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# HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO  
ESTABLISH THE HAUULA BEACH PARK MARINE LIFE CONSERVATION  
DISTRICT.

1 WHEREAS, Hauula Beach Park on Oahu's North Shore is known  
2 for the fringing reef that extends from its shoreline; and  
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4 WHEREAS, the beach's nearshore waters are also home to more  
5 than four hundred species of fish and other marine life; and  
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7 WHEREAS, ocean activities, such as swimming, parasailing,  
8 water sledding, high-speed boating, and commercial boating,  
9 threaten the reef, fish, and other sea life; and  
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11 WHEREAS, Marine Life Conservation Districts, established by  
12 the Department of Land and Natural Resources, are designed to  
13 conserve and protect marine environments and resources; and  
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15 WHEREAS, as part of the 30x30 Marine Initiative, the  
16 Division of Aquatic Resources of the Department of Land and  
17 Natural Resources plans to develop a network of Marine  
18 Management Areas to better protect the State's nearshore marine  
19 resources while ensuring the continuation of sustainable fishing  
20 practices; now, therefore,  
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22 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the  
23 Thirtieth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of  
24 2019, the Senate concurring, that the Department of Land and  
25 Natural Resources is requested to establish the Hauula Beach  
26 Park Marine Life Conservation District; and  
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28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislature recommends that  
29 the conservation district extend seaward for one mile from the  
30 shoreline of Hauula Beach Park, identified by TMK numbers 1-5-4-



1 0-010-330-0000; 1-5-4-0-010-640-0000; 1-5-4-0-010-350-0000; and  
2 1-5-4-0-010-360-0000 into state marine waters; and

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4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that rules adopted for the Hauula  
5 Beach Park Marine Life Conservation District shall include  
6 protections for the practice of Native Hawaiian rights that are  
7 customarily and traditionally exercised for subsistence,  
8 cultural, and religious purposes pursuant to Article XII,  
9 section 7, of the Hawaii State Constitution; and

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11 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this  
12 Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Chairperson of the  
13 Board of Land and Natural Resource.

