

OUNTY OF MANIA

COUNCIL OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI

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## DISASTER, RESILIENCE, INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS, AND PLANNING COMMITTEE (2023-2025)

Thursday, September 14, 2023 9:00 a.m.

#### **MEETING SITE:**

Online via BlueJeans: https://bluejeans.com/947335931

Phone testimony: 1-408-915-6290, code 947 335 931
In-person testimony and viewing: Council Chamber, Kalana O
Maui Building, 8th Floor, 200 South High Street, Wailuku,
Hawaii

## <u>AGENDA</u>

# POTENTIAL COUNCIL INVESTIGATION RELATING TO THE AUGUST 2023 WILDFIRES ON MAUI ISLAND (DRIP-2(11))

**Description:** Under Rule 7(B) of the Rules of the Council, the Committee intends to

discuss a potential Council investigation relating to the August 2023

wildfires on Maui Island.

<u>Status:</u> The Committee may discuss a potential Council investigation relating to the August 2023 wildfires on Maui Island and other related matters. No

legislative action will be taken.

Correspondence from Committee Chair 09-08-2023

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#### CONTACT INFORMATION

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#### COMMITTEE STAFF

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#### **BOARD PACKETS**

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This meeting is being conducted in accordance with Section 92-3.7, HRS. Nothing said in the meeting or included in the agenda is intended to create obligations in excess of those required under Section 92-3.7, HRS.

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Video testimony via BlueJeans link: https://bluejeans.com/947335931

Oral testimony via phone by dialing: 1-408-915-6290 and entering meeting code 947 335 931

In-person testimony and viewing: Council Chamber, Kalana O Maui Building, 8th Floor, 200 South High Street, Wailuku, Hawaii

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MEDB Building Lāna'i District Office

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(808) 793-0012 (808) 565-7094

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