

TRANSCRIPTION

Council of the County of Maui on 2022-10-07 9:00 AM - Regular Meeting

WILL THE COUNCIL MEETING OF OCTOBER 7TH, 2022 -- THERE'S AN ECHO. PLEASE COME TO ORDER. [GAVEL] MEMBERS, THE GREETING FOR TODAY IS FROM INDIA, SO YOU CAN SAY NAMASTE FOR NAMASTE, HOWEVER YOU FEEL LIKE SAYING THAT WORD, WHICH GIVES HONOR TO EACH OTHER AND ALL THE PEOPLE HERE, WATCHING US, AND ALL OF THE PEOPLE IN MAUI COUNTY. ROLL CALL. >> CHAIR, PROCEEDING WITH ROLL CALL, MEMBERS PARTICIPATING FROM NON-PUBLIC LOCATIONS, STATE WOULD IF ANYONE EXCEPT FOR MINORS IS PREPONDERANT WITH THEM AS PART OF THE ROLL CALL. COUNCIL MEMBER SHANE SINENCI. >> KAKAHIKA, NAMASTE, FOR THE RECORD, WE ARE JOINING EVERYBODY FROM THE HANA CULTURAL CENTER AND I'M HERE WITH STAFF MEMBER MEDEIROS AND CURRENTLY, CHAIR, THERE ARE NO TESTIFIERS.\r\n\r\nALOHA. >> GOOD MORNING. IS IT RAINING IN HANA? IT'S NICE RIGHT NOW. IT WAS ALL DAY YESTERDAY. >> THANKS. >> COUNCIL MEMBER MIKE MOLINA?\r\n\r\n>> ALOHA AND NAMASTE, MADAM CHAIR, AND EVERYONE ELSE JOINING US FOR YOUR COUNCIL MEETING. I'M TRANSMITTING FROM THE CHAMBERS IN WAILUKU AND AS YOU CAN SEE IN THE BACKGROUND, WE HAVE A LOT OF YOUNG PEOPLE. IT'S WONDERFUL TO HAVE THEM HERE, AS WELL AS THOSE YOUNG AT HEART. MADAM CHAIR, WE HAVE NO TESTIFIERS OUT THE PA'IA DISTRICT OFFICE AND LOOKING FORWARD TO A GREAT AND WONDERFUL COUNCIL MEETING TODAY. MAHALO. >> THANK YOU. >> COUNCIL MEMBER KELLY TAKAYA KING.\r\n\r\n>> ALOHA KAKAHIKA AND NAMASTE, CHAIR. HAPPY TO BE HERE AND LOOKS LIKE WE HAVE -- I DON'T KNOW IF WE EVER HAD SEVEN MEMBERS IN THE CHAMBERS SINCE THE PANDEMIC AND WITH ALL THE FOLKS IN THE AUDIENCE. WE HAVE NO TESTIFIERS AT OUR DISTRICT OFFICE RIGHT NOW. AND LOOKING FORWARD TO GETTING THROUGH TODAY'S AGENDA. >> THANK YOU. >> COUNCIL MEMBER GABE JOHNSON? >> EXCUSED.\r\n\r\n>> COUNCIL MEMBER TAMARA PALTIN. >> ALOHA KAKAHIKA KAKOU AND NAMASTE. BROADCASTING FROM THE CHAMBERS, AND WE HAVE NO TESTIFIERS IN THE LAHAINA DISTRICT OFFICE. THANK YOU. >> THANK YOU. >> COUNCIL MEMBER YUKI LEI SUGIMURA. >> GOOD MORNING EVERYBODY.\r\n\r\nNAMASTE. I'M HERE IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS WITH EVERYBODY. IT'S GOOD TO SEE EVERYONE. AND LOOKING FORWARD TO GETTING TO THE FIRST RESOLUTION, THE PUKALANI ROBOTICS IMAGINERS. THANK YOU, CHAIR. >> THANK YOU. >> COUNCIL PRO TEM TASHA KAMA.\r\n\r\n>> ALOHA KAKAHIKA, CHAIR, AND NAMASTE TO EVERYONE HERE. I'M LOOKING FORWARD TO AN EXPEDITIOUS COUNCIL MEETING TODAY. THANK YOU ALL. >> HANG ON THAT TO DREAM, PRO TEM KAMA. [LAUGHTER] >> COUNCIL VICE-CHAIR KEANI RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> ALOHA KAKAHIKA, CHAIR. MY MAUI NUI.\r\n\r\nI UNDERSTAND THAT WE DON'T HAVE ANY TESTIFIERS AT THE MOLOKA'I DISTRICT OFFICE. AND WE CAN MANIFEST THAT, MEMBER KAMA. MAHALO. >> THANK YOU. >> AND COUNCIL CHAIR ALICE L. LEE? >> PRESENT AND NAMASTE. >> CHAIR, THERE ARE EIGHT MEMBERS PRESENT.