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**S.B. 2314**  
**DIGITAL IDENTIFICATION**

Senate Committee on Transportation and Culture and the Arts

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The Hawaii Department of Transportation (HDOT) **supports the intent** of S.B. 2314, which requires the Director of Transportation to establish and implement a Digital Identification Pilot Program.

The HDOT supports the intent to implement a digital identification pilot program to allow various platforms to be able to issue consumers digital credentials. The HDOT is gathering information on costs and time it will take to establish and implement a Digital Identification Pilot Program. The HDOT will also need to research and develop the requirements based on federal standards.

It should be noted that the City and County of Honolulu's Department of Information Technology has been working with Apple on a pilot program that establishes a mobile driver license.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony.

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**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 8:10:28 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Jamie Detwiler	Testifying for Hawaii Federation of Republican Women	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

TESTIMONY to the SENATE COMMITTEE on Transportation and Culture and the Arts

SB2314 Related to Digital Identification

Thursday, February 1, 2024 at 3:00 PM

CR 224 via Videoconference

Submitted in OPPOSITION by Jamie Detwiler, President Hawaii Federation of Republican Women (HFRW)

Honorable Chair Lee, Vice Chair Inouye, and Committee Members,

The HFRW OPPOSES SB 2314 for the following reasons:

1. Privacy and Government Control. According to the National Law Review, digital assets known as controllable electronic records (CERs) define a CER as a record stored in an electronic medium (database) that can be subjected to control.

Digital identity theft is a form of fraud that takes place online. It happens when a hacker assumes your digital identity to access your accounts and personal information or scam others. This kind of theft is quite serious because your digital identity verifies so many digital services.

2. Identity theft vulnerability. According to money.com, Here are a few ways thieves might use your digital identity:

Accessing your credit card information and buying things in your name

Filling out rental or loan applications with your credit score

Stealing information from other people using your social media profile

Blackmailing you by using your personal information

Even if you know how to protect yourself from identity theft, your digital identity might still be vulnerable.

3. Government control. If your identification becomes digital, your ID will no longer belong to you. Your movement is subject to being tracked. The control will belong to the government. This will open the door to tyranny allowing every movement we make to be surveilled by the federal government.

Please vote NO on SB2314. Respectfully submitted,

Jamie Detwiler, President

Hawaii Federation of Republican Women

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 4:08:38 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Jeanine Acopan	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

OPPOSE!!!

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 11:21:05 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Crystal Aguirre	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill/measure.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 1:46:42 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Melissa A. Aiona	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strongly oppose this bill ... it is unconstitutional and dangerous

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 8:53:13 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Yvonne Alvarado	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I, Yvonne L Alvarado Oppose Bill SB2314

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Submitted on: 1/30/2024 9:45:03 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Cindy R Ajimine	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill.



**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 6:03:30 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Brendan Ajolo	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

oppose this bill

TO:  
THE SENATE  
THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE, 2024  
STATE OF HAWAII

RE: BILL FOR AN ACT SB2314  
FROM: Gaylene L Barron 88 Mamao Pl Haiku, HI 96708

I OPPOSE THIS BILL FOR AN ACT FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS:

- 1) The bill does not explain the need for an act when Driver's licenses, State ID's are already digital ID's and sufficient identification
- 2) The bill does not address the cost for implementing this proposed *volunteer* pilot program. The potential costs will take away from disaster recovery in Hawaii.
- 3) The bill does not protect individual privacy rights during pilot phase and after becoming law
- 4) The bill does not protect an individual's right to not be tracked by third party technology software, digitalware, programs of unknown origin or purpose
- 5) This bill does not identify the purpose of increased tracking ability and for what purpose
- 6) The bill implies the Act will benefit a wide range of demographics from law enforcement, commerce, voting and travel but fails to explain how this new act would improve what is already in place for ID purposes and why such a measure is proposed.

These excerpts from the proposed bill are stated for further clarification. My remarks are in yellow:

*“Ensure the protection of personal information and include security features that protect against unauthorized access to information;”* **Ambiguous- how will there be insurance against misuse of this kind of technological invasion of personal data?**

*“Deploy the digital identification mobile application at no cost to voluntary participants for testing and evaluation”;* **If this is an ACT how would there be volunteers? This is dangerous and could threaten the privacy of individuals, create unknown expenses to implement, and implies volunteerism when this would become law and obligatory.**

*“Seek approval from the Transportation Security Administration to allow travelers to use the digital identification mobile application for identity verification purposes and monitor any proposed rulemaking developments related to digital identification and the REAL ID Act of 2005”* **This is a tracking system designed to monitor and track people's activities and invade people's privacy and right to movement**

*“In coordination with the department of the attorney general and the applicable county government, as necessary, implement a law enforcement version of the application for field testing the acceptance of digital identification as proof of identity in law enforcement settings”*  
**Again, more government overreach capability, using facial recognition software, and advanced technologies to practice law without license, risking privacy and personal rights of due process**

*“A volunteer participant in the digital identification pilot program shall not be prevented from using their physical driver's license or identification card for the purpose of identity verification or to apply for any state program.”* **This would be a pilot program to pressure the public into giving away more personal privacy information and allow the government to use spyware to invade personal liberties and freedoms, call it voluntary in the beginning, then make it mandatory. Those who wouldn't comply or couldn't comply would be denied access to resources, thus having their personal information made accessible to unknown sources and purposes.**

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Submitted on: 1/30/2024 5:29:31 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Kaiulani Bowers	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this Bill, it is unconstitutional, an invasion of privacy and goes against everything that is American. This Bill would be a communist credit score and digital slavery. This Bill is wrong

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 3:52:50 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Jadine L Brown	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this because I am against all strategies that lead to the limitation of constitutional freedoms.

