

PUBLIC HEARING

MAY 20, 2026

A public hearing of the Council of the County of Kaua'i was called to order by Mel Rapozo, Council Chair, on Wednesday, May 20, 2026, at 8:30 a.m., at the Council Chambers, 4396 Rice Street, Suite 201, and Meeting Room 106, Historic County Building, Līhu'e, Kaua'i, and the presence of the following was noted:

Honorable Addison Bulosan
Honorable Fern Holland
Honorable Bernard P. Carvalho, Jr.
Honorable Felicia Cowden
Honorable Arryl Kaneshiro
Honorable Mel Rapozo

Excused: Honorable KipuKai Kuali'i

Pursuant to Hawai'i 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/3083?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:

“Bill No. 2993 – A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. B-2025-905, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO THE OPERATING BUDGET OF THE COUNTY OF KAUAI, STATE OF HAWAII, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2025 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2026, BY REVISING THE AMOUNTS ESTIMATED IN THE GENERAL FUND (*General Liability and Auto Claims, and Health Fund Contribution – \$1,445,000.00*),”

which was passed on first reading and ordered to print by the Council of the County of Kaua'i on April 22, 2026, and published in The Garden Island newspaper on April 30, 2026.

Council Chair Rapozo: Is there anyone registered to speak?

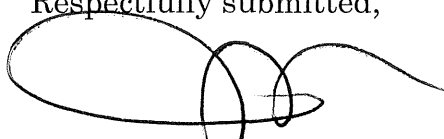
JADE K. FOUNTAIN-TANIGAWA, County Clerk: Council Chair, we have no registered speakers. We also have no written testimony.

Council Chair Rapozo: Is there anyone in the audience wishing to testify on Bill No. 2993? Seeing none, the public hearing is closed.

(Note: No one from the public testified on the Bill 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 8:31 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a large, stylized loop followed by a horizontal stroke and a small flourish.

JADE K. FOUNTAIN-TANIGAWA
County Clerk

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