\r\n\r\nNO MEMBERS ARE ABSENT, AND ONE MEMBER EXCUSED. A QUORUM IS PRESENT TO CONDUCT THE BUSINESS OF THE COUNCIL. FOR THE RECORD, I'M COUNTY CLERK KATHY KAOHU AND ALSO PRESENT FROM THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK ARE LEGISLATIVE DIVISION STAFF JOYCE MURASHIGE, LAUREN SALDANA, AND DELL YOSHIDA. JOINING THE MEETING FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF CORPORATION COUNSEL IS CORPORATION COUNSEL MOANA LUTEY AND FIRST DEPUTY CORP. COUNSEL RICHELLE THOMPSON. >> ALL RIGHT. OPENING REMARKS, IT'S MY TURN EVERYONE.\r\n\r\nAND I WAS PLANNING TO GIVE YOU A VERY DEEP AND THOUGHTFUL DISSERTATION ON INCLUSIONARY AND DIVERSITY, BUT INSTEAD, I THOUGHT WE'LL GO ON THE LIGHT SIDE TODAY. SO ONCE UPON A TIME, THERE WERE TWO BOYS. JOSEPH AND MANUEL, AND THEY WERE CAMELS. ACTUALLY CAMELS, LIKE ANIMALS. AND JOSEPH WAS ABOUT OH, FIVE YEARS OLD, AND MANUEL WAS SEVEN

YEARS OLD. SO JOSEPH, THE YOUNGER BROTHER WAS VERY INQUISITIVE OF OTHER CAMELS ; RIGHT? SO JOSEPH THOUGHT, WHY -- MANUEL ANSWER, AND TOLD HIM, THAT THEY ARE DESERT ANIMALS AND ARE USED TO STORE WATER.\r\n\r\nTHEN JOSEPH ASKED WHY ARE THEIR LEGS LONG, AND THEIR FEET ROUND? AND MANUEL REPLIED, THAT THEIR LEGS ARE MEANT FOR WALKING IN THE DESERT. HAVING THESE MOVING AROUND THE DESERT EASIER IN THE SOFT SAND. THEN JOSEPH INQUIRED WHY ARE THEIR EYELASHES SO LONG? IT BOTHERS HIM SOMETIMES. MANUEL REPLIED THEIR LONG LASHES ARE FOR COVER, SINCE THE DESERT SAND AND WIND CAN AFFECT THEIR SIGHT, THEIR LASHES WILL PROTECT THEM. SO AFTER THINKING ABOUT ALL OF THIS, LITTLE JOSEPH SUMMARIZED WHAT HE LEARNED AND ASKED AGAIN, MANUEL, ALL OF THESE THINGS WE HAVE ALL OF THESE THINGS AS CAMELS FOR THE DESERT.\r\n\r\nBUT SO THE MORAL OF THE STORY IS SEVERAL. LOCATION, LOCATION, LOCATION. IT'S IMPORTANT. ALSO, RELEVANCY IS IMPORTANT. COMMONSENSE IS IMPORTANT. AND SO IS THE SPIRIT OF INQUISITIVENESS THAT ALL YOU HAVE, I'M SURE HAVE, WITHIN THE ROBOTICS PROGRAM. THANK YOU, MEMBERS.\r\n\r\nMADAM CLERK, MAY WE PROCEED. >> CHAIR, PROCEEDING WITH THE TESTIMONY ON CEREMONIAL RESOLUTIONS. >> I'M SORRY, PROCEED WITH THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE. PLEASE STAND. I PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, AND TO THE REPUBLIC FOR WHICH IT STANDS, ONE NATION UNDER GOD, INDIVISIBLE, WITH LIBERTY AND JUSTICE FOR ALL. >> NOW MAY WE HAVE CEREMONIAL RESOLUTION, MADAM CLERK. >> PROCEEDING WITH CEREMONIAL RESOLUTIONS, MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC MAY TESTIFY IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS AT COURTESY TESTIMONY SITES OR REMOTELY THROUGH THE INFORMATION LISTED ON THE MEETING AGENDA.