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Submitted on: 1/30/2024 5:41:45 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
PATRICK BROWN	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 10:47:47 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Jessica Caiazzo	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha my name is Jessica "Priya" Caiazzo and I strongly oppose this bill. Fact: Digital ID systems are not more secure. They expose us to identity theft, massive data breaches, and major privacy concerns.

I ask you overlook this source: <https://www.immigrantdefenseproject.org/wp-content/uploads/Digital-IDs-FAQ.pdf> as I took this from there but there is so much more important and informative information:

Digital IDs are part of larger systems of surveillance, biometrics collection, data sharing, and control. They function as massive databases that collect, store, and track sensitive info about our identity and actions. Governments and private companies use digital IDs to identify and track us—and then allow or deny us access to rights and resources.

Digital IDs are increasingly an example of “smart-city” projects, where governments and corporations claim that “smart,” tech-based “solutions” can fix problems like access to banking and inefficient social services. However, what digital ID proponents don’t tell us is that digital IDs and smart-city projects often increase inequity and hurt the communities they supposedly aim to help. Communities are rarely consulted about these projects before they happen. Digital IDs are often driven by “public-private partnerships,” where governments contract private companies to provide what is typically a public service. This gives companies control of our personal information, government institutions, and resources with little accountability. Decisions are made to increase corporate profits, not to meet community needs. Digitizing city systems is not necessarily a bad

thing—but digitizing sensitive information and tying it to our identities can easily lead to increased surveillance and deny people access to basic rights and resources.

Mahalo for taking the time to read my testimony, and absolutely do not allow this bill to pass. The negatives are not even close to the positives. We need to protect the people which you all swore your oath to uphold.

Jessica "Priya" Caiazzo



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Submitted on: 1/30/2024 6:07:34 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Shawnie Campbell	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

oppose this bill

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 1:07:57 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Alexis Caramonte	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strongly oppose this bill. It is false to believe that this digital system would be secure. With the rise in security breaches and intelligent systems that can pull whatever information is stored digitally it would be in the States best interest to deny this bill from moving forward for the safety of Hawaii residents information.

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Submitted on: 1/30/2024 8:40:14 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Jessica Cheng	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strongly oppose SB2314 on the grounds that it increased state power and systems of control, could compromise our rights and put our identification systems at risk, as well as the risk that personal information of citizens falls into the wrong hands. This is not necessary and should not be tested as a pilot program. We have bigger issues that need addressing.

Thank you for your time,

Jessica Cheng

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 11:09:49 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Neilani Chittenden	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha!

I am submitting my testimony today in opposition to bill SB2314, because I believe that if this bill passes, it will bring us one step closer to Agenda 2030, the Great Reset. I do not want unelected, wealthy people ripping away my God Given Rights, by taking away my right to make my own medical decisions, deciding where I live, what I eat, what I buy, what I choose to do with my time, where and when I chose to travel, and how I teach and raise my children!

For all of those elected officials who are supporting and pushing this bill, I ask you, Do you really believe that your assisting in ushering Agenda 2030 will buy you and your family exemption? The wealthiest people on the planet only care about their own. Do you really want your family, as stated by the world economic forums Klaus Schwab "Owning nothing and being happy"?

In closing, I challenge every elected official in the State of Hawaii, to denounce the world economic forum. Except for the extremely wealthy, I fear they do not have good intentions for rest of the people on our planet. PLEASE do the right thing, and vote NO on SB2314!

Live Pono,

N. Chittenden

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 10:42:49 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Martin Choy	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Dear Legislators,

Why do we need a more invasive tool to our privacy? Online systems are being hacked ever more frequently and all our data is at risk.

The only possible explanation is that government wants to impose more surveillance over the citizens in order to exercise more control over us.

One only needs to read Orwell's book "1984" or the Book of Revelations in the Bible to know where all this is heading.

You may think that you are safe by being the one's who are in control, but if you read till the end, it doesn't end well for anybody. You may think that it's only fiction, but you are fulfilling the plot and it will become a self-fulfilling prophecy.

Once you let this cat out of the bag, there's no putting it back in again.

So much data is being collected on us, you already can access everything you need to know. If you need the information, it is being sold by the advertising and big business giants.

We can only surmise that it's not just what you need to know, but what you want to control.

The people don't want it and it shouldn't be forced on We the People.

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Submitted on: 1/31/2024 12:44:24 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Kim Cordery	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I appose this bill bc this violates our constitutional rights of free commerce! We need decentralized governance not centralized government declaring where, when and how we should spend our \$ as well as invading our privacy which this system is all about serveilance and control!

**THIS SYSTEM IS THE PRECURSOR TO TOTAL GOVERNMENT CONTROL!**

**I VOTE NO!**

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 7:13:43 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Andrew Crossland	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

**I strongly oppose** this Bill.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 2:49:12 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Cynthia Decenzo	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this Bill.



