

PUBLIC HEARING

MAY 13, 2026

A public hearing of the Council of the County of Kauaʻi was called to order by Mel Rapozo, Council Chair, on Wednesday, May 13, 2026, at 5:42 p.m., at the Council Chambers, 4396 Rice Street, Suite 201, and Meeting Room 106, Historic County Building, Līhuʻe, and the presence of the following was noted:

Honorable Addison Bulosan
Honorable Felicia Cowden
Honorable Arryl Kaneshiro
Honorable KipuKai Kualīʻi
Honorable Mel Rapozo

Excused: Honorable Bernard P. Carvalho, Jr.
Honorable Fern Holland

Pursuant to Hawaiʻi Revised Statutes Section 92-9(a)(4), because a video recording of this meeting is available online, this is to provide a link to the video recording (valid as of the approval date of these minutes): https://kauai.granicus.com/player/clip/3079?view_id=2&redirect=true. Additionally, meeting videos are available at: www.kauai.gov/Government/Council/Webcast-Meetings.

The Clerk read the notice of the public hearing on the following:

“Resolution No. 2026-11 – RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING THE REAL PROPERTY TAX RATES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2026 TO JUNE 30, 2027 FOR THE COUNTY OF KAUAʻI,”

which was passed on first reading and ordered to print by the Council of the County of Kauaʻi on March 25, 2026, and published in The Garden Island newspaper on March 28, 2026.

The hearing proceeded as follows:

JADE K. FOUNTAIN-TANIGAWA, County Clerk: Pursuant to Section 5A-6.3 of the Kauaʻi County Code 1987, as amended, the Kauaʻi County Council hereby announces its intention to fix the Real Property Tax Rates for Fiscal Year 2026-2027 on June 3, 2026 at 8:30 a.m. or soon thereafter in the Council Chambers located at 4396 Rice Street, Suite 201, Historic County Building in Līhuʻe.

Council Chair Rapozo: Do we have any registered speakers?

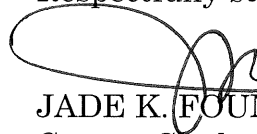
Ms. Fountain-Tanigawa: We have no registered speakers.

Council Chair Rapozo: Is there anyone in the audience wishing to testify on Resolution No. 2026-11? Seeing none, the public hearing is closed.

(Note: No one from the public testified on the Resolution via oral testimony taken at the beginning of the meeting via the Zoom remote technology platform. Additionally, no one from the public testified at Meeting Room 106.)

There being no public testimony on this matter, the public hearing adjourned at 5:42 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



JADE K. FOUNTAIN-TANIGAWA
County Clerk

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