

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

2413

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 07 2020

RE: S.B. No. 3094

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Thirtieth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2020
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Water and Land, to which was referred S.B. No. 3094 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KAHOOLOWE ISLAND RESERVE COMMISSION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to appropriate funds to the Department of Land and Natural Resources for the operations of the Kahoolawe Island Reserve Commission and for two full-time equivalent positions on the Commission.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Kaho'olawe Island Reserve Commission, Hawaiian Trail and Mountain Club, Ocean Tourism Coalition, and twenty-four individuals.

Your Committee finds that additional funding and personnel are needed to support the operations of the Kahoolawe Island Reserve Commission. The Commission was established by the Legislature in 1993 to address ecological and environmental damage caused to Kahoolawe by United States Navy live fire training exercises. The Legislature has previously recognized the significant cultural and historical importance of Kahoolawe to the native people of Hawaii. This measure will provide additional funding to the Kahoolawe Island Reserve Commission that is needed to support its efforts to restore the island, protect endangered



and rare flora and fauna, and ensure the safety of visitors to the Kahoolawe island reserve.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Water and Land that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 3094 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to your Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Water and Land,

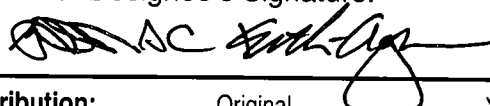


KAIALI'I IKAHELE, Chair



The Senate
Thirtieth Legislature
State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes
Committee on Water and Land
WTL

Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
<i>SB 3094</i>	<i>WTL, WAM</i>	<i>2/3/2020</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
KAHELE, Kaiali'i (C)	X			
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C. (VC)	X			
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.	X			
RIVIERE, Gil	X			
FEVELLA, Kurt				X
TOTAL	<i>4</i>			<i>1</i>
Recommendation:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
				
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