


August 10, 2020 WIT Committee meeting

WATER, INFRASTRUCTURE AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE
Amendment Summary Form

Legislation: Bill for an ordinance authorizing intergovernmental agreement for Hawaii Water Utility Members to provide mutual aid during emergencies.

Proposer: Yuki Lei K. Sugimura, Chair 
Water, Infrastructure and Transportation Committee

Description: Amend SECTION 2 to require Council approval before Maui County may accept a request for assistance from another county's water utility. This change is consistent with the legislative intent expressed at the Committee meeting of February 24, 2020. The legislative text approved at the meeting was, inadvertently, contrary to that intent.

Motion: Move to amend SECTION 2 by replacing "made" with "accepted."

Effect: If the motion is approved, SECTION 2 will read as follows:

"SECTION 2. Authorization. The Council of the County of Maui authorizes the Mayor or his authorized representative to execute the Agreement and all other necessary documents and amendments relating to the Agreement; except that, before any request for mutual aid and assistance is accepted by the County of Maui to any other Hawaii Water Utility Member, the Council must approve the mutual aid and assistance request by a majority vote."

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