

COUNCIL OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI
**PUBLIC WORKS AND
TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE**

February 16, 2001

**Committee
Report No.**

01-22

Honorable Chair and Members
of the County Council
County of Maui
Wailuku, Maui, Hawaii

Chair and Members:

Your Public Works and Transportation Committee, having met on January 31, 2001, makes reference to County Communication No. 01-36, from the Director of Public Works and Waste Management, transmitting a proposed resolution entitled "AUTHORIZING MAUI ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED, TO PLACE UTILITY POLES ON HAUMANA ROAD, HAIKU, MAUI". The purpose of the proposed resolution is to grant approval to Maui Electric Company, Ltd. (MECO) to install nine 45-foot wooden utility poles on Haumana Road in Haiku.

At its meeting, your Committee met with the Director of Public Works and Waste Management and a Deputy Corporation Counsel.

The Director of Public Works and Waste Management noted that the project requires the installation of nine 45-foot wooden utility poles in the County's right-of-way. He further noted that the poles are spaced approximately 200 feet apart and spans a total distance of 2,000 feet. The Director was uncertain as to whether any other individuals would be applying for electrical service in the future, and stated that he was not aware of any objections being voiced by residents in the immediate area.

The Chair of your Committee noted that the applicant who owns the parcel designated as TMK (2)2-8-006:21, which is adjacent to the County's right-of-way, contacted him prior to the meeting and confirmed that his housing unit was the only one currently located in the area.

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Your Public Works and Transportation Committee RECOMMENDS the following:

1. That Resolution No. _____, attached hereto, entitled "AUTHORIZING MAUI ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED, TO PLACE UTILITY POLES ON HAUMANA ROAD, HAIKU, MAUI", be ADOPTED; and
2. That County Communication No. 01-36 be FILED.

Adoption of this report is respectfully requested.

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