

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

, 2025

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RE: S.B. No. 439

S.D. 1

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Honorable Nadine K. Nakamura
Speaker, House of Representatives
Thirty-Third State Legislature
Regular Session of 2025
State of Hawaii

Madame:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred S.B. No. 439, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to require the Board of Land and Natural Resources to adopt rules to impose seasonal user fees that apply solely to nonresidents visiting state parks and trails.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Hawai'i Reef and Ocean Coalition; Kohala Coast Resort Association; Care for 'Āina Now Coalition; Resources Legacy Fund; Coalition Earth; and one individual. Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Department of Land and Natural Resources; Tax Foundation of Hawaii; and Maui Chamber of Commerce.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 439, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Finance,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'K. T. Yamashita', written in a cursive style.

KYLE T. YAMASHITA, Chair



