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Providing responses to these items will help the Commission's deliberations, especially when additional information or research is required. Please be aware that these documents will be part of the public record and may be available to the public.

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Charter Amendment Proposal Form

1. Please provide a brief description of: The Proposed Charter amendment, the purpose of the proposed Charter amendment, the issue or problem to be addressed by the proposal, and how the proposal would address the issue or problem.:

To amend the Charter to terminate the semi-autonomy of the Honolulu Rapid Transit Authority (HART) and return full control and authority for the construction of the Rail Project to the City & County of Honolulu - the Mayor and Council. The autonomous Transit Authority continues to challenge the direction of the Mayor and members of the City Council, though reliant on the City & County, HART has taken charge and the direction set by HART is not in harmony with the priorities for the City & County of Honolulu. Honolulu City & County is the specified grant recipient of funds from Federal Transit Authority (FTA). As the recipient of FTA funds and as responsible for Gross Excise Tax (GET) collections the Honolulu City & County Government should have the final decision on all matters relating to the Rail Project. Based on my request for government records, responses from the Mayor, the Chair of the Council and members of the Council, records on the Rail Project are maintained and in the custody and control of HART. As the final decision makers this is an breach of the fiduciary responsibility that rests with the Mayor and Council of the City & County of Honolulu.

2. If applicable, list the Charter provision(s) affected by the proposal::

N/A

3. If the proposal is based on a provision or provisions in the charter or laws of another jurisdiction (e.g., another county, city, or municipality), name the jurisdiction and, if possible, attach a copy of each provision or law.:

N/A

Relevant Provision:

N/A

4. If the proposal is based on any written materials you have, please attach a copy of each with a citation to its source.:

N/A

5. Attach the text of the proposed Charter amendment in Ramseyer format (see instructions below).:

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- AMENDING AN EXISTING CHARTER PROVISION: Indicate by <u>underscoring</u>, any language being proposed to be added to the Charter and indicate by [bracketing], any language being proposed to be deleted from the Charter.
- REPLACING AN EXISTING CHARTER PROVISION: [Bracket] the article, chapter, or section of the Charter proposed to be deleted, and underscore the text of any provision proposed to replace the deleted material.
- **ADDING A NEW CHARTER PROVISION**: Provide the text of the new provision and, if possible, indicate where in the Charter the new material should be added.

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All proposals must be submitted by October 31, 2015.

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