



Information Technology Steering Committee (ITSC) Meeting
May 28, 2026, 3:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
1151 Punchbowl Street, Conference Room B-30, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

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AGENDA

- I. Call to Order & Quorum Confirmation
- II. IT Steering Committee Members
 - a. Welcome and introduce the newest member, Bradley "Brad" Christ.
- III. Review and Approval of the February 26, 2026, Meeting Minutes
- IV. Public Testimony

Individuals who are unable to provide testimony at this time will be allowed an opportunity to testify when specific agenda items are called.

In accordance with Hawaii Revised Statutes, Section 92-3, and the Committee's prior vote on August 28, 2025, testimony will be limited to three minutes per speaker per agenda item, at the discretion of the Chair to modify this limit at any given meeting.

Individuals may provide oral testimony at the meeting or may submit written testimony in advance of the meeting via e-mail to ets@hawaii.gov, or via mail addressed to 1151 Punchbowl Street, B-10, Honolulu, HI, 96813, Subject: *ITSC Testimony*.

- V. Legislative Updates

Provide an update on the bills related to the Office of Enterprise Technology Services (ETS) from the 2026 Legislative Session.

- a. [HB1800](#) [HD1](#) [SD1](#) [CD1](#) - RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET
Adjusts and requests appropriations for fiscal biennium 2025-2027 funding requirements for operations and capital improvement projects of Executive Branch agencies and programs.

- b. [HB2095](#) [HD2](#) [SD2](#) [CD1](#) - RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY
Appropriates supplemental funds for the Judiciary for the fiscal biennium beginning 7/1/2025 and ending 6/30/2027.
- c. [HB2137](#) [HD3](#) [SD2](#) [CD1](#) - RELATING TO ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE
Prohibits certain harmful uses of realistic digital imitations generated by artificial intelligence (AI). Establishes certain exemptions. Provides for civil actions and civil remedies for individuals injured by unauthorized AI-generated realistic digital imitations.
- d. [HCR206](#) [HD1](#) - Requesting the Hawaii state energy office to convene a working group to study the potential impacts of large data centers on Hawaii's electric utilities, ratepayers, natural resources, and climate goals.
- e. [SB2673](#) [SD1](#) [HD1](#) [CD1](#) - RELATING TO THE COUNTIES
Requires a statewide permitting data standard developed collaboratively by the Office of Planning and Sustainable Development, county permitting agencies, and the Chief Data Officer. Requires each county to publish monthly updates of building and civil engineering permit data in accordance with that standard. Requires a report to the Legislature.
- f. [SB3001](#) [SD2](#) [HD3](#) [CD1](#) - RELATING TO ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE
Requires operators of AI companions in the State to issue certain disclosures to users. Requires operators to develop certain protocols to respond to user prompts regarding suicidal ideation or self-harm. Establishes protections for users and minor users of AI companions. Beginning 1/1/2028, requires operators to submit annual reports to the Behavioral Health Administration of the Department of Health containing certain information. Establishes that violations are to be considered unfair or deceptive acts or practices.
- g. [SR155](#) [SD1](#) / [SCR164](#) [SD1](#) - Prioritizing efforts to protect Hawaii's critical infrastructure from foreign influence.

These are all the bills ETS followed this legislative session that were passed and now awaiting signature by Gov. Green to become law. Of these bills, only three directly affect ETS:

HB2095 - ETS provided testimony in support of the Judiciary hiring two cybersecurity staff. The new staff will work directly with ETS on cybersecurity.

SB2693 - This bill asks the CDO to support the Office of Planning and Sustainable Development in creating a system for the counties to post building permit data online for the public to view. This is an unfunded mandate so it will likely only involve planning meetings and ETS may ask the legislature in 2027 for funding.

SCR 164 and SR 155 - These resolutions seek to protect Hawaii's critical infrastructure from foreign influence. The CIO is mentioned with several other state leaders and departments "who have significant authority over critical infrastructure and supply chains for food, energy, and similar dependencies, are requested to minimize foreign influence and prioritize the State's resilience, security, and local control of critical infrastructure and supply chains in all plans, projects, programs," to prioritize security for critical infrastructure; rapidly accelerate efforts to eliminate the State's dependence on imported food, energy, and other necessities as quickly

as possible; and minimize the State's exposure to the volatility, risk, and impacts of foreign influence and events.

Other bills that are of general interest including the budget, bills relating to AI, and a working group to look into data centers (ETS is not part of that working group.)

VI. Statewide Enterprise Financial System Project – Status Update

Provide an update on the status of the Statewide Enterprise Financial System project procurement, discuss current activities and next steps for the project.

<https://hiepro.ehawaii.gov/public-display-award.html?fromAwardSearch=1&rfid=18368>

VII. Good of the Order

a. Announcements

b. Next Meeting: August 27, 2026.

VIII. Adjournment

This interactive conference technology meeting will allow participants to enable live closed captioning during the meeting.

The ITSC meeting packet will be available at <https://ets.hawaii.gov/it-steering-committee/>.

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