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## HOUSE RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION SERVICES AND THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO CONSIDER BUILDING A BIKEWAY CORRIDOR ALONGSIDE THE FIXED GUIDEWAY SYSTEM AND UNDERNEATH THE ELEVATED SECTIONS.

1 2	WHEREAS, the City and County of Honolulu has recently determined a route for the planned fixed guideway mass
3	transportation system; and
4 5	WHEREAS, the whole or parts of the system will be elevated
6	and consequently there will be space available underneath the
7 8	system for additional projects; and
9	WHEREAS, at the recent general election, the people of
10	Hawaii overwhelmingly voted in favor of "Charter Question 8",
11	requesting that one of the priorities of the Department of
12 13	Transportation Services be to make Honolulu a bicycle-friendly city; and
15 14	city, and
15	WHEREAS, most areas of Oahu are not bicycle-friendly and
16	using a bicycle is not a supported means of transportation; and
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18 19	WHEREAS, it would be ideal to use the elevated sections underneath the fixed guideway mass transportation system to
<b>2</b> 0	build additional bikeways and to use non-elevated sections to
21	build additional bikeways running alongside the fixed guideway
22	system; now, therefore,
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24 25	BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the Twenty-fourth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular
25 26	Session of 2007, that the Department of Transportation Services
27	and the City and County of Honolulu are requested to consider
28	planning the construction of bikeways underneath and alongside
29	the route of the fixed guideway transportation system, and, as
30	soon as feasible, to consider constructing the bikeways; and
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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this Resolution be transmitted to the Mayor, the Chairperson of the Council, the Director of the Department of Transportation Services of the City and County of Honolulu, and the Governor.

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