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February 27, 2025

Mr. Jordan Molina, Director Department of Public Works County of Maui Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

Dear Mr. Molina:

SUBJECT: BILL 90 (2023), UTILITY LINES AND FACILITIES

(WAI-12)

May I please request your written response to the following:

- 1. Please provide a list of subdivisions developed within the last ten years, categorized by those that installed underground utility lines versus overhead utility lines.
- 2. Please provide any data on costs associated with undergrounding utilities versus overhead installation.
- 3. Please note any challenges or considerations the Department has observed in implementing underground utility requirements.
- 4. Please provide any relevant policies or exemptions that have influenced utility installation choices.

May I further request you transmit your response to wai.committee@mauicounty.us by **March 13, 2025**. To ensure efficient processing, please include WAI-12 in the subject line.

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Should you have any questions, please contact me or the Committee staff (Keone Hurdle at ext. 7659, or Lori Ann Tengan at ext. 7147).

Sincerely,

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TOM COOK, Chair

Water and Infrastructure Committee

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cc: Mayor Richard T. Bissen, Jr.
Deputy Director of Public Works