

SCR102/SR68

Measure Title: REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT AN AUDIT OF THE KAPIOLANI PARK TRUST TO EVALUATE ITS GOVERNANCE STRUCTURE AND IDENTIFY THE PERMISSIBLE USES OF THE PARK LANDS, INCLUDING DELINEATING ANY LIMITATIONS ON COMMERCIAL OR OTHER INCONSISTENT USES THAT MAY FALL OUTSIDE THE SCOPE OF THE TRUST'S PURPOSE OR MAY CONSTITUTE WASTE OF THE TRUST PROPERTY.

Report Title: Kapiolani Park Trust; Auditor; Report

Description:

Companion:

Package: None

Current Referral: WTL/JDL, WAM

Introducer(s): HEE

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| 3/12/2013 | S | Offered. |
| 3/19/2013 | S | Referred to WTL/JDL, WAM. |
| 3/25/2013 | S | The committee(s) on WTL/JDL has scheduled a public hearing on 03-28-13 11:00AM in conference room 016. |

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Submitted on: 3/27/2013

Testimony for WTL/JDL on Mar 28, 2013 11:00AM in Conference Room 016

| Submitted By | Organization | Testifier Position | Present at Hearing |
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| Alethea K. Rebman | Kapiolani Park Preservation Society | Support | No |

Comments: Kapiolani Park Preservation Society is pleased to submit testimony in support of this bill. We are the original preservation society in the cases cited within the bill. The factual statements and statements of law in the bill are correct. State oversight of this most valuable publicly-owned resource is sorely needed, and will benefit both the state in filling its duties, the City in giving much-needed guidance, and the public as a whole . The bill cites the nursery, which has been in violation of a court order for several decades and threatens to go deeper into violations, and the proposed oceanfront building on some of the last open public land in urban Honolulu. Attention to those matters in particular will save much time and money in lawsuits and gain much for the public. Thank you.

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