
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO TAKE ANY ACTIONS NECESSARY TO
REESTABLISH AN INTERISLAND FERRY SYSTEM IN THE STATE.

1 WHEREAS, Hawaii is an archipelago comprising one hundred
2 thirty-seven islands, six of which have major population
3 centers; and
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5 WHEREAS, residents of, and visitors to, the State rely
6 primarily on air transportation for inter-island transportation;
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9 WHEREAS, between December 2007 and July 2009, residents and
10 visitors were provided an additional option of interisland
11 transportation: the Hawaii Superferry; and
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13 WHEREAS, the Hawaii Superferry was a high-speed ferry
14 service that efficiently transported persons and property,
15 including motor vehicles, between the islands of Maui and Oahu;
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18 WHEREAS, reestablishing an interisland ferry system in the
19 State would provide residents of, and visitors to, the State
20 with an efficient, cost-friendly alternative to air and barge
21 transportation between the islands; now, therefore,
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23 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the
24 Thirty-second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular
25 Session of 2023, the Senate concurring, that the Governor is
26 requested to take any actions necessary to reestablish an
27 interisland ferry system in the State; and



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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
2 Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Governor and
3 Director of Transportation.
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OFFERED BY: _____

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