**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 8:53:55 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Kelli DeCosta	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha All,

I can't tell you how many times I've collected small amounts of money due to data breaches over the last 2 years- from local and mainland corporations. With increased threats and actuality of cyber hacking, data breaches, and identity theft why would ANYONE who is serving and should have people's best interest at their top priority put our identity at risk? Is it not enough that the island people are being stripped of our land, homes, stripped of our children who leave to raise their families in the mainland because it's not affordable? Is it not enough the Hawaiians are slowly being stripped of our culture, home and truly our identity already? So I feel why would our public servants whom we pay, whom are supposed to be for the people put us at risk of loosing anything more than we island people already have? 1 answer- Public Servants whom have signed up for and are conforming to "the agenda"- the same agenda they all say is a conspiracy theory!

If you are Truly for your people, then SHOW US!!! Be a leader and a follower doing as all the other public servants are doing or what your political party is going for! A true public servant goes for what is best for their people!

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 12:17:06 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
kamakani de dely	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill. It's not necessary.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 12:18:09 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Mallory De Dely	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill. It's not necessary.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 6:41:53 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Paul DeMay	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this Bill as it is unconstitutional

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 7:05:45 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Joy Dillon	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Thank you for the opportunity to submit opinions regarding this proposed legislation.

I am opposed to SB2314. Yes, it is only a pilot program but that is the first step towards making it permanent. We do not need or require more restrictions on our freedoms. There is no need for the government to be able to track our every move. Using an app may or may not be in the capacity of all citizens. We have plenty of ID options already and no further tracking of the populations' movements is needed. Please vote NO on SB2314.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 9:22:15 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Larry Duclayan	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strongly oppose SB2314.

Mahalo!

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 1:12:13 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Deven English	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strongly oppose this bill. absolutely no place for this in the United States.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 8:05:00 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Kehaulani Feleciano	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strongly oppose. This is not for the people and a invasion of privacy and rights! Get rid of this bill asap. Think of the people you represent instead of your personal agendas.



**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 9:45:11 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
LARRY FORTUNO	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill that will lead to invasion of people's privacy.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 10:58:25 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
ANTHONY M GAIRNESE	Individual	Comments	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Absolutely no! Preserve our freedom!

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 3:50:33 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Manulani Garcia	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I am against this bill. No to SB2314.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 1:05:26 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Christopher Gouveia	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I do NOT support this bill as I believe that it is a violation of individual rights and privacy. The fact that our entrusted leaders are even proposing this bill is absurd and is a slap in the face of the people. We elect you to PROTECT and PRESERVE our rights, NOT take them away.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 9:41:25 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Tamara C Griffiths	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I vehemently oppose this bill. Do not tread on our human rights on top of everything else taken away.

Respectfully,

Tamara Griffiths

Lahaina, HI

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 9:56:18 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Glenn Grimes	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 3:04:26 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
A Hamasaki	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strongly opposed SB2314. Hawaii should not start a pilot program or support Digital IDs. We do not want our actions, money, choices, etc to be monitored digitally. This will have a huge impact on local business, small business, mom and pop stores that our local communities are known for. This will be detrimental to our Hawaii Economy. We need to remember what makes us Hawaii, the Aloha State. Digital IDs and technology systems that are controlled by anyone but ourselves is not what we need to improve our state. Again, I strongly oppose SB2314.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 7:52:11 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Alexa Helge	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I am opposed to SB2314.



**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 7:58:50 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
kelly morgan	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill strongly.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 9:06:13 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Taylor Kaaumoana	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose 2314 SB RELATING TO DIGITAL IDENTIFICATION. I oppose the minds & efforts who created this agenda of controlling the masses and I oppose limiting freedoms which is this bill SB 2314.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 7:02:12 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Anne Kamau	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill. Mahalo.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 10:13:45 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Alan Kaneko	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 10:02:29 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Jayme Kealoha-Dacuycuy	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strongly oppose Bill SB2314. The government is overreaching & invading the privacy of the people.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 2:29:14 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Nathalie Kelly	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I urge you to oppose SB2314. Digital IDs will lead us to total and complete government control of the people, taking away our freedom and our rights. What happens when this leads to government-controlled digital currency? If we don't obey every government whim, we don't get our money or groceries. This is opening the door to tyranny. It is NOT the job of the government to control every aspect of our lives. Our country was built in opposition to this. Our country was built in the name of freedom from tyranny, and I stand with our forefathers and constitutional rights to liberty. PLEASE DO NOT PASS THIS. It is the road to total government control and slavery.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 9:40:58 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
THOMAS KENT	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

**I OPPOSE THIS BILL!**

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 9:06:21 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Aldarah Kumura	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

This bill is nonsense. It's a gateway to socially uncivilized practices. This should be rejected immediately.



**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 8:52:40 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Laurie Langton	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha

I am writing to **STRONGLY** oppose this bill to establish a pilot program for Digital ID. There are no number of benefits that could possibly outweigh the danger in this type of program. We are all aware of the Social Credit Score system used by the CCP. This is not something we want here.

A digital ID can and will be used to further dehumanize our communities, track our actions, and control our lives. This is **NOT** a program we want or need in Hawaii, or in the US at all.

