

## EAR Committee

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Dear County Council:

My name is Thomas Cooley I'm here on behalf of Maui Girls Softball Assoc. in support of EAR-54. Since I started coaching in 1995 in multiple sports such as Soccer, Basketball and Softball I've seen a huge shortage in fields and maintance of fields. This new sports complex is long over due for Maui and will bring much needed tournaments to bring teams from other Islands and the Mainland to help support our sports. With the new changes in the County of Maui Department of Parks & Recreation, I've seen huge improvements. The permitting process and maintance of fields is greatly improved. There is no doubt by entering in to an intergovernmental agreement with the State Board of Land and Natural resources this would be best for the Sports Complex and the future of our youth.

Thank you,

Thomas Cooley Commissioner MGSA