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September 22, 2016

Ms. Carol Reimann, Director Department of Housing and Human Concerns County of Maui Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

Dear Ms. Reimann:

SUBJECT: FAIR MARKET RENTS FOR MAUI COUNTY (HHT-42)

At its meeting of September 20, 2016, the Housing, Human Services, and Transportation Committee discussed the Fair Market Rents for Maui County and their impact on the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development Section 8 Housing voucher program.

May I please request that you provide a response to the following:

- 1. Provide a list of Federal or State funded programs for citizens from Micronesia or Bikini Island who now reside in Maui County. Explain how those programs assist those who migrated to Hawaii.
- 2. Provide the housing criteria for landlords of the Section 8 program.
- 3. Provide a copy of the Director's opening comments stated at the meeting.
- 4. Explain the one-year residency requirement for the Section 8 voucher program.

May I further request you respond no later than **Tuesday**, **October 4, 2016**. To ensure efficient processing, please include the relevant Committee item number in the subject line of your response.

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Should you have any questions, please contact me or the Committee staff (Michele Yoshimura at ext. 7663, or Tammy Frias at ext. 8005).

Sincerely,

STACY CRIVELLO, Chair Housing, Human Services, and Transportation Committee

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cc: Mayor Alan M. Arakawa