CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

STATEMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC ON AGENDA ITEMS

COMMUNICATIONS

From Finance Director Deanna Sako, dated September 27, 2016, transmitting the above report pursuant to Hawai‘i County Code Section 2-12.3.

From Controller Kay Oshiro, dated September 21, 2016.
Comm. 33.30: REPORT OF FUND TRANSFERS AUTHORIZED: SEPTEMBER 1 - 15, 2016
From Controller Kay Oshiro, dated September 21, 2016.

From Council Member Aaron S. Y. Chung, dated September 20, 2016.

ORDER OF RESOLUTIONS

Res. 667-16: AUTHORIZES THE PAYMENT OF FUNDS OF A LATER FISCAL YEAR AND OF MORE THAN ONE FISCAL YEAR FOR A MULTI-YEAR AGREEMENT FOR DIRECT INTERNET ACCESS AT THE WEST HAWAI‘I CIVIC CENTER
Authorizes the Mayor to enter into a multi-year agreement to increase the internet bandwidth speed from 25 megabytes to between 50 and 100 megabytes.

Reference: Comm. 1085
Intr. by: Ms. Eoff

BILLS FOR ORDINANCES

Bill 218: AMENDS CHAPTER 19, ARTICLE 7, SECTION 19-57 AND ADDS A NEW SECTION TO CHAPTER 19, ARTICLE 8, OF THE HAWAI‘I COUNTY CODE 1983 (2005 EDITION, AS AMENDED), RELATING TO EXEMPTIONS FROM REAL PROPERTY TAX BY WAY OF DEDICATION OF LAND FOR AGRICULTURAL USE
Revises the non-dedicated agricultural use assessment program and establishes a short-term dedicated agricultural use assessment program.

Reference: Comm. 923
Intr. by: Ms. Wille
Postponed: July 18, September 20, and October 4, 2016

(Note: There is a motion by Ms. Wille, seconded by Ms. Poindexter, to recommend passage of Bill 218 on first reading.)

Adds an inspection and decision notification process, amends provisions relating to imposition of a deferred tax, and adds agricultural waste lands to the non-dedicated agricultural use assessment program.

Reference: Comm. 924
Intr. by: Mr. Ilagan
Postponed: July 18, September 20, and October 4, 2016

(Note: There is a motion by Mr. Ilagan, seconded by Mr. Onishi, to recommend passage of Bill 219 on first reading.)

ADJOURNMENT

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• Waimea Council Office, Holomua Center, 64-1067 Māmalahoa Highway, Suite 5.

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• Conference room adjacent to Intergenerational Building, Kamehameha Park Complex, 54-382 Kamehameha Park Road, Kapa‘au;
• Nā‘ālehu State Office Building, 95-5669 Māmalahoa Highway, Nā‘ālehu; and
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