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April 2, 2016

Mr. Sananda K. Baz, Budget Director  
Office of the Mayor  
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Dear Mr. Baz:

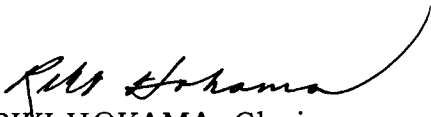
**SUBJECT: FISCAL YEAR ("FY") 2017 BUDGET** (BD-9) (BF-1)

Please explain whether collective bargaining contracts and their funding requirements have any impact on the County's bond rating.

May I further request you transmit your response no later than **April 11, 2016**, to enable the Committee to comprehensively review the FY 2017 budget. To ensure efficient processing, please duplicate the coding in the subject line above for easy reference.

Should you have any questions, please contact me or the Committee staff (Michele Yoshimura at ext. 7663, Steve Selee at ext. 7687, Shelly Espeleta at ext. 7134, or Yvette Bouthillier at ext. 7758).

Sincerely,

  
RIKI HOKAMA, Chair  
Budget and Finance Committee

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cc: Mayor Alan M. Arakawa