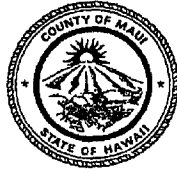


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Dear Chair Sugimura:

SUBJECT: ONE FARM PLAN PEA-37

The attached response of July 12, 2017 also appears to be relevant to PEA-37.

Please feel free to call me at 270-7816 if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

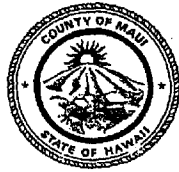


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Dear Chair Sugimura:

SUBJECT: FEDERAL FOOD SAFETY MODERNIZATION ACT (FSMA) (PEA-29)

As requested in your letter of June 7, 2017, we have reviewed the list of requirements under Section 14.10.010, Maui County Code (Code). The Department of Water Supply recommends amending the Code to continue to provide adequate, yet reasonable documentation by changing the following:

1. Revise the requirement for Form G-45 to Form G-49, General Excise/Use Annual Return & Reconciliation.
2. Revise the annual requirement for: consumer's filed Internal Revenue Service Profit or Loss from Farming Schedule F; age of the commercial crop or stock; five-year timeline of projected annual gross income; and a site-plan. This information should be provided with the first application and only as requested by the Department of Water Supply thereafter.

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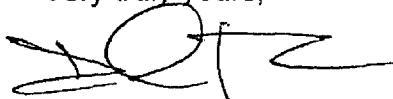
3. Revise Maui County Code Section 14.01.040 to read:

"Agricultural consumer" means a consumer that actively engages in crop production, livestock raising, dairy farming, or aquaculture for commercial production, and whose minimum gross income from such activities is \$5,000.

We believe the foregoing changes will alleviate some of the administrative burden for agricultural consumers while providing reasonable documentation to help us ascertain legitimate agricultural water consumption. We hope you are able to propose these changes.

Please feel free to call me at 270-7816 if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'DT', with a large circular flourish above the letters.

DAVID TAYLOR, P.E.
Director

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