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February 6, 2025

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

Dear Mr. Nishita:

SUBJECT: BILL 8 (2025), AMENDING THE FISCAL YEAR 2025

BUDGET: APPENDIX A, PART II, OPEN SPACE, NATURAL RESOURCES, CULTURAL RESOURCES, AND SCENIC VIEWS PRESERVATION FUND (BFED-22)

The Council's Budget, Finance, and Economic Development Committee discussed Bill 8 (2025) at its meeting of February 4, 2025.

May I please request your response to the following:

- 1. Please explain the proposed land swap with The Salvation Army for property located at 131 Shaw Street, Lahaina, to include the nature of The Salvation Army as an entity, the benefit of the land swap, and how the transaction would be valued.
- 2. Is The Salvation Army eligible for public assistance, and if so, have they applied for it? If they have applied, what is the purpose of their application? Please explain and provide additional information.

May I further request you transmit your response to bfed.committee@mauicounty.us by **February 19, 2025**. To ensure efficient processing, please include the Committee item number, BFED-22, in the subject line.

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Should you have any questions, please contact me or the Committee staff (Kirsten Szabo at ext. 7662, or Pauline Martins at ext. 8039).

Sincerely,

YUKI LEI K. SUGIMURA, Chair

Yuki Sei K. Suginula

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