\r\n\r\nINDIVIDUALS IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS MAY SIGN UP TO TESTIFY WITH THE STAFF MEMBER LOCATED AT THE DESK IN THE 8TH FLOOR LOBBY. INDIVIDUALS AT COURTESY TESTIMONY SITES MAY SIGN UP WITH STAFF AT THAT SITE. INDIVIDUALS PARTICIPATING REMOTELY MAY SIGN UP IN THE MEETING CHAT. IF YOU ARE CONNECTED TO THE MEETING BY PHONE, YOU WILL AUTOMATICALLY BE ADDED TO THE TESTIFIER LIST. INDIVIDUALS CONNECTED BY PHONE ARE CURRENTLY ON MUTE AND WILL BE UNMUTED WHEN IT'S THEIR TIME TO TESTIFY. INDIVIDUALS CONNECTED BY VIDEOCONFERENCE SHOULD KEEP BOTH THEIR VIDEO AND MICROPHONES OFF AND SHOULD TURN THEM ON ONLY WHEN IT'S THEIR TIME TO TESTIFY. TESTIMONY WILL BE TAKEN BEFORE EACH AGENDA SECTION, UNLESS EXTENUATING CIRCUMSTANCES REQUIRE OTHERWISE, SUBJECT TO APPROVAL BY A MAJORITY OF THE COUNCIL.\r\n\r\nTESTIMONY IS LIMITED TO THE ITEMS LISTED ON THE AGENDA, AND INDIVIDUALS MAY TESTIFY FOR UP TO THREE MINUTES WITH ONE MINUTE PER ITEM. WHEN TESTIFYING, PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME AND THE NAME OF ANY ORGANIZATION YOU REPRESENT, AS WELL AS THE ITEMS ON WHICH YOU WILL BE TESTIFYING. PLEASE ALSO IDENTIFY TO THE COUNCIL IF YOU ARE A PAID LOBBYIST. INDIVIDUALS MAY ALSO BE DISCONNECTED FROM THE MEETING AT ANY TIME FOR BREAKING DECORUM. AT THIS TIME, INDIVIDUALS MAY TESTIFY ON CEREMONIAL RESOLUTIONS, AND I'M NOT SHOWING ANY TESTIFIERS FOR THE CEREMONIAL RESOLUTION AT THIS MOMENT. >> WOULD ANYONE LIKE TO TESTIFY ON THE CEREMONIAL RESOLUTION THIS MORNING? LOOKS LIKE WE HAVE ONE TESTIFIER.\r\n\r\n>> FROM KULA -- OH, MAI -- >> THANK YOU. >> ANYONE ELSE? ANYBODY ONLINE? >> THERE IS NO ONE SIGNED UP RIGHT NOW. >> ANY OBJECTIONS TO CLOSING TESTIMONY ON CEREMONIAL RESOLUTIONS? >> NO OBJECTIONS. >> CHAIR?\r\n\r\n>> I HEAR SOMEONE TRYING TO TESTIFY. >> SOMEONE IS ONLINE NOW. >> MAHALO, CHAIR LEE. I DIDN'T SIGN UP. THIS IS LUCIENNE DE NAIE, BUT I WOULD ACTUALLY LIKE TO TESTIFY, AND THANK THESE YOUNG PEOPLE FOR REPRESENTING OUR COMMUNITY. AND ALSO, THANK THIS COUNCIL, FOR CREATING OPPORTUNITIES SO THAT WHEN YOUNG PEOPLE WITH AN INTEREST AND CURIOSITY IN SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY -- WE'LL HOPEFULLY BE

CREATING SOME JOB OPPORTUNITIES HERE THAT THEY CAN COME BACK, AND BE PART OF OUR COMMUNITY, AND USE THAT CURIOSITY AND KNOWLEDGE, AND JUST ENCOURAGE EVERYONE WHO HAS PARTICIPATED IN THIS PROGRAM TO CONSIDER HOW YOU MIGHT PLUG-IN, AS PART OF OUR COUNTY STAFF? WE NEED ENGINEERS.\r\n\r\nWE NEED FOLKS THAT HAVE PLANNING BACKGROUNDS. WE NEED FOLKS WITH ENVIRONMENTAL BACKGROUNDS. WE NEED FOLKS THAT ARE GOOD WITH HAVING OUR UNDERSTANDING OF HOW OUR I.T. SYSTEMS WORK. SO PLEASE CONSIDER AS YOU FURTHER YOUR CAREERS, COME BACK, AND HELP YOUR COMMUNITY. MAHALO. >> THANK YOU VERY MUCH. ANY QUESTIONS FOR MS.