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November 20, 2023

OFFICE OF THE

Honorable Tom Cook, Chair Water and Infrastructure Committee Council of the County of Maui Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

Dear Chair Cook:

Respectfully transmitted is a copy of Bill No. 120 (2023), entitled "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI TO ENTER INTO AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT WITH THE STATE OF HAWAII, DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES, REGARDING THE ISSUANCE OF A MANAGEMENT RIGHT-OF-ENTRY FOR THE LAHAINA WILDFIRE FINAL DISPOSTION PROJECT" that was referred to your Committee by the Council of the County of Maui at its meeting of November 20, 2023.

Also transmitted for your convenience is a copy of a communication received from the Director of Environmental Management.

Respectfully,

MOANA M. LUTEY County/Clerk

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Enclosure

cc: Director of Council Services

RICHARD T. BISSEN, JR. Mayor

SHAYNE R. AGAWA, P.E. Director

ROBERT SCHMIDT Deputy Director

MICHAEL KEHANO, P.E. Solid Waste Division

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Environmental Protection & Sustainability Division





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## COUNTY OF MAUI DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

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November 13, 2023

Honorable Richard T. Bissen, Jr. Mayor, County of Maui 200 S. High Street Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

For transmittal to:

Honorable Alice L. Lee, Chair and Members of the Maui County Council 200 S. High Street Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

Dear Chair Lee and Members

SUBJECT: PROPOSED BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE

MAYOR OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI TO ENTER INTO AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT WITH THE STATE OF HAWAII, DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES ("DLNR"), REGARDING THE ISSUANCE OF A MANAGEMENT RIGHT-OF-ENTRY ("ROE") FOR THE LAHAINA WILDFIRE

FINAL DISPOSITION PROJECT

I am transmitting a proposed bill entitled "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI TO ENTER INTO AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT WITH THE STATE OF HAWAII, DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES, REGARDING THE ISSUANCE OF A MANAGEMENT RIGHT-OF-ENTRY FOR THE LAHAINA WILDFIRE FINAL DISPOSITION PROJECT."

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The purpose of the proposed bill is to authorize the Mayor to enter into an intergovernmental agreement with DLNR for a ROE to a parcel situated in Olowalu to be used for the Lahaina Wildfire Final Disposition project.

On Friday, October 27, 2023, the Board of Land and Natural Resources ("BLNR") approved the issuance of an Immediate ROE Permit to the County of Maui for wildfire debris landfill and ancillary purposes.

The County of Maui was granted a ROE permit to utilize parcels identified as Tax Map Key (2) 4-8-003:007 and (2) 4-8-003:008 (por.) consisting of 52 acres and 0.7 acre, respectively. This ROE shall be effective upon the County's execution of the BLNR approved immediate management ROE permit and shall expire in one year or upon execution of the set-aside of government lands by Governor's Executive Order for the Proposed Lahaina Wildfire Final Disposition Project site, whichever occurs first. The BLNR Chairperson is authorized to continue the ROE for additional one-year periods for good cause shown.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter and should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at ext. 8230.

Respectfully,

SHAYNE R. AGAWA, P.E.

Director of Environmental Management

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Attachments