
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO ASSESS THE ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS OF
NON-PROFIT AGENCIES THAT ARE CONTRACTED WITH THE DEPARTMENT
OF HUMAN SERVICES TO PROVIDE HOMELESS SERVICES.

1 WHEREAS, economic growth in Hawai'i, as well as the rest of
2 the country over the past several years can be described as
3 slow, at best, and data suggest that many of Hawai'i's
4 individuals and families were pushed to their financial edge
5 during the recent recession with families continuing to struggle
6 to meet their most basic needs; and
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8 WHEREAS, low-income and poor individuals and families are
9 particularly vulnerable to homelessness when affordable housing
10 is scarce and the economy is weak; and
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12 WHEREAS, homeless service programs aim to stabilize
13 homeless individuals over the short term through emergency and
14 transitional housing; and
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16 WHEREAS, the Department of Human Services contracts with a
17 number of non-profit agencies to provide these homeless service
18 programs and questions have been raised regarding the
19 administrative costs associated with providing these services;
20 now, therefore,
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22 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the
23 Twenty-seventh Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular
24 Session of 2013, the Senate concurring, that the Auditor is
25 requested to assess the administrative costs of non-profit
26 agencies that contract with the Department of Human Services to
27 provide homeless services; and



1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Auditor submit a report of
2 findings and recommendations to the Legislature no later than 20
3 days prior to the convening of the Regular Session of 2014; and

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5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
6 Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Acting Auditor and
7 Director of Human Services.

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