testimony at the meeting in Hilo should bring **sixteen (16)** copies of the testimony for distribution at the meeting. Those testifying by videoconference from the Kona Council Office and the Waimea Council Office should bring one copy of the testimony. Those persons unable to testify in person or by videoconference may submit testimony (1) by mail to the County Clerk's Office in Hilo at the above address, (2) by facsimile to (808) 961-8912, or (3) by e-mail to *counciltestimony@co.hawaii.hi.us*. Copies will be made and distributed at the meeting when transmitted in a timely manner. In any case, both oral and written testimony will be considered public record.

Notice to Lobbyists: If you are a lobbyist, you must register with the Hawai'i County Clerk within five days of becoming a lobbyist. {Article 15, Section 2-91.3(b), Hawai'i County Code} A lobbyist means "any individual engaged for pay or other consideration who spends more than five hours in any month or \$275 in any six-month period for the purpose of attempting to influence legislative or administrative action by communicating or urging others to communicate with public officials." {Article 15, Section 2-91.3(a)(6), Hawai'i County Code} Registration forms and expenditure report documents are available at the Office of the County Clerk-Council, 25 Aupuni Street, Hilo, Hawai'i 96720.

Government Access Television: Channel 52 (Hilo and Kona) Wednesday, March 8, 2006, at 6 p.m.; Sunday, March 12, 2006, at 10:30 a.m.; and Wednesday, March 15, 2006, at 6 p.m.

(Hawai'i Tribune Herald – February 26, 2006)  
(West Hawai'i Today – February 26, 2006)