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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO CROSSWALKS.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:**

1           SECTION 1. (a) There is established within the department  
2 of transportation a community crosswalks pilot program, which  
3 shall design and implement a specially painted crosswalk that  
4 represents the unique culture of Waipahu and promotes pedestrian  
5 safety. The pilot program shall collaborate with the  
6 appropriate county departments and agencies, as determined by  
7 the director of transportation.

8           (b) The department of transportation shall designate a  
9 crosswalk within the Waipahu school complex area to be used for  
10 the pilot program; provided that the crosswalk shall be located:

11           (1) Where a crosswalk is already marked and vehicles are  
12                 required to stop, either due to a stop sign or traffic  
13                 signal;

14           (2) To the extent possible, at an intersection that has  
15                 shorter lane widths and experiences a lower volume of  
16                 traffic; and

17           (3) On pavement that is in good condition.



- 1 (c) The design of the crosswalk shall:
  - 2 (1) Include two white horizontal markings with standard
  - 3 design and retroreflectivity to mark the edges of the
  - 4 crosswalk and ensure that the crosswalk meets minimum
  - 5 standards as required by state and county laws;
  - 6 (2) Be fully contained within the two white horizontal
  - 7 markings;
  - 8 (3) Use only:
    - 9 (A) Horizontal or vertical stripes to ensure that
    - 10 people driving, walking, and biking are aware
    - 11 that the specially painted crosswalk is an
    - 12 official crosswalk and a designated place for
    - 13 people to cross;
    - 14 (B) Patterns and colors that are uniform;
    - 15 (C) Colors that are approved by the department of
    - 16 transportation; and
    - 17 (D) Octagons, triangles, or other symbols; and
  - 18 (4) Not use any text or logos.
- 19 (d) After a design is approved by the department of
- 20 transportation, the department shall work in coordination with
- 21 the department of transportation services of the city and county



1 of Honolulu to apply the approved design to the designated  
2 crosswalk.

3 (e) There is established a community crosswalks special  
4 fund to be administered by the department of transportation for  
5 the purposes of this section, into which shall be deposited:

- 6 (1) All moneys appropriated by the legislature;
- 7 (2) Moneys withdrawn from the safe routes to school  
8 program special fund established pursuant to section  
9 291C-4, Hawaii Revised Statutes; and
- 10 (3) Gifts and other private funds.

11 The community crosswalks special fund shall be abolished on  
12 June 30, 2021, and all unencumbered balances shall lapse to the  
13 credit of the general fund.

14 (f) The department shall submit a report of its  
15 activities, including any proposed legislation, to the  
16 legislature no later than twenty days prior to the convening of  
17 the regular sessions of 2021 and 2022.

18 SECTION 2. Section 291C-4, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
19 amended to read as follows:

20 " **[+]§291C-4[+]** **Safe routes to school program special fund;**  
21 **establishment.** (a) There is established in the state treasury



1 the safe routes to school program special fund, into which shall  
2 be deposited:

3 (1) Assessments collected for speeding in a school zone,  
4 pursuant to section 291C-104; and

5 (2) Safe routes to school program surcharges collected in  
6 accordance with sections 291-16 and 291C-5.

7 (b) Moneys in the fund shall be ~~[distributed]~~:

8 (1) Distributed by the director of transportation to the  
9 respective counties to expend~~[-]~~; and

10 (2) Used for the community crosswalks pilot program  
11 established pursuant to Act \_\_\_\_\_, Session Laws of  
12 Hawaii 2019.

13 ~~[(b)]~~ (c) The director of transportation shall adopt rules  
14 pursuant to chapter 91 to implement this section. The rules  
15 shall establish a formula by which the moneys in the fund shall  
16 be distributed to each county and provide how the county shall  
17 expend the moneys for the purposes under ~~[+]section[+]~~ 291C-3 in  
18 public school zones."

19 SECTION 3. There is appropriated out of the general  
20 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ or so  
21 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2020-2021 to be



1 deposited into the community crosswalks pilot program special  
2 fund.

3 SECTION 4. There is appropriated out of the safe routes to  
4 school program special fund the sum of \$ or so much  
5 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2020-2021 to be  
6 deposited into the community crosswalks pilot program special  
7 fund.

8 SECTION 5. There is appropriated out of the community  
9 crosswalks pilot program special fund the sum of \$ or  
10 so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2020-2021  
11 for the purposes of establishing and implementing the community  
12 crosswalk pilot program pursuant to section 1 of this Act.

13 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of  
14 transportation for the purposes of this Act.

15 SECTION 6. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed  
16 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.



1 SECTION 7. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2020, and  
2 shall be repealed on June 30, 2021; provided that section  
3 291C-4(a), Hawaii Revised Statutes, shall be reenacted in the  
4 form in which it read on the day prior to the effective date of  
5 this Act.

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**Report Title:**

DOT; Crosswalks; Community Crosswalks Pilot Program; Special Fund; Appropriation

**Description:**

Requires the Department of Transportation to establish a community crosswalks pilot program to design and implement specially painted crosswalks in neighborhoods. Establishes a community crosswalks pilot program special fund. Appropriates funds.

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