

Honolulu, Hawaii

February 14, 2018

RE: H.B. No. 2270
H.D. 1

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

Sir:

Your Committees on Health & Human Services and Housing, to which was referred H.B. No. 2270 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to address Hawaii's homeless crisis by requiring the Department of Human Services to establish safe zones where homeless individuals may reside and appropriate funds for the establishment of these safe zones.

The Oahu County Committee on Legislative Priorities of the Democratic Party of Hawaii testified in support of this measure. The Hawaii Association for Justice testified in support of the intent of this measure. The Department of Human Services, Governor's Coordinator on Homelessness, and Department of Land and Natural Resources testified in opposition to this measure.

Your Committees have amended this measure by:


- (1) Changing the name of the zones established from "safe zones" to "ohana zones" and defining an ohana zone;
- (2) Changing its effective date to July 1, 3000, to facilitate further discussion; and



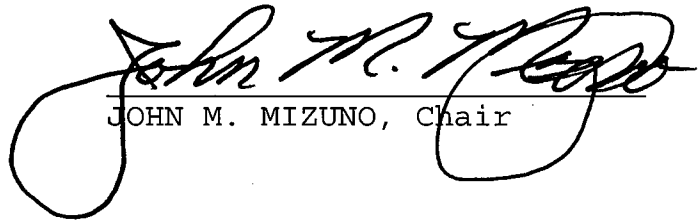
- (3) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Health & Human Services and Housing that are attached to this report, your Committees are in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2270, as amended herein, and recommend that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2270, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committees on Health & Human
Services and Housing,



TOM BROWER, Chair



JOHN M. MIZUNO, Chair



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Record of Votes of the Committee on Health & Human Services

Bill/Resolution No.: <i>HB 2270</i>	Committee Referral: <i>HHS/HSG, FIN</i>	Date: <i>2-7-18</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
HHS Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. MIZUNO, John M. (C)	✓			
2. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand (VC)	✓			
3. BELATTI, Della Au	✓			
4. LEARMONT, Lei R.	✓			
5. TUPOLA, Andria P.L.	✓			
TOTAL (5)	<i>5</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>—</i>
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ committee acronym(s) did not support recommendation.				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: _____ 				
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Record of Votes of the Committee on Housing

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 2270	Committee Referral: HHS/HSG, FIN	Date: 2/7/18		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
HSG Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. BROWER, Tom (C)	✓			
2. NAKAMURA, Nadine K. (VC)	✓			
3. AQUINO, Henry J.C.				✓
4. HASHEM, Mark J.	✓			
5. QUINLAN, Sean	✓			
6. SAN BUENAVENTURA, Joy A.	✓			
7. MCDERMOTT, Bob				✓
TOTAL (7)	5			2
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <small>committee acronym(s)</small>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: <i>Melanie K. Nakamura</i>				
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