

# REQUEST FOR LEGAL SERVICES

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From: Yuki Lei Sugimura, Chair

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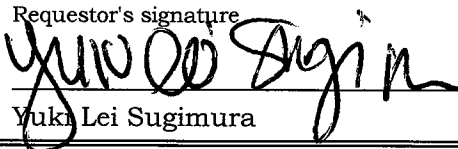
DEPARTMENT OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL  
Attention: Edward S. Kushi, Jr., Esq.

Subject: **MAUI COUNTY LEGISLATIVE PACKAGE (2018 MAUI COUNTY LEGISLATIVE PACKAGE)**  
(PEA-4(1))

Background Data: Please review the proposed resolution and approve as to form and legality. Please also include the signed hard copy in your response.

Work Requested:  FOR APPROVAL AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY  
 OTHER:

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Requestor's signature  Yuki Lei Sugimura	Contact Person <u>Shelly Espeleta</u> (Telephone Extension: 7134)
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- ROUTINE (WITHIN 15 WORKING DAYS)
- PRIORITY (WITHIN 10 WORKING DAYS)
- RUSH (WITHIN 5 WORKING DAYS)
- URGENT (WITHIN 3 WORKING DAYS)

SPECIFY DUE DATE (IF IMPOSED BY SPECIFIC CIRCUMSTANCES): November 3, 2017, 9 a.m.  
REASON: To meet posting deadline for the November 13, 2017 PEA meeting.

### FOR CORPORATION COUNSEL'S RESPONSE

ASSIGNED TO: <u>ESK</u>	ASSIGNMENT NO. <u>2017-0098</u>	BY: <u>JKM</u>
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TO REQUESTOR:  APPROVED  DISAPPROVED  OTHER (SEE COMMENTS BELOW)  
 RETURNING--PLEASE EXPAND AND PROVIDE DETAILS REGARDING ITEMS AS NOTED

COMMENTS (NOTE - THIS SECTION NOT TO BE USED FOR LEGAL ADVICE):  
as noted

DEPARTMENT OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL

Date 11/2/17

By 

(Rev. 7/03)

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Attachment

# Resolution

No. \_\_\_\_\_

URGING THE STATE OF HAWAII LEGISLATIVE  
REFERENCE BUREAU TO REPORT TO THE  
STATE LEGISLATURE ON THE LEVEL OF  
ENFORCEMENT FOR EACH COUNTY'S VICTIM  
WITNESS ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the Victim Witness Assistance Division began in 1982 as a unit of the Department of the Prosecuting Attorney in all counties in the State; and

WHEREAS, the Division is part of a statewide network of victim and witness services provided under the guidelines of the State Attorney General; and

WHEREAS, the County of Maui is considering a proposal to include in the 2018 Maui County Legislative Package a State bill relating to enforcement of the Basic Bill of Rights for Victims and Witnesses by holding implementing parties accountable; and

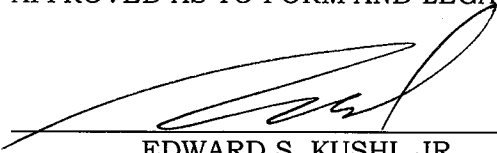
WHEREAS, prior to doing so, the County of Maui urges the State of Hawaii Legislative Reference Bureau to provide supporting annual data on the level of enforcement for each county's Victim Witness Assistance Program; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the County of Maui:

1. That it hereby urges the State of Hawaii Legislative Reference Bureau to report to the State Legislature on the level of enforcement for each county's Victim Witness Assistance Program; and
2. That certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to the Mayor, County of Maui; the Governor, State of Hawaii; the Senate President, State of Hawaii; the Speaker of the House of Representatives, State of Hawaii; and the Legislative Reference Bureau, State of Hawaii.

**Resolution No.** \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY



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EDWARD S. KUSHI, JR.  
First Deputy Corporation Counsel  
County of Maui