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April 18, 2018

Riki Hokama, Chair
Budget & Finance Committee
200 S. High Street
Wailuku, HI 96793

Dear Chair Hokama:

SUBJECT: Maka`alae Purchase

I would like to propose an transfer of \$10,000 from the Open Space Fund for the purchase of the Maka`alae Lands. This parcel consists of 46 acres (TMK#s: 1-4-12-02, 21, 01, 17, 27, 28 & 29, map attached). The requested sum will be used to process the eventual acquisition costs, such as, appraisal and ancillary documentation. If there are any questions or comments, please address them to my office. Thank you for your kind consideration concerning this matter.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robert Carroll".

ROBERT CARROLL
Councilmember, East Maui

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Attachments

Ke Ao Hali'i
Save the Hana Coast
HC1 Box 6, Hana, HI 96713

April 17, 2018

Mayor Alan Arakawa
County of Maui
VIA E-MAIL – Mayors.Office@co.maui.hi.us

Re: Open-space Funds for Acquisition of Maka'alaie Lands

Aloha Mayor Arakawa,

Ke Ao Hali'i is a local Hana group recently organized to "Save the Hana Coast." It is the long-term purpose of the organization to acquire, or otherwise work with governmental or other land trust partners to protect, Hana lands for conservation, open space, agriculture and traditional Hawaiian cultural practice.

We are in discussions with Hana Ranch Partners regarding 46 acres of the Maka'alaie coastline. This property includes some of the most pristine coastline in East Maui. The 46 acres includes TMK #s – 1-4-12-02, 21, 22, 01, 17, 27, 28, & 29 (see attached map).

We are requesting that monies in the amount of \$1,500,000 from the County Open Space Fund budget be earmarked for assisting with this purchase.

We would be glad to meet with you to discuss the organization, its intention and answer questions you might have.

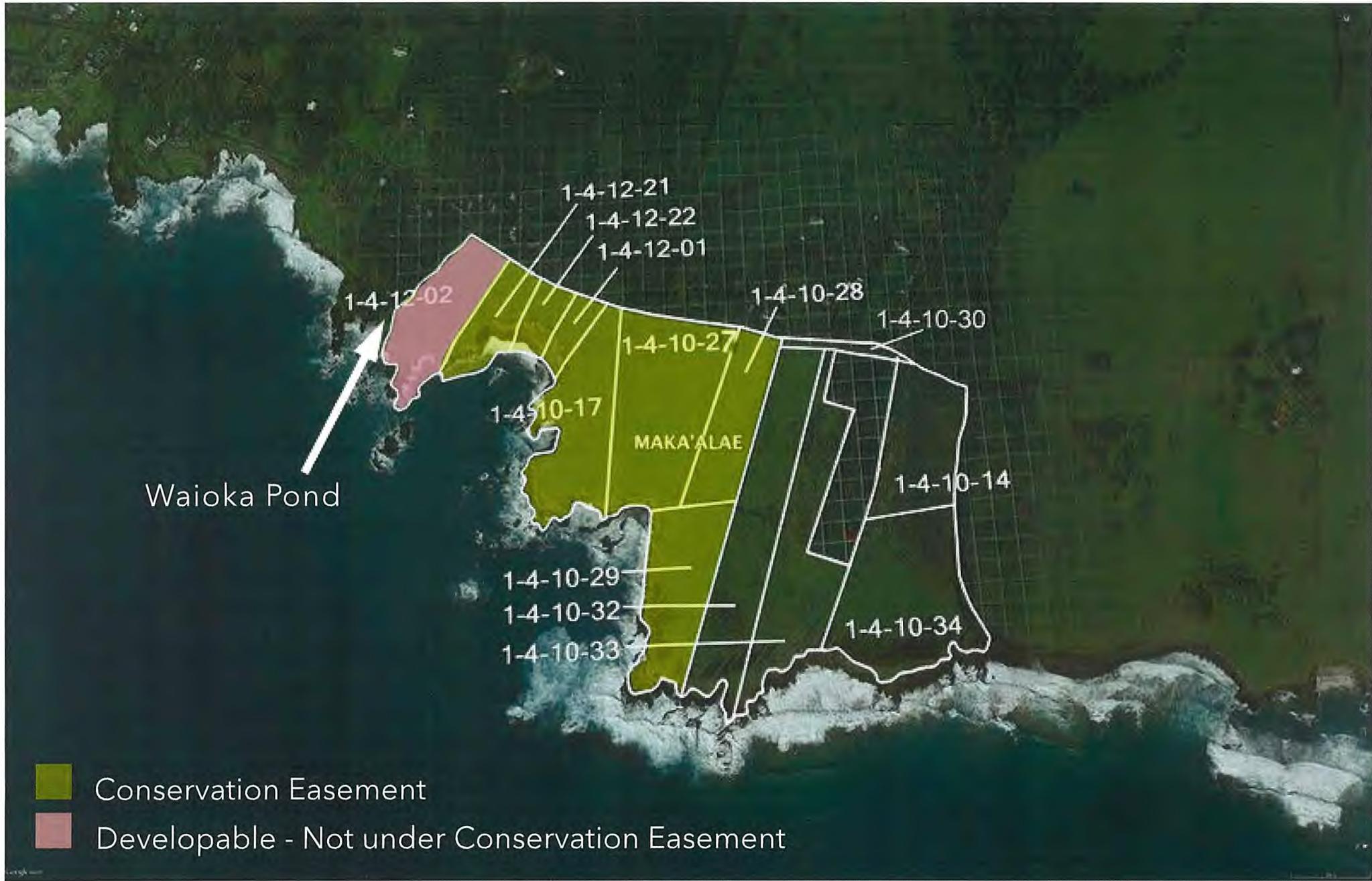
We appreciate your support in allocating these funds.

Mahalo nui loa,



Scott Crawford, President
Ka Ao Hali'i
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cc: Councilmember Robert Carroll, East Maui



Morris Haole

From: Zeke Kalua <Zeke.Kalua@co.maui.hi.us>
Sent: Wednesday, April 18, 2018 8:19 AM
To: scott@aloha.net; Mayors Office
Cc: Dawn Lono; Morris Haole; Robert Carroll
Subject: Re: Open Space Fund request for Maka'alaie

Aloha Mr. Crawford,

Mahalo for this letter requesting the purchase of the Maka'alaie property in Hana. I will see that the Mayor has the opportunity to look at this at his earliest convenience, for his consideration.

I attended the Hana Council budget hearing last Thursday and did take note that the testimony that evening reflected the consensus of support from the community at large regarding the potential acquisition of this said property. I personally would agree that the acquisition of this parcel could be managed by the community as is the current situation at Mu'olea Point, and could allow for managed access to these very important lands as described by many in attendance at the meeting.

Me ka ha'aha'a,



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>>> Scott Crawford <scott@aloha.net> 4/17/2018 11:48 PM >>>

Aloha Mayor Arakawa,

Attached is a letter requesting Maui Open Space funds for acquisition of Maka'alaie lands in Hana, on behalf of Ke Ao Hali'i, a Hana community nonprofit organization.

Mahalo,
Scott Crawford
President