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Honorable Richard T. Bissen, Jr. Mayor, County of Maui 200 S. High Street Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

For Transmittal to

Honorable Alice L. Lee, Chair, and Members of the Maui County Council 200 South High Street Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

Dear Chair Lee and Council Members:

SUBJECT: PROPOSED BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE

MAYOR OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE STATE OF HAWAII DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES

RELATED TO PI'IHOLO, OLINDA AND ALA LUANA ROADS

The Department is transmitting the attached proposed "BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE STATE OF HAWAII DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES RELATED TO PI'IHOLO, OLINDA AND ALA LUANA ROADS."

The purpose of this proposed ordinance is to authorize the Mayor to enter into an intergovernmental agreement with the State of Hawaii, Department of Land and Natural Resources, for an initial term of ten (10) years. The agreement will delineate the respective responsibilities of the State and County regarding the roadways of Pi'iholo, Olinda, and Ala Luana, located in the vicinity of the Waihou Spring Forest Reserve. The intent of this agreement is to formalize and memorialize the existing operational responsibilities between the State and County in this area as outlined in Exhibit "1" and Exhibit "A".

APPROVED FOR TRANSMITTAL

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The Department respectfully requests the Council's consideration and adoption of this ordinance at its next regular meeting. Thank you for your consideration of this request. Should you have any questions, please contact me at Ext. 7845.

Sincerely

JORDAN MOLINA

Director of Public Works