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December 8, 2022

Honorable Michael P. Victorino Mayor, County of Maui 200 South High Street Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

For Transmittal to:

Honorable Alice Lee, Chair and Members of the Maui County Council 200 South High Street Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

Dear Chair Lee and Members:

SUBJECT: AMENDMENTS TO APPENDIX A, PART I, GRANTS AND RESTRICTED USE REVENUES FOR FISCAL YEAR ("FY") 2023, DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND HUMAN CONCERNS (AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN OF 2021 - EMERGENCY RENTAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM #2)

On behalf of the Department of Housing and Human Concerns, I am transmitting a proposed bill entitled "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE FISCAL YEAR 2023 BUDGET FOR THE COUNTY OF MAUI AS IT PERTAINS TO APPENDIX A, PART I, GRANTS AND RESTRICTED USE REVENUES – SCHEDULE OF GRANTS AND RESTRICTED USE REVENUES BY DEPARTMENTS AND PROGRAMS, DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND HUMAN CONCERNS (AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT OF 2021- EMERGENCY RENTAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM #2)."

The purpose of the proposed bill is to amend Appendix A, Part I of the Fiscal Year 2023 Budget by adding a new grant entitled "American Rescue Plan

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of 2021 - Emergency Rental Assistance Program #2" for \$5,000,000 and 1.0 equivalent personnel.

The State of Hawaii has received an additional allocation of \$80,184,413.30 from the U.S. Department of the Treasury for Emergency Rental Assistance. To date, the State has allocated \$10,710,000 to the County of Maui and is providing an additional \$5,000,000 to be used for any eligible purpose as defined in guidance published by the U.S. Treasury for Emergency Rental Assistance.

Thank you for your attention in this matter. Should you have any questions, please contact me at ext. 7212.

Sincerely,

MICHELE M. YOSHIMURA

Budget Director

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Attachment

cc: LoriAnn Tsuhako, Director of Housing and Human Concerns