Please consider that the population of Hawaii is not in support of this bill and do not wish to be in a digital ID system in any way.

Thank you

Laurie Langton

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 8:49:10 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Heather R Lauro	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill. This pilot program is another step toward allowing the government to interfere with citizens' autonomy. This will allow government at will to access and control citizens finances, access to services, and ability to freely move about as granted under the US Constitution. Government needs to mind their business! Elected officials work at our behest and needs to look out for the residents best interest not their own.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 10:14:30 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Fenton K lee	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Testimony in Opposition to Hawai'i Senate Bill 2314 (SB2314)

To the Esteemed Members of the Hawai'i State Legislature:

**Opposition to SB2314 - Relating to Digital Identification**

I am writing to express my opposition to Senate Bill 2314, which mandates the establishment of a Digital Identification Pilot Program by the Director of Transportation. While I acknowledge the potential benefits of digital innovation, I am compelled to highlight significant concerns regarding the constitutional implications of this bill.

**1. Violation of Privacy Rights (Fourth Amendment Concerns):**

SB2314 proposes a system that would collect, store, and manage personal data digitally. The Fourth Amendment of the U.S. Constitution protects citizens against unreasonable searches and seizures, thereby ensuring the right to privacy. The digital collection and potential sharing of personal data without robust safeguards could lead to unwarranted invasion of privacy. This is especially pertinent given the lack of clarity in the bill about the extent of data collection, usage, and protection measures.

**2. Autonomy and Compulsory Participation:**

The potential transition to mandatory digital identification, as envisioned in SB2314, could infringe upon individual autonomy and the right to choose. This move towards a compulsory digital system may be perceived as an overreach by the government into personal autonomy, contradicting the democratic values of freedom and personal choice.

### 3. Data Security and Risk of Misuse:

The bill raises significant concerns about data security and the potential for misuse of personal information. The digitization of sensitive personal data increases the risk of unauthorized access and identity theft. A breach in such a system could have far-reaching consequences for individuals' privacy and security, raising questions about the state's ability to protect its citizens' data effectively.

### 4. Technological Equity and Access (Fourteenth Amendment Concerns):

The reliance on digital technology for identification could lead to inequitable access. Not all residents have equal access to technology, potentially leading to discrimination against those who are less technologically equipped. This could be argued as a violation of the Equal Protection Clause of the Fourteenth Amendment, which mandates equal protection under the law.

In conclusion, while the intention behind SB2314 to modernize identification systems is commendable, it is imperative to ensure that such advancements do not compromise constitutional rights and protections. I urge the legislature to reconsider the bill's implications on privacy, autonomy, data security, and equitable access to ensure that all residents of Hawai'i are protected under the law.

Thank you for considering my testimony on this critical matter.

Respectfully,

Fenton Kaulana Lee

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 9:01:43 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Andrew Kainoa Liu	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 11:53:15 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
CHESTER LUM	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Thank you for allowing me to submit testimony opposing this bill.

A digital ID of any form by the State Government is not in the best interest of its citizens.

SB2314 should be tabled.

Once again, thank you for allowing me to submit testimony opposing this bill.

Chester Lum

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 4:11:11 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Luis Ma	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I am strong oppose any bill that relate or lead to digital social credit system on people. Turning Hawaii to China like digital slavery system enslaved Hawaii locals. Still spreading GREEN communism in Hawaii. Thank you

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 7:46:48 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Deirdre Madrid	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Keep the ways of communist China out of our state and country.



**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 2:42:56 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Lesha Mathes	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I say NO to any firm of digital ID.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 12:19:16 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
samantha Mcbride	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strongly oppose this bill. It strips of our freedoms and is not benifitting people of the state of hawaii. Only benifits the government in oppressing us and taking away our freedom to use our money how we see fit. No on bill sb2314

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 1:49:12 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Jeffrey F Mizuno	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Oppose

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 7:31:00 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Michael Moylan	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose Bill SB2314.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 10:16:28 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Terry Murakami	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill for the following reasons:

- By establishing a digital ID this can lead to more government intrusion of privacy and control over it's citizens (social credit score, etc).

Given how the internet is connected to everyday aspects of our lives, our ability to interact with others, conducting commerce, etc is at risk or being controlled ot manipulated,

Remember the more power and control you give to the government, there is a possibility that someone or a group of people you didn't vote for, or voted for but didn't fulfill their campaign promises, will have access to that power and control over you!

- In order to establish an reliable ID system, users will have to share highly sensitive private information even more now and have that data stored in more areas of the internet, which means higher risk of data leaks and identity theft. (More targets for hackers)

Whenever you store data on a computer and connect it to the internet, there is ALWAYS a risk of hacking and data breaches, no matter how good the infrastructure is!

- This can also create more opportunities for identity theft, and if someone uses another person's ID it can create serious legal problems (Someone using someone else's ID to access the dark web or online content that can lead to FBI/SWAT raids on them)

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 7:29:14 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
robert nago	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose bill sb2314 due to the on going problem of online identity theft. If the government doesnt have a trust worthy and secure platform everyones identity is at stake and peoples lives can be demolished.

identities should be kept in a physical form (state id or drivers license) and should be the sole responsibility of the owner. And never left in the governments hands to be kept sacred and protected.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 12:19:12 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Laura Nakanelua	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha,

I oppose this bill and the stripping of privacy rights and individual rights that would occur should this bill be passed.

