
HOUSE RESOLUTION

STRONGLY URGING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AND LEAHI HOSPITAL TO
REACH A JOINT AGREEMENT ON A COORDINATED MASTER PLAN TO
PROVIDE INNOVATIVE LONG-TERM CARE SERVICES.

1 WHEREAS, Leahi Hospital is a state-subsidized hospital
2 established in 1901 and has a history of responding to Hawaii's
3 elderly and chronically ill populations by providing long-term
4 care inpatient services; and
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6 WHEREAS, the State continues to suffer from a lack of long-
7 term care alternatives that are accessible, affordable, and
8 comprehensive; and
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10 WHEREAS, at the same time, the State's aging population
11 will have a greater need for affordable long-term care services;
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14 WHEREAS, Leahi Hospital continues to deal with and prepare
15 for the challenges of existing fiscal constraints and emerging
16 new payment systems for long-term care institutions and
17 services; now, therefore,
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19 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the
20 Twenty-fifth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session
21 of 2010, that Leahi Hospital and the University of Hawaii are
22 strongly urged to reach a joint agreement on a coordinated
23 master planning effort to provide innovative long-term care
24 services; and
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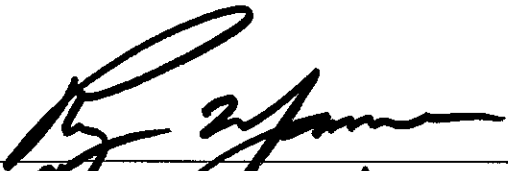

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Leahi Hospital and the
27 University of Hawaii are requested to seek input from other
28 participants and stakeholders with respect to long-term care
29 services who may contribute to or benefit from the future
30 development of the Leahi Hospital site, including neighboring
31 organizations, community-based programs, and other long-term
32 care providers; and
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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Hawaii Health Systems
2 Corporation is requested to pursue any needed resources during
3 the Regular Session of 2011 for the development of a master plan
4 for the Leahi Hospital site; and
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6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
7 Resolution be transmitted to the Director of Health, the
8 President of the University of Hawaii, the President of the
9 Hawaii Health Systems Corporation, the Chief Executive Officer
10 of the Oahu Region of the Hawaii Health Systems Corporation, and
11 the Administrator of Leahi Hospital.
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