

BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE

Council of the County of Maui

Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, June 12, 2012

1:30 p.m.

Council Chamber, 8th Floor

200 South High Street, Wailuku, Hawaii

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SHORT TERM INVESTMENTS

DESCRIPTION:

The Committee is in receipt of the following:

1. County Communication 11-299, from the Director of Finance, transmitting a report of short term investments for the quarter ending September 30, 2011.
2. County Communication 12-38, from the Director of Finance, transmitting a report of short term investments for the quarter ending December 31, 2011.

STATUS:

The Committee may review the reports of short term investments. The Committee may also recommend the filing of County Communications 11-299 and 12-38, and other related action.

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BF-72 REAL PROPERTY TAX LAND CLASSIFICATION

DESCRIPTION: The Committee is in receipt of County Communication 11-314, from Councilmember Joseph Pontanilla, transmitting a proposed bill entitled "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 3.48.305, MAUI COUNTY CODE, RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY TAX LAND CLASSIFICATION". The purpose of the proposed bill is to allow parcels that have been granted a transient vacation rental permit or a conditional permit to operate a transient vacation rental to be assessed at their highest and best use.

STATUS: The Committee may consider whether to recommend passage of the proposed bill on first reading, with or without revisions. The Committee may also consider the filing of County Communication 11-314 and other related action.

BF-76 REAL PROPERTY TAXES PAID PENDING APPEAL

DESCRIPTION: The Committee is in receipt of County Communication 12-24, from the Director of Finance, transmitting a proposed bill entitled "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 3.48, MAUI COUNTY CODE, RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY TAX". The purpose of the proposed bill is to provide for payment of interest on the amount of taxes refunded to a taxpayer when the taxpayer receives a final determination from the Real Property Tax Review Board that is wholly or partly in favor of the appealing taxpayer; and to ensure that all earnings, derived from tax overpayments made by property taxpayers who file appeals, are properly refunded or credited.

STATUS: The Committee may consider whether to recommend passage of the proposed bill on first reading, with or without revisions. The Committee may also consider the filing of County Communication 12-24 and other related action.

NOTE: With reference to this agenda item, one or more executive meetings are anticipated pursuant to Section 92-5(a)(4), Hawaii Revised Statutes, to consult with legal counsel on questions and issues pertaining to the powers, duties, privileges, immunities, and liabilities of the County, the Council, and the Committee.