



# PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE

COUNCIL OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI

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## CLIMATE ACTION, RESILIENCE, AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

**Wednesday, July 21, 2021**

**9:00 a.m.**

MEETING SITE:

Online Only

Phone testimony: 1-408-915-6290, meeting code 470 076 045

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## AGENDA

### CLIMATE CHANGE LITIGATION (CARE-1(5))

**Description:** Under Rule 7(B) of the Rules of the Council, the Committee intends to receive a presentation and discuss matters relating to climate change litigation as it relates to climate change and protecting the natural environment.

**Status:** The Committee may receive a presentation from the Department of the Corporation Counsel; discuss Maui County's lawsuit against fossil fuel companies; similar cases of climate change litigation filed by other governmental entities around the country; and other related matters. No legislative action will be taken.

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## INTEGRATED PEST AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT ON COUNTY PROPERTY (CARE-23)

**Description:** The Committee is in receipt of the following:

1. County Communication 16-37, from Councilmember Elle Cochran, referring the matter of integrated pest and environmental management on County property.
2. Correspondence dated February 4, 2021, from Councilmember Shane M. Sinenci, transmitting a proposed bill entitled "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING CHAPTER 2.50, MAUI COUNTY CODE, RELATING TO PESTICIDE AND FERTILIZER USE ON COUNTY PROPERTY." The purpose of the proposed bill is to exercise the County's proprietary function, as a property owner and manager, by determining the categories of pesticide and fertilizer allowed for use on County property.

**Status:** The Committee may receive a presentation or remarks from Jay Feldman, Executive Director, Beyond Pesticides; consider whether to recommend passage of the proposed bill on first reading, with or without revisions; and filing of the correspondence. The Committee may also discuss related matters, consider whether to recommend the filing of County Communication 16-37, and other related action.

[County Communication 16-37](#)

[Correspondence from Councilmember Sinenci 02-04-2021](#)

## SUNSCREEN (CARE-54)

**Description:** The Committee is in receipt of County Communication 21-305, from Councilmember Tamara Paltin, transmitting a proposed bill entitled "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE TO PROHIBIT THE SALE, USE, OR DISTRIBUTION OF SUNSCREEN CONTAINING OXYBENZONE AND OCTINOXATE." The purpose of the proposed bill is to preserve the health, safety, welfare, and scenic underwater and natural beauty of Maui County by regulating the sale, use, and distribution of sunscreen containing oxybenzone and octinoxate.

**Status:** The Committee may discuss the current use of sunscreen containing oxybenzone and octinoxate, impacts the proposed bill may have on Maui County, and other related matters. No legislative action will be taken.

[County Communication 21-305](#)

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

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**COMMITTEE STAFF**

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**TESTIMONY**

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