

COUNCIL OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI

BUDGET, FINANCE, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

February 16, 2024

**Committee
Report No.** _____

Honorable Chair and Members
of the County Council
County of Maui
Wailuku, Maui, Hawaii

Chair and Members:

Your Budget, Finance, and Economic Development Committee, having met on January 23, 2024, makes reference to Bill 2 (2024), entitled “A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE FISCAL YEAR 2024 BUDGET FOR THE COUNTY OF MAUI, APPENDIX B, DEPARTMENT OF FIRE AND PUBLIC SAFETY, FEES – FIRE – PERMIT INSPECTION, ETC.”

Bill 2’s purpose is to amend the Fiscal Year 2024 Budget, Appendix B, Revenues - Fees, Rates, Assessments and Taxes, Department of Fire and Public Safety, General Fund, Fees - Fire - Permit Inspection, etc., to add a reimbursement fee for any additional cost incurred for inspections on commercial activities outside normal business hours or at distant locations, including Hāna, Molokai, and Lāna‘i.

Your Committee notes Ordinance 5566 established the Department’s authority to be reimbursed for fire inspections subject to the availability of inspectors and transportation, and with approval by the Fire Chief, provided the request is made with at least 48-hours’ notice and for a minimum of two hours.

Your Committee notes the reimbursement may include: employee overtime pay, airfare, travel per diem, meal allowance, automobile rental, employee fringe benefits, accommodations, and administrative costs.

Your Committee further notes the passage of Bill 2 authorizes the fee to be listed in Appendix B as required by Chapter 16.04D, Maui County Code.

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Your Committee voted 9-0 to recommend passage of Bill 2 (2024) on first reading. Committee Chair Sugimura, Vice-Chair Kama, and members Cook, Johnson, Lee, Paltin, Rawlins-Fernandez, Sinenci, and U‘u-Hodgins voted “aye.”

Your Budget, Finance, and Economic Development Committee RECOMMENDS that Bill 2 (2024), attached hereto, entitled “A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE FISCAL YEAR 2024 BUDGET FOR THE COUNTY OF MAUI, APPENDIX B, DEPARTMENT OF FIRE AND PUBLIC SAFETY, FEES – FIRE – PERMIT INSPECTION, ETC.,” be PASSED ON FIRST READING and be ORDERED TO PRINT.

This report is submitted in accordance with Rule 8 of the Rules of the Council.



YUKI LEI K. SUGIMURA, Chair

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ORDINANCE NO. _____

BILL NO. 2 (2024)

A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING
THE FISCAL YEAR 2024 BUDGET FOR THE COUNTY OF MAUI,
APPENDIX B, DEPARTMENT OF FIRE AND PUBLIC SAFETY,
FEES – FIRE – PERMIT INSPECTION, ETC.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI:

SECTION 1. Ordinance No. 5528, Bill No. 22, CD1, FD2 (2023), as amended, "Fiscal Year 2024 Budget", Appendix B, Revenues – Fees, Rates, Assessments and Taxes, Department of Fire and Public Safety, General Fund, Fees – Fire – Permit Inspection, etc. is amended to add "Inspections on commercial activities outside normal business hours or at distant locations" prior to "Reinspection charges after initial visit when corrections or portion of work have not been made or completed", to read as follows:

"COUNTY OF MAUI
REVENUES - FEES, RATES, ASSESSMENTS AND TAXES
DEPARTMENT OF FIRE AND PUBLIC SAFETY
GENERAL FUND

| ACCOUNT | REVENUE SOURCE | FEE, RATE, ASSESSMENT OR TAX | HRS | COUNTY CODE | ORDINANCE |
|---------|---------------------------------------|---|-----|-------------------|-------------|
| 3420 | Fees - Fire - Permit Inspection, etc. | Inspections conducted outside of normal business hours for the convenience of the requester or permittee.....\$75 per hour with 2 hour minimum | | 16.04D.030 | |
| | | <u>Inspections on commercial activities outside normal business hours or at distant locations: The permittee must reimburse the County for any additional cost incurred by the County to perform the requested inspection. Reimbursement may include: employee overtime pay, airfare, travel per diem, meal allowance, automobile rental, employee fringe benefits, accommodations, and administrative costs.</u> | | <u>16.04D.035</u> | <u>5566</u> |
| | | Reinspection charge after initial visit when corrections or portion of work have not been made or completed.....\$52 per hour per inspector | | 16.04D.030 | |
| | | Review and approval of plans for the installation of a fire protection or life safety system not associated with an active building permit; or review and approval of a fire protection or life safety system that has been modified after being reviewed and approved under an active building permit.....\$100 2 hours of review time | | | |
| | | Additional review time.....\$50 per hour or fraction thereof | | | |
| | | To store, use, handle compressed gases in amounts that exceed Table 1.12.8(a)\$100 annually | | 16.04D.150 | |
| | | For explosive materials as stated in Sec. 65.9.2\$100 annually | | | |

For flammable and combustible liquid tank of more than 60 gallons to 4,999 gallons..... \$100 each

For flammable and combustible liquid tank of 5,000 gallons or more..... \$200 each

To store, transport on site, dispense, use or handle hazardous materials in excess of amounts stated in Table 1.12.8(c)..... \$100 annually

For liquefied petroleum gas tank, in a commercial setting, that is fixed and permanent, filled on site ... \$100 each

For liquefied petroleum gas tanks greater than 124 gallon size..... \$100 each

3420 Fees - Fire - Permit Inspection, etc. (cont.)

To operate a place of assembly with occupant load of 300 or more persons in permitted structure... \$100 annually

For any event set up that requires a review and approval for fire code compliance as required by another county or state department. 16.04D.150

For any outdoor event that is open to the public, hosting 50 or more people, and any of the following is being conducted: 1. Outdoor cooking operations; 2. Use of temporary structures, tents, and/or canopies; 3. Access and egress of the attendees of the event are to be limited or constrained in some manner \$100 each

For installation or modification of any spray room, spray booth, or preparation work station, or to conduct a spraying or dipping operation utilizing flammable or combustible liquids or powder coating \$100 each

For installation or modification of any photovoltaic system not associated with a building permit \$100 each 16.04D.150

SECTION 2. New material is underscored.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance takes effect on approval.

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:



KRISTINA C. TOSHIKIYO
Deputy Corporation Counsel

INTRODUCED BY:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Charles A. See". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

Upon the request of the Mayor.