Please ask for the valid reasons this bill is being proposed, then decide if you agree that it is truly necessary.

Please oppose this bill.

Mahalo.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 8:44:35 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Leonard Nakoa III	Individual	Oppose	Remotely Via Zoom

Comments:

I do not support this bill



**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 8:28:03 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Wendy Nguyen	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strongly oppose this bill

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 10:16:34 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Magoon Ohana	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

We are a sovereign country and United States individuals- NOT people owned by Global establishment! We do not want a digital ID system that allows nefarious purposes to use us as pawns. Once this path is opened it cannot go back as we know you will not allow it. The people DO NOT WANT a digital ID platform with vaccine passports, and all the same control measures of communist countries like China! We are not a communist country- STOP trying to walk us down that path, because it suits certain politicians agenda along with the WEF and all it's associates. We did not elect them!!

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 5:23:53 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Vernelle Oku	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill.

i am against any bill advancing digital IDs, digital currencies, digital cities, because I feel it is a way that may result in certain powerful entities taking away our freedoms and rights.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 9:20:25 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Cherie Oquendo	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I am in complete opposition to this digital ID plan. This is a direct infringement on the rights of "we the people". The citizens of Hawaii do not want nor need a government tracking of our private lives. If we wanted to live in a communist society, most of us would have moved to China.

Little by little, the very fabric of our freedoms are being ripped apart and we know the end game is to rip it to shreds all in the name of a progressive movement because you think you know what's better for us than we do. I caution you not to think like the elites do and think you're above all this. This is an election year and we the citizens of Hawaii and in some cases your constituents will remember those who put this diabolical bill together. Elections have consequences and if this bill passes, I will make it my main purpose and goal to remind the people of Hawaii all that you have proposed, all that you have done to push an agenda that does not benefit us, but gives the government full control of our lives by tracking what we do, just as China tracks their people through facial recognition, health and vaccine passports, and limits the information they receive.

I urge you all to vote in opposition.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 6:20:09 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Sharee Orr	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Digital ID does not promote freedom. Too many controls by others is what digital ID does. We have freedoms and our lawmakers need to remember who they work for--We the People. If you need a reminder read the US Constitution and the Hawaii State Constitution as the state one follows the US. The Constitution limits government not the people. Digital ID leads to nefarious acts of intrusion by government. I oppose this bill.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 9:47:38 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Teresa Parmenter	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

OPPOSE SB2314

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 10:48:25 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Jasmyn Paulo	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

This testimony is to highly OPPOSE SB 2314.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 4:02:56 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Jessica Penner	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Digital ID programs could eventually lead to Communist China style social credit schemes and oppressive, programmable money. Why are we taking social program ideas from societies who value totalitarianism? NO. Keep our children free. I do not consent.



**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 8:40:55 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Vikki Pfendler	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strongly oppose this bill. This is the seed that will grow into more human enslavement. With this would come social credit scores, medical tyranny, loss of privacy and more destructive results. It only would support the rulers and hurt THE PEOPLE.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 10:56:38 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Benel Piros	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill due to it being another encroachment on our personal privacy.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 10:14:46 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Camlyn Pola	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha,

I refuse to participate in a digital ID and subject myself to hackers. I strongly oppose this bill!

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 1:51:51 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Peggy Regentine	Individual	Comments	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose using digital ID. This form of representing oneself is too easy to cheat. How often are teens using fake IDs to buy liquor which is not nearly as important as voting for a President. I vote NO.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 12:18:59 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Kelly Rego	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Unnecessary program when there are so many other things to focus our taxpayers money. Focus on housing and infrastructure.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 4:13:47 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Shari saiki Rodrigues	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill! I am against any form of digital identification and any pilot program for it.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 10:24:56 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Paula Russo	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha,

I am a resident of Hawai'i and I will stand against the "Pilot Program" for Digital ID and we the people of Hawai'i DO NOT WANT THAT! We also don't want a social credit score system with CBDCs, Or a Communist Social Credit Score . We The People Oppose Vaccinne Passports, Facial Recognition and Digital Slavery.

Please respect the people as you work for us and not the other way around.

Mahalo

Paula Russo

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 11:31:04 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Lora Santiago	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strongly oppose this absurd Bill relating to digital identification. I refuse to allow my freedom and rights be taken into a communist fashion. I also want to remind you government leaders that you all work for We The People, and not for the world economic forum. Please remove yourselves if you cannot do what The People want.



**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 7:47:56 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Cari Sasaki	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strongly oppose digital ID. I do not want to be digitally monitored, tracked, or subjected to a social credit score and this bill is a gateway to all of that. This bill would compromise my freedom and my privacy.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 9:37:10 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Anthony Schlemmer	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

From reading information, this is how the government of China conducts surveillance on their own citizens, not something we want in Hawaii and for that matter the United States of America. We want less government and more freedom, not big brother looking over our shoulders.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 11:13:01 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Loree Jean Searcy	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I am opposed to this bill because it gives away our right to privacy to big tech, the government, financial institutions and anyone desiring to know our personal information!

