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BILL NO	80	(2025)

A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 3.36, MAUI COUNTY CODE, RELATING TO THE MAUI COUNTY GRANTS PROGRAM

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI:

SECTION 1. This Ordinance's purpose is to establish criteria under Chapter 3.36, Maui County Code, for applicants who are sole proprietors to qualify for County grants administered by the Department of Agriculture under Chapter 22.02, Maui County Code.

SECTION 2. Section 3.36.040, Maui County Code, is amended to read as follows:

- "3.36.040 Qualifying standards for applicants. An applicant for a grant or loan [shall meet all of the following standards:] must:
- A. [Be a profit organization incorporated under the laws of the State of Hawaii, or a nonprofit organization determined to be exempt from federal income tax by the Internal Revenue Service;] Be one of the following:
 - 1. A for-profit organization incorporated under the laws of the State of Hawaii; or
 - 2. A nonprofit organization that:
 - a. Is determined to be exempt from federal income tax by the Internal Revenue Service; and
 - b. Has a governing board whose members have no material conflict of interest and serve without compensation; or
 - 3. A sole proprietor, provided that:
 - a. The application is for a grant administered by the department of agriculture of the County of Maui; and
 - b. The sole proprietor operates in the County at the time of the application.

In the case of a nonprofit organization, have a governing board whose members have no material conflict of interest and serve without compensation:

Have bylaws or written policies which describe [C.] <u>B.</u> the manner in which business is conducted. [Such] The bylaws or written policies [shall] must include provisions relating to nepotism and management of potential conflict-of-interest situations[;].

Be licensed and accredited in accordance with D.1 C. applicable requirements of federal, state, and [County] county governments, as necessary. The applicant must provide, at a minimum, documentation which shows compliance with all applicable tax requirements."

SECTION 3. Material to be repealed is bracketed. New material is underscored. In printing this bill, the County Clerk need not include the brackets, the bracketed material, or the underscoring.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance takes effect on approval.

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

NĀHULU NUNOKAWA

Department of Corporation Counsel

County of Maui

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INTRODUCED BY:

Upon the request of the Mayor.

DIGEST

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I, MOANA M. LUTEY, County Clerk of the County of Maui, State of Hawaii, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing BILL NO. 80 (2025) was passed on First Reading by the Council of the County of Maui, State of Hawaii, on the 12th day of June, 2025, by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmembers Gabriel Johnson, Natalie A. Kama, Tamara A. M.

Paltin, Nohelani U'u-Hodgins, Vice-Chair Yuki Lei K. Sugimura, and

Chair Alice L. Lee.

EXCUSED: Councilmembers Tom Cook, Keani N. W. Rawlins-Fernandez, and

Shane M. Sinenci.

DATED at Wailuku, Maui, Hawaii, this 12th of June, 2025.

MOANA M. LUTEY, COUNTY CLERK COUNTY OF MAUI, STATE OF HAWAII

Copies of the foregoing Bill, in full, are on file in the Office of the County Clerk, County of Maui, for use and examination by the public.