

COUNCIL OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI
**POLICY AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL
AFFAIRS COMMITTEE**

October 18, 2013

**Committee
Report No.** _____

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

Chair and Members:

Your Policy and Intergovernmental Affairs Committee, having met on September 30, 2013, makes reference to County Communication 13-286, from the Mayor, transmitting a proposed bill entitled "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE REPEALING CHAPTER 2.37, MAUI COUNTY CODE, RELATING TO COMMISSION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS". The purpose of the proposed bill is to eliminate the Commission on Culture and the Arts ("Commission").

The Economic Development Director explained the Commission is no longer essential to the purpose for which it was formed. The County now spends nearly \$1 million a year on arts, culture, arts facilities, festivals, and events. According to the Director, the Commission struggled to understand what its role should be today. She further advised your Committee the Cost of Government Commission's report dated January 2011 recommended dissolution of the Commission.

Your Committee noted Section 2.40.200, Maui County Code, establishes the Commission and should also be repealed. Therefore, your Committee recommended the proposed bill be revised accordingly.

Your Committee voted 8-0 to recommend passage of the revised proposed bill on first reading and filing of the communication. Committee Chair Hokama, Vice-Chair Couch, and members Baisa, Cochran, Crivello, Guzman, Victorino, and White voted "aye". Committee member Carroll was excused.

Your Committee is in receipt of a revised proposed bill entitled "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE REPEALING CHAPTER 2.37, MAUI COUNTY CODE, AND SECTION 2.40.200, MAUI COUNTY CODE, RELATING TO COMMISSION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS", approved as to form and legality by the Department of the Corporation Counsel, incorporating your Committee's recommended revisions and nonsubstantive revisions.

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Your Policy and Intergovernmental Affairs Committee RECOMMENDS the following:

1. That Bill _____ (2013), as revised herein and attached hereto, entitled "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE REPEALING CHAPTER 2.37, MAUI COUNTY CODE, AND SECTION 2.40.200, MAUI COUNTY CODE, RELATING TO COMMISSION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS", be PASSED ON FIRST READING and be ORDERED TO PRINT; and
2. That County Communication 13-286 be FILED.

This report is submitted in accordance with Rule 8 of the Rules of the Council.



G. RIKI HOKAMA, Chair

ORDINANCE NO. _____

BILL NO. _____ (2013)

A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE REPEALING CHAPTER 2.37,
MAUI COUNTY CODE, AND SECTION 2.40.200, MAUI COUNTY CODE,
RELATING TO COMMISSION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS


BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI:

SECTION 1. Chapter 2.37, Maui County Code, is repealed.

SECTION 2. Section 2.40.200, Maui County Code, is repealed.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect upon its
approval.

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND LEGALITY:



GARY Y. MURAI
Deputy Corporation Counsel
County of Maui

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