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April 11, 2018

Ms. Carol Reimann, Director
Department of Housing and Human Concerns
County of Maui
Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

Dear Ms. Reimann:

SUBJECT: FISCAL YEAR ("FY") 2019 BUDGET (HC-3) (BF-1)

May I request you respond to the following:

1. As it relates to the First-Time Homebuyer Program:
 - a. Provide all appropriations for the program by FY, amount of the appropriation, and grants provided through the program. Include a list of all recipients, year the home was purchased, purchase price, and indicate whether the recipient still owns and occupies the home.
 - b. Is there a monitoring period for the program? If so, explain the monitoring process, the period for monitoring, who does the monitoring, and a copy of the annual report for each home purchased through the program.
2. As it relates to grants and disbursements for Partners in Development Foundation, provide the purpose of the grant and the rationale for proposing funding.
3. In FY 2018, a Housing Assessment Specialist position was funded. Provide the status of the position, and include a copy of the position description.

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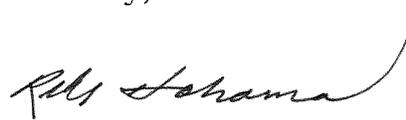
4. On page 8-8 of the Budget Details, please explain "Additional funding for anticipated increase in staff turnover."
5. On page 8-10 of the Budget Details, explain the request for \$500,000 to hire entitlement consultants for affordable housing projects on County-owned properties.

May I further request you provide your response no later than **Monday, April 16, 2018**, to enable the Committee to comprehensively review the FY 2019 budget.

To ensure efficient process, please duplicate the coding in the subject line above for easy reference.

Should you have any questions, please contact me or the Committee staff (Michele Yoshimura at ext. 7663, Shelly Espeleta at ext. 7134, Maggie Clark at ext. 7661, or Yvette Bouthillier at ext. 7758).

Sincerely,



RIKI HOKAMA, Chair
Budget and Finance Committee

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cc: Mayor Alan M. Arakawa
Budget Director