TRANSCRIPTION Council of the County of Maui on 2023-05-12 1:30 PM - Public Hearing - Fuel Tax Rates

>> PUBLIC HEARING FOR MAY 12, 2023. PLEASE COME TO ORDER. MADAM CLERK, CAN WE HAVE ROLL CALL. THE MAUI COUNTY PUBLIC HEARING IS NOW CALLED TO ORDER. [ROLL CALL] >>COUNCILMEMBER TASHA KAMA: ALOHA. I AM AT HOME IN MY WORK SPACE AND THE ONLY PEOPLE HERE. >> COUNCI MEMBER YUKI SUGIMURA: EXCUSED. WE HAVE NO TESTIFIERS WAITING.\r\n\r\nTHANK YOU SO MUCH. >>COUNCILMEMBER GABE JOHNSON: ALOHA CHAIR, COUNCIL MEMBERS, COMMUNITY MEMBERS, THERE ARE NO TESTIFIERS IN THE LANAI DISTRICT OFFICE AND HERE AND READY TO WORK. MAHALO. >>COUNCILMEMBER KEANI RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ: ALOHA KAKOU. I'M IN THE CHAMBERS AND WE HAVE NO TESTIFIERS AT THE DISTRICT OFFICE. MAHALO CHAIR. >> COUNCI MEMBER TOM COOK: ALOHA AND GOOD AFTERNOON, CHAIR.\r\n\r\nCOUNCIL MEMBER HODGINS? ALOHA. >> COUNCILMEMBER SHANE SINENCI: ALOHA KAKOU. I'M HERE AT HOME WITH MY DOG. THERE ARE NO MEMBERS AT THE DISTRICT OFFICE. >> COUNCIL CHAIR ALICE LEE: ALOHA. I'M LOOKING FORWARD TO THE PUBLIC HEARING.\r\n\r\nTHANK YOU. >> CHAIR, YOU HAVE EIGHT MEMBERS PRESENT, ONE EXCUSED. YOU HAVE QUORUM TO CONDUCT BUSINESS AT THE COUNCIL. I'M KATHY KAOHU, CLERK AND JOINING US ARE DEPUTY DIRECTOR. CORPORATION COUNSEL, TAKAYESU. >> I WILL ASK THAT YOU MAINTAIN DECORUM. EACH PERSON WILL BE ALLOWED THREE MINUTES TO TESTIFY.\r\n\r\nTESTIMONY PROCEDURES INDIVIDUALS MAY PROVIDE ORAL TESTIMONY BY PHONE OR VIDEO CONFERENCE. TO JOIN THE MEETING PLEASE DO NOT USE THE CHAT. >> WE HAVE A LAST CALL FOR TESTIMONY ON RESOLUTION 3117. WAILUKU, HAWAII, FOR THE PURPOSE OF RECEIVING TESTIMONY ON RESOLUTION NO. 23-117, ENTITLED: ADOPTING THE FUEL TAX RATES FOR THE COUNTY OF MAUI, EFFECTIVE JULY 1,2023 PURSUANT TO SECTION 243-5, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES, AND SECTION 3.20.010, MAUI COUNTY CODE, THE COUNTY COUNCIL PROPOSES TO SET THE COUNTY FUEL TAX RATES AS FOLLOWS: THERE ARE NO TESTIFIERS. >> ANY ADDITIONAL COMMENTS? >> NO COMMENTS. >> CHAIR, THERE IS NO FURTHER BUSINESS BEFORE THIS COUNCIL AND PUBLIC HEARING.\r\n\r\n>> ALL RIGHT. AT THIS TIME, ANY OBJECTIONS TO ADJOURNING THIS PUBLIC HEARING? >> IF NOT, DID I HEAR A SOUND? WAS THAT YOU? NO OBJECTION. >>COUNCILMEMBER KEANI RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ: MAHALO, CHAIR. FOR THE RATES THAT WERE SET, THEY ARE FLAT FROM LAST YEAR.\r\n\r\nFOR THOSE WATCHING AND WHY WITH DIDN'T RECEIVE PUBLIC TESTIMONY. >> THANK YOU FOR THE CLARIFICATION. ANYBODY ELSE? IF NOT, THIS PORTION OF THE PUBLIC HEARING IS ADJOURNED.