\r\n\r\nDE NAIE? THANK YOU. ANYONE ELSE? ANYONE ELSE TO TESTIFY? MADAM CLERK? >> CHAIR, NO ONE HAS SIGNED UP TO TESTIFY ON THE CEREMONIAL RESOLUTIONS. >> ANY OBJECTIONS TO CLOSING TESTIMONY ON CEREMONIAL RESOLUTIONS?\r\n\r\n>> NO OBJECTIONS. >> SO ORDERED: PROCEEDING WITH CEREMONIAL RESOLUTION YOU HAVE BEFORE YOU RESOLUTION 22-224, ENTITLED "CONGRATULATING THE PUKALANI STEM IMAGINERS ROBOTICS TEAM ON OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT AT THE 2022 HAWAI'I VEX IQ ROBOTICS MIDDLE SCHOOL STATE CHAMPIONSHIP AND QUALIFYING FOR THE 2022 VEX ROBOTICS WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP." >> MEMBER SUGIMURA. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. I MOVE TO ADOPT RESOLUTION NO. 22-224. >> SECOND. >> MOVED BY COUNCIL MEMBER SUGIMURA AND SECONDED BY PRO TEM KAMA TO ADOPT RESOLUTION 22-224. DISCUSSION? MEMBER SUGIMURA.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU, CHAIR. MAY I PLEASE REQUEST THE CLERK READ THE RESOLUTION IN ITS ENTIRETY? MADAM CLERK. >> RESOLUTION NO. 22-224 CONGRATULATING THE PUKALANI STEM IMAGINERS ROBOTICS TEAM ON OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT AT THE 2022 HAWAI'I VEX IQ ROBOTICS MIDDLE SCHOOL STATE CHAMPIONSHIP AND QUALIFYING FOR THE 2022 VEX ROBOTICS WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP. WHEREAS, THE PUKALANI STEM IMAGINERS ROBOTICS TEAM COMPOSED OF TWO SLATES OF CONTESTANTS PARTICIPATED IN THE HAWAI'I VEX IQ ROBOTICS MIDDLE SCHOOL STATE CHAMPIONSHIP ON FEBRUARY 21ST, 2022 AT KAMEHAMEHA SCHOOLS KAPALAMA ON OAHU; AND WHEREAS, THE PUKALANI STEM IMAGINERS ROBOTICS TEAM GAVE EXEMPLARY PERFORMANCES AT THE STATE CHAMPIONSHIP TO QUALIFY BOTH OF ITS ENTRIES FOR THE VEX ROBOTICS WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP MAY 3-12, 2022 IN DALLAS, TEXAS; AND WHEREAS, THE PUKALANI STEM IMAGINERS ROBOTICS TEAM SHOWCASED TWO TEAMS IN THE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP: TEAM 10704X INCLUDING BRAYDEN KITAGAWA, ASHTON SENAMONTRY, AADEN TOKUSHIMA, ABIGAIL TOMAYOSE, AND NEVIN WEHNER OF KALAMA INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL, JARIUS VIERRA-NALEIEHA OF KAMEHAMEHA SCHOOL MAUI AND WESLEY KOSAKA OF SEABURY HALL, AND TEAM 10704Y INCLUDING ISRAEL ENRIQUEZ AND JEFFREY HO OF KALAMA INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL; AND WHEREAS, BOTH TEAMS SHOWCASED THEIR OUTSTANDING TALENTS ON THE WOLVER STATE AND TEAM 10704X PLACED SECOND IN THE VEX IQ TEAMWORK CHALLENGE DIVISION FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL AND IN THE SCIENCE CATEGORY; AND WHEREAS, TEAM 10704Y HAS EARNED THE RANKING OF 46TH IN THE WORLD, 29TH IN THE COUNTRY AND 2ND STATE OF HAWAI'I; AND WHEREAS THE PUKALANI STEM IMAGINERS COLLECTIVELY WON THE STEM RESEARCH AWARD IN THE CATEGORY OF BIOMIMICRY IN ENGINEERING FOR THEIR PROJECT EXPLORING HOW AN ELEPHANTS' NATURAL DEFENSE AGAINST CANCER CAN LEAD TO POSSIBLE CURE FOR CANCER; AND WHEREAS, THE SAME GROUP OF STUDENTS THEN ATTENDING PUKALANI ELEMENTARY SCHOOL QUALIFIED FOR THE 2020 VEX ROBOTICS WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP TO BE HELD IN KENTUCKY, BUT THE EVENT WAS CANCELED BECAUSE OF THE COVID 1 PANDEMIC; AND WHEREAS, IN THE PUKALANI STEM IMAGINERS PROGRAM EXCELS UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF COACHES MYSTERY VIERRA, JASMINE DOMINGO, AND DEBBIE HISASHIMA; AND WHEREAS, THE EXCEPTIONAL PERFORMANCE, DEDICATION, AND SPIRIT OF THESE OUTSTANDING STUDENTS ON THE PUKALANI STEM IMAGINERS ROBOTICS TEAM HAVE BROUGHT GREAT PRIDE AND HONOR TO THEIR FAMILIES, SCHOOLS AND THE PEOPLE OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE COUNTY OF

MAUI THAT 1, IT CONGRATULATES THE PUKALANI STEM IMAGINERS ROBOTICS TEAM ON OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENTS AT THE 2022 HAWAI'I VEX IQ ROBOTICS WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP MIDDLE SCHOOL STATE CHAMPIONSHIP AND QUALIFYING FOR THE 2022 VEX ROBOTICS WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP, AND 2, THAT CERTIFIED COPIES OF THE RESOLUTION BE TRANSMITTED TO COACHES MISTY VIERRA, JASMINE DOMINGO, AND DEBBIE HISASHIMA, STUDENTS BRAYDEN KITAGAWA, ASHTON SENAMONTRY, AADEN TOKUSHIMA, ABIGAIL TOMAYOSE, NEVIN WEHNER, JARIUS VIERRA-NALEIEHA, WESLEY KOSAKA, ISRAEL ENRIQUEZ AND JEFFREY HO, TY OGASAWARA, PRINCIPAL PUKALANI ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, TAMI HA'ILI, PRINCIPAL, KALAMA INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL, MAUREEN MADDEN, HEAD OF SCHOOL SEABURY HALL, DR.\r\n\r\nSCOTT PARKER, PO'O KULA KAMEHAMEHA SCHOOLS MAUI, DESIREE SIDES, COMPLEX AREA SUPERINTENDENT FOR BALDWIN-KEKAULIKE-KULANIHAKO'I-MAUI, HAWAI'I DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, AND THE HONORABLE MICHAEL P. VICTORINO MAYOR, COUNTY OF MAUI. >> MEMBER SUGIMURA. >> LIFE HAPPENED WITH COVID AND INTERRUPTED THE COMPETITIONS AT WORLD, BUT THEY STILL CONTINUED, AND I APOLOGIZE IF I'M NOT GETTING THE WORLD EVENTS IN ORDER. I WILL TELL YOU WHEN I MET WITH THEM AT PUKALANI DEBBIE HISASHIMA INVITED ME AND I MET WITH THE STUDENTS. THEY WERE SO ORGANIZED. THEY HAD A SPEAKER AND HAD EVERY SINGLE PERSON DOING A PRESENTATION. THE KIDS NOW.\r\n\r\nI SAID, WOW, THESE ARE OUR FUTURE LEADERS. I WAS SO IMPRESSED. WHEN I MET WITH THEM, THEY WERE GETTING READY FOR STATES, AND I SAID, YOU KNOW WHAT? I HOPE YOU WIN THE STATES, AND THAT WE HONOR YOU ONE DAY IN COUNCIL FOR YOUR ACCOMPLISHMENTS. THEN WHEN THEY WENT OFF TO WORLD, I TOLD DEBBIE, LET'S WAIT, BECAUSE THEY WON STATES, NOW THEY CAN GO