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December 19, 2024

Mr. Josiah Nishita, Managing Director
Department of Management
County of Maui
Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

Dear Mr. Nishita:

**SUBJECT: WILDFIRE RECOVERY GRANTS &
REIMBURSEMENTS (BFED-21(33))**

Thank you for your participation in the Budget, Finance, and Economic Development Committee's meeting of December 17, 2024, relating to the August 2023 Maui wildfire recovery grants and reimbursements.

May I please request your response to the following:

1. Provide a list of Hazard Mitigation Grant Program priority projects and alternate projects. Include the estimated cost of each project.
2. Provide a list of priority projects and alternate projects for which the County is requesting Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery assistance. Include the estimated cost of each project.
3. Provide a list of all grant funding sources being sought for wildfire recovery, including federal programs such as Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery and Hazard Mitigation Grant Program. For each grant, identify whether the grant will be paid directly to the County or through reimbursements.
4. For each reimbursement-based grant, provide a funding plan to include interim funding mechanisms or financial strategies to manage the timing of expenses and reimbursements. Please also

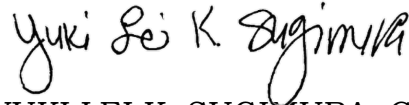
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include timetables describing when reimbursements will occur after expenditures.

May I further request you transmit your response to bfed.committee@mauicounty.us by **December 31, 2024**. To ensure efficient processing, please include the Committee item number in the subject line.

Should you have any questions, please contact me or the Committee staff (James Krueger at ext. 7761, or Yvette Bouthillier at ext. 7758).

Sincerely,



YUKI LEI K. SUGIMURA, Chair
Budget, Finance, and Economic
Development Committee

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cc: Mayor Richard T. Bissen, Jr.

BFED Committee

From: BFED Committee
Sent: Thursday, December 19, 2024 3:24 PM
To: Josiah Nishita
Cc: BFED Committee; Cynthia Sasada; 'Michelle Santos'; 'Zeke Kalua'
Subject: PLEASE READ attached letter re: (BFED-21(33)); reply by 12/31/2024
Attachments: 021(33)amd01.pdf

Mr. Nishita: Please refer to the attached letter from the Budget, Finance, and Economic Development (BFED) Committee Chair, dated December 19, 2024. Please respond by **December 31, 2024**.

Mayor's Office (attention: Michelle Santos and Zeke Kalua): Please forward the attached letter to Mayor Bissen for his information.

Thank you,
BFED Committee