This is a hard OPPOSE

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 10:20:28 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Ryan Sharpe	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose SB2314. We are not Communist China. We are the United States of America. No digital ID in the U.S.

Anyone supports this Bill is committing a crime.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 4:34:46 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Jennifer Shelton	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Absolutely oppose the use of digital identification.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 1:02:36 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Bernadette M. Smith	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose SB2314.

Thank you,

Bernadette M. Smith

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 11:52:10 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Ron Soderstrom	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I firmly do not believe in the creation and use of any kind of Digital ID in the state of Hawaii.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 7:40:28 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Corinne Solomon	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose SB2314



**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 10:12:27 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Patty Takahashi	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Oppose.

This is not freedom to choose how we live. This is forcing people to live in society that will be far beyond an individual's choice. Especially, Hawaii where we have so much culture to appreciate we have little left as it is. What the ancient Hawaiians started is true Hawai'i, Don't forget the meaning of Hawai'i, Breath of living water! So much life, truth, innocents and humility in the culture since it's history began is diminishing. When history is told in truth you can learn from the mistake of outside ideas robbing the people of Hawai'i. Hawai'i lost it's paradise has been written for too long. I say if you want to live in this kind of society move to those countries that have smart cities and experience the digital world. Keep Hawaii free of intoxicated ideas or Hawai'i will be lost forever and so will people's livelihood and freedom.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 11:28:09 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Jessica Tamaribuchi	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha, my name is Jessica Tamaribuchi, and thank you for allowing me to submit written testimony related to digital identification. Today I stand in complete opposition to the State of Hawaii and any of its departments participating in a digital identification pilot program. While it may seem like a great idea to streamline government services and improve efficiency using digital identification, it is extremely vulnerable to abuse and misuse. I also believe that this system, if implemented, will be used as a control mechanism over the people with regard to how decisions are made related to our health, finances, education, employment and other matters. To me, this is very dangerous to society and to our individual rights. For that, I strongly disagree with and firmly oppose this bill. Thank you for your time and consideration.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 8:24:08 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Catherine Thyne	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I DO NOT approve this Bill. Hawaii deserves better from our Lawmakers!

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 8:49:17 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Daisy Tim	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Thank you for considering my testimony to OPPOSE this bill. We are already bombarded with being surveilled in all aspects of life. There are cameras everywhere , there are ways to track what you do, what you say on the computer and phones. I'm sure WITHOUT our consent.

So we don't need more bills to pass to keep surveilling everything we do. This will be like a Police State. To be able to control the masses. So this is why I OPPOSE THIS SB 2314 bill. And whoever passes it without our AFFIRMATIONS - you will be responsible for voting it through.

Please listen to the masses. You're supposed to be our servants, not our dictators. Thank you.

Daisy Tim

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 11:24:32 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Alika Valdez	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I support this. Having digital ID is better and secure and people may think having a digital is a scam and a fraud. No it's not. I have my California ID as well as having the physical ID. It's so helpful that I lost my ID multiple time that having the digital ID is very helpful and Handy while awaiting for your physical ones to come in and getting one. This is a greatful opportunity for Hawaii especially for the Hawaii state to step up the towards the future of the technology.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 6:00:08 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
tania victorine	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

This will bring us closer to communist China. You folks have no regards for our (YOUR) kids future.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 10:26:47 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Brandi Wilkins	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

As a long-term resident of Maui county, I oppose this bill for myself in my community. This is against our rights and in line for total corruption, which we are already dealing enough with in our state and we have had enough. Nothing good will come of a situation like this, and there will be a lot of revolt and writing. it's in the best interest of the state and counties to oppose this law in order to keep a peaceful Aloha State.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 8:19:36 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Kanoë Willis	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I Stongly Oppose



**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 8:15:01 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Ryan Willis	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strongly OPPOSE.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 1:56:19 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Rita Wong	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I OPPOSE SB2314

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 7:16:20 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Callie Wood	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strong urge Hawai'i representatives to oppose this bill! We do not need digital id.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 10:26:42 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Carol D. Yokoyama	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha Committee,

Please advise who is sponsoring the Digital Identification Pilot Program ("Program") and please disclose where the funds are coming from to fund the Program.

There are so many cybersecurity breaches happening all the time. Our personal data needs to be protected. Besides identity theft, digital identification systems have the potential for exploitation and discrimination.

Please strongly OPPOSE SB2314.

Mahalo Nui Loa for your time.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 6:24:39 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Terri Yoshinaga	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strongly oppose this bill it's not good for the people of Hawaii.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 10:24:33 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Elle Zhang	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill. It does more harm than good to the community. China has used it for a long time. Who wants to be like communist China?

I strongly oppose SB2314!

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 11:53:20 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Ashley	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose SB2314 and digital identification. There is so much at risk for going digital. Cyber security issues, privacy issues and this opens the door to a dangerous digitalization trend that needs to be stopped. The people should have control over making these kinds decisions for themselves and putting our information out there like this. It should most definitely not be required. I do not want my information and identification stored and used like this.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 10:24:24 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Dayvis	Individual	Oppose	In Person

Comments:

Absolutely not. I 100%, 110% 1000% with All my life force ~ absolutely oppose this bill SB2314. You cannot approve this Bill SB2314. The infringes on the very core right of our human existence. This Bill SB2314 is enslavement. You're proposing a digital weapon, proposing slavery. If a person has to have digital proof of vaccination (because we All know it will lead to that) facial recognition, along with all the other compliment components involved in this digital ID, to be able to go anywhere, to do anything; this is modern day enslavement; mass control.

Are you all actually this ignorant to the destruction this will cause in each of us humans. What would it take for you to be by the side of truth? To Honour truth ~ to Honour what you know is right? To be Pono ~ to get in touch with your mana ~ your true life force. To be a human that amplifies harmony amongst humanity. A person that has the tremendous courage it takes to be by the side of truth. Here you are manipulating, lying, controlling, dividing, and aiding in the total destruction of humanity. You will reap what you sew as karma is real. Perhaps take a moment to pause, take a deep breath and really truly ask yourself, truthfully, what is the right thing to do here. You know the answer. can you honour it? Do you have the courage to honour it? Whether or not you have the power within yourself to follow through in truth to help humanity ~ life will have its way with your decisions. It's never too late to be pono and aid in the healing of life. Be a hero in humanity ~ not the cause for destruction.

I feel deeply for you and your suffering. All Love ~ One Love. 🙏



**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 5:45:48 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Dominic	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

**I OPPOSE THIS BILL!**

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 10:45:45 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Elethia	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 5:37:54 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Nyla	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

**I OPPOSE THIS BILL!**

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 9:04:43 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
K	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this digital identification bill as it's an open door to potentially more control from the government. I spent almost two decades in the technology field and have seen digital identification proposition simulations and it leads to more and more control, little by little. Digital ID and automatic voter registration then digital currency is right around the corner. Then the government can turn "things" off as they see fit if the general public doesn't fall in line or opposes government ideas. Government reach and control is not what Hawaii is about let alone our occupied free citizens. Mahalo for your time.

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/30/2024 7:17:23 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
L.C	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

There is enough fraud and abuse of digital data now even though organizations promise protection of personal information and unauthorized access. This seems like a pilot for a data mining operation meant to further interfere with our constitutional rights.

**LATE**

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 3:16:57 PM  
Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Tammy Andaya	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Please STOP all these ridiculous controlling, restricted, monitored methods on citizens!!!

For the love of God PLEASE take care of the rising cost of living in Hawaii, the crime rate, the homelessness, mental health, health coverage, the potholes on our roads and a gazillion other concerns....doesn't the state and city and county in Hawaii have more important priorities to take care? COME ON!!

What next? We won't be able to leave or return to the islands without face recognition...this is nonsense. We already had stupid idiots try and do that for those that were unvaccinated....just stop. Many that got vaccinated out of fear and being force are either dead or regretting the choice to give in. Are you trying to make our state a controlled, mandated communist place to live and raise our families or are you trying to drive more people away from Hawaii?

Take care of more important issues...PLEASE!!!

I OPPOSE, MY HUSBAND OPPOSES, MY KIDS OPPOSE...maybe my dogs should OPPOSE before it comes to them having to be digitally controlled.

I would say SO much more but I don't want to be mean or go off on a tangent...these kinds of bills are the result of idiots that have nothing more important to do with their time. How is this TAKING CARE of our community, our islands, our state????.

**LATE**

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 10:34:27 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Mary Healy	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill.

**LATE**

01/30/2024

DATE: Thursday, February 1, 2024  
TIME: 3:00 PM  
PLACE: Conference Room 224 & Videoconference

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND CULTURE AND THE ARTS

Senator Chris Lee, Chair

Senator Lorraine R. Inouye, Vice Chair

Aloha Chair Chris Lee and Committee members,

I am in strong disagreement with SB2314 a bill which would require the director of transportation to establish and implement a digital identification pilot program.

I am convinced that digital ID, poses one of the gravest risks to human rights of any technology that we have encountered. Worse, we are rushing headlong into a future where new technologies will converge to make this risk much more severe.

Digital identity ties in with the coming social credit system and will control what you can and cannot do in your everyday life. A central bank digital currency (CBDC) tied to digital ID and social credit score will allow the government to freeze your assets or limit your spending to approved vendors if you fail to comply with arbitrary diktats, i.e. vaccine mandates.

Facial recognition technology and other identifiers, are being designed to identify people from the way they walk, breath and how their iris appears. Biometric databases are being set up in such a way that these individual identifiers are centralized, insecure, and opaque. Also there is the capacity for [geo-location](#) of identifiers—that is, the tracking of digital “you”—in real time. A constant feed of insecure data from the Internet of Things may well connect you (and your identity) to other identities and nodes on the network without your consent.

In addition, systems using artificial intelligence and machine learning are used to make decisions based on our identities. Those systems are often built on data that can reinforce bias and discrimination, and are wielded without sufficient transparency or human review. Ultimately, [social credit systems](#), such as those that are currently being developed in China, will be based on digital ID, thereby enabling or disabling our full and free participation in society.

The United States must work with other democratic nations to push back on these illiberal uses of technology and develop an alternative vision for using digital technologies that preserves personal privacy and individual freedom.

Mahalo  
Julianne King



**LATE**

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 2/1/2024 1:21:29 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Brett Kulbis	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

While the benefits of a digital ID may seem awesome. It's the security of the data that makes it a very bad idea, and definitely should not be MANDATED. As someone who has first hand knowledge of protecting Personal Identifiable Information from my 26-year Navy career. I concur with many experts that in this day of technology, as the future technology, digital IDs may poses one of the gravest risks to human rights of any technology. Some specific concerns are:

1. Misuse and Control of Personal Identifiable Information - Like all technology, a digital ID system is built by humans and could contain algorithms that would group individuals based on race, sexual orientation, physical appearance, disabilities; or even worse based on religious and political beliefs. Furthermore, a centralized ID system presents the problem of reduced user control, where the individual has little say over who has access to their data or how it's being used.
2. Privacy and Anonymity Concerns - In certain countries, centralized digital ID systems have been used for surveillance and profiling. For instance, the Chinese government uses a social credit system to assign citizens a credit score. A single digital ID system would further reduce anonymity, hindering activities where such anonymity is needed. These activities include whistleblowing, expression of dissenting opinions, and activism.
3. Data Breaches - While firewalls are essential to cybersecurity, no firewall or security software is completely impenetrable. Loopholes will always be found. The problem, however, is in its discovery. It could be discovered by the system's creators or by a malicious third party. If it's the latter, the data of thousands of Hawaii residents would be at the mercy of a hacker, who could be looking for a significant payday. Additionally, a centralized ID system data breach could lead to the hacker gaining access to all platforms connected to the users' accounts, increasing the risk of identity fraud.
4. Single Point of Failure - A centralized ID database could crash due to hardware malfunction, software corruption, or a security breach. This would lead to delays in accessing the database, usually for several days. As the database also helps in identity verification, a person would be unable to access various platforms and services that depend on the database. This denial of service situation could lead to frustration, major inconveniences, and financial losses for the database users.

Please read Identity Theft Resource Center January 2024 report that summarizes 2023 data.

[https://www.idtheftcenter.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/01/ITRC\\_2023-Annual-Data-Breach-Report.pdf](https://www.idtheftcenter.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/01/ITRC_2023-Annual-Data-Breach-Report.pdf)

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**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 3:00:18 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Sharon Martin	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Testimony in Opposition to SB 2314: Relating to Digital Identification

Aloha Senators,

Cybersecurity breaches are no infrequent occurrence. I have received notices from the various government, private health entities, and businesses that have experienced cybersecurity breaches. The most recent from HMSA with notices that informed members of the types of data exposure and possible capture which is quite alarming.

SB 2314 does not state the purpose of the digital identification pilot program other than to elude and surmise that this may 'track' automotive movements to which is questionable.

Moreover, the use of a valid government issued for of identification for an unknown purpose and questionable use should not be required. A separate and unidentifiable number correlated to a name would suffice. However, I am still opposed to such use or a digital identification program.

I urge you to oppose this bill as it does not have valid purpose for the common good and welfare of all people. In addition it is a breach to citizen's right to privacy.

Mahalo,

Sharon Martin

**LATE**

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 10:02:39 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Andy ozie	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

This bill will pave the way for privacy concerns. I don't support this bill. My cellphone should not be tied to a government database at all times.

**LATE**

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 6:22:23 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Victor Papapa	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

We don't need this. What's wrong with you democrats. First step to social score. I absolutely oppose!

**LATE**

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 4:03:19 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Tara Rojas	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

'A'OLE!! I am for FREEDOM and do NOT agree nor consent to being under any type of Digital Identification system. CANCEL//KILL THIS BILL.

**LATE**

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 2/1/2024 7:07:48 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Greg schaus	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose sb 2314

digital I'd will be used for governments nefarious purpose

so NO

**LATE**

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 2/1/2024 6:56:05 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
julie schaus	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose sb 2314

we the people will not be tracked and subject to a governmental social credit system



**LATE**

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 2/1/2024 7:26:08 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Sam schaus	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose sb2314

Government shall not infringe My right to privacy

NO tracking

**LATE**

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 2/1/2024 11:42:21 AM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
L Toriki	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strongly oppose this bill. Digital ID will lead to government & private monitoring of everything an individual does. It is government overreach and eventually will lead to the disintegration of individual's God given rights & freedoms. This would be the start of digital slavery. Everything we do will be monitored. Why would anyone give consent for this? Why would anyone want our government or any private entity knowing and documenting our every move??? Why would these "elected" officials want anything to do with this???? NO, NO NO!!

**LATE**

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 7:54:56 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
C. Vierra	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill.

**LATE**

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 3:22:48 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
noela von	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha,

I oppose this bill strongly.

It dangerous because even though it's a "pilot program" you want, eventually it will lead to other aspects of a citizens life being under surveillance. In China they started this and now the entire country is under 24 hours digital surveillance, with their whereabouts, their finances, their habits etc. Please do not do this to the people of Hawaii. Our privacy will be compromised more and more. Also, many citizens do not want to go this far with technology in their daily lives.

Thank you very much.

Noela von Wiegandt

**LATE**

**SB-2314**

Submitted on: 1/31/2024 4:50:59 PM

Testimony for TCA on 2/1/2024 3:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
james wallace	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I appose bill SB2314.We should not be copying china on this government overreach control.That is communism and UN should not be dictating of how hawaii should be runned.I reject any Agenda 2030 thats comming down the pipe at this point.