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February 12, 2024

Ms. Lori Tsuhako, Director Department of Housing and Human Concerns County of Maui Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

Dear Ms. Tsuhako:

## SUBJECT: UPDATE ON THE HOMEOWNER ASSISTANCE FUND PROGRAM UNDER THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT (HLU-3(12))

Thank you for participating in the Housing and Land Use Committee meeting of February 7, 2024, where you provided the Committee with a status update on the Homeowner Assistance Fund Program under the American Rescue Plan Act.

May I please request data on the estimated number of homeowners in the County in mortgage forbearance or delinquency.

May I further request a written response by **February 23, 2024**. If additional time is required to conduct outreach to other agencies for this information, please request an extension by February 23, 2024. To ensure efficient processing, please transmit your response to hlu.committee@mauicounty.us and include the relevant Committee item number in the subject line of your response. Ms. Lori Tsuhako February 12, 2024 Page 2

Should you have any questions, please contact me or the Committee staff (Ana Lillis at ext. 7659, or Maria Leon at ext. 7866).

Sincerely,

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TASHA KAMA, Chair Housing and Land Use Committee

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cc: Mayor Richard T. Bissen, Jr.