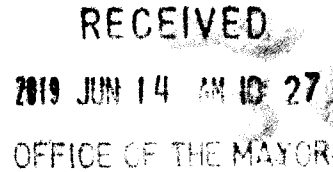
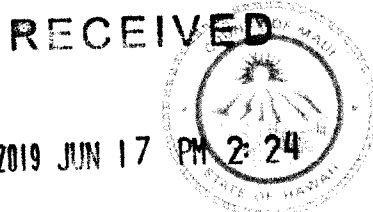


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Mayor Date

Dear Chair Lee:

**SUBJECT: MONTHLY SOURCE AND GROUNDWATER USE REPORTS**

Thank you for your June 12, 2019, letter regarding the above-referenced subject. We offer the following explanation in response to your question to why groundwater pumping at Haiku well was significantly lower for June – August 2018 compared to other months:

During the months of June - August 2018, the upper Haiku system suffered hydraulic pressure issues. This caused a gravity valve to open sooner and stay open longer than the Haiku well pump. As the well pump could not keep up with demand, we shifted to surface water source from the Kamole Water Treatment Facility and the Piiholo Water Treatment Facility until the issues were corrected by mid-August 2018.

We hope you find this information useful. Should further clarification be necessary, please contact me at Ext. 7834.

Sincerely,

*Helene Kau for*  
JEFFREY T. PEARSON, P.E.  
Director