

JOSH GREEN, M.D.
GOVERNOR
KE KIA'ĀINA



GOV. MSG. NO. 1172

EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
KE KE'ENA O KE KIA'ĀINA

May 19, 2025

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate,
and Members of the Senate
Thirty-Third State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 409
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

The Honorable Nadine Nakamura
Speaker, and Members of the
House of Representatives
Thirty-Third State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 431
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Aloha President Kouchi, Speaker Nakamura, and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on May 19, 2025, the following bill was signed into law:

S.B. NO. 405, S.D. 1,
H.D. 1, C.D. 1

RELATING TO NEIGHBORHOOD BOARD MEETINGS.
ACT 072

Mahalo,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Josh Green M.D.".

Josh Green, M.D.
Governor, State of Hawai'i

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO NEIGHBORHOOD BOARD MEETINGS.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 92-81, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by amending subsections (b) and (c) to read as follows:

3 "(b) The agenda required to be included in written public
4 notice of a neighborhood board meeting may include an
5 opportunity for the board to receive public input and
6 third-party reports from any government official on issues not
7 specifically noticed for consideration at the forthcoming
8 meeting.

9 (c) Any matter raised as part of the public input agenda
10 or third-party reports from any government official allowed
11 under subsection (b) may be discussed and information on the
12 matter may be received by the board at the meeting; provided
13 that the board shall not make a decision relating to [~~the~~
14 ~~matter.~~] any of those matters. The board may make decisions on
15 matters originally raised as part of a public input agenda item
16 or raised by a third-party report from any government official



1 only at a later meeting, where the agenda for the meeting shall
2 give notice of decision-making on the matter."

3 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
4 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

5 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.



S.B. NO.

405
S.D. 1
H.D. 1
C.D. 1

APPROVED this 19th day of May, 2025

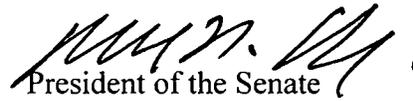


GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAI‘I

Date: April 30, 2025
Honolulu, Hawai‘i 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill this day passed Final Reading in the Senate of the Thirty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawai‘i, Regular Session of 2025.



President of the Senate



Clerk of the Senate

SB No. 405, SD 1, HD 1, CD 1

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: April 30, 2025
Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives of the Thirty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2025.



Nadine K. Nakamura
Speaker
House of Representatives



Brian L. Takeshita
Chief Clerk
House of Representatives