

Honolulu, Hawaii

**February 21**, 2018

RE: H.B. No. 2177  
H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2018  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 2177, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY BEAUTIFICATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to assist the State Department of Transportation and the counties in paying for the upkeep of highways under their jurisdiction, including the removal of abandoned or derelict vehicles, by making highway beautification fees consistent for all motor vehicles. Specifically, this measure applies the same fee and any county fee increases to U-drive vehicles as to all other motor vehicles.

The Department of Transportation, Mayor of the County of Maui, Maui County Council Chair, and two Councilmembers for the County of Maui supported this measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2177, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.



Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Finance,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Sylvia Luke', written over a horizontal line.

SYLVIA LUKE, Chair



