

HUMAN SERVICES AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

Council of the County of Maui

Meeting Agenda

November 1, 2001

9:00 a.m.

Council Chamber, 8th Floor

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WELFARE REFORM IMPACTS IN MAUI COUNTY

DESCRIPTION:

The Committee is in receipt of:

1. County Communication No. 01-275, from Council Vice-Chair Dain P. Kane, relating to the impacts of welfare reform.
2. A draft resolution, introduced by Council Vice-Chair Kane, entitled "URGING PUBLIC AND PRIVATE AGENCIES TO ADDRESS THE IMPACTS OF WELFARE REFORM IN MAUI COUNTY". The purpose of the draft resolution is to urge public and private entities to coordinate and publicize transportation, child-care, and other services that may assist families with the move from welfare to work.

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3. A proposed bill, introduced by Council Vice-Chair Kane, entitled "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 8, MAUI COUNTY CODE, RELATING TO THE COUNTY'S EFFORTS TO ADDRESS THE IMPACTS OF WELFARE REFORM IN MAUI COUNTY". The purpose of the proposed bill is to require the Department of Housing and Human Concerns to address the impacts of welfare reform in Maui County by, among other things, compiling and distributing information about welfare-to-work services and receiving related recommendations from the Commission on Children and Youth.

STATUS:

The Committee will consider whether to recommend (1) passage of the proposed bill on first reading, and (2) adoption of the draft resolution. The Committee may consider other related action, including the possible filing of County Communication No. 01-275.