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Via email only at county.clerk@mauicounty.us

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

SUBJECT: A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF

THE COUNTY OF MAUI TO ENTER INTO AN

INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT WITH THE STATE OF HAWAI'I AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS ON PROCEEDS RELATING

TO THE SETTLEMENT OF OPIOID LITIGATION

Dear Chair Lee and Council Members:

Pursuant to Section 2.20.020. Maui County Code, we are requesting an authorization for the Mayor to enter into an intergovernmental agreement with the State of Hawai'i and local governments regarding proceeds relating to the settlement of opioid litigation.

Please find attached separately 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 HAWAI'I AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS ON PROCEEDS RELATING TO THE SETTLEMENT OF OPIOID LITIGATION."

Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us. Thank you for your anticipated assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

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Tracy N. T. Fujita, Director, Office of Council Services, County of Maui cc: Attachments