

EAR Committee

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Aloha

Attached is testimony for EAR-54.

Mahalo
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**TESTIMONY TO THE
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, ENERGY, AGRICULTURE, AND RECREATION
COMMITTEE
OF THE
MAUI COUNTY COUNCIL
May 17, 2016**

EAR-54

Chair Guzman, Vice Chair Cochran, and members of the Committee:

I support the passage of EAR-54 which authorizes the mayor to enter into an intergovernmental agreement with DLNR for the operation, use and maintenance of the Central Maui Regional Sports Complex.

First, I would like to thank the Maui County Council for its support, over these past few years, of this very important project for our young athletes and the entire Maui Community. Your support has allowed me and the Maui legislative delegation to successfully lobby the State Legislature for over \$28 million in CIP funds to develop and build a park complex that our Maui community has asked for and needed for quite some time now.

I now continue to ask for your support by passing this interim agreement which is the first step in the process to eventually allow the State of Hawaii to transfer this park complex to the County of Maui by Executive Order (EO).

Thank you for the opportunity to submit testimony on this matter.

Sincerely,

Shan S. Tsutsui
Lieutenant Governor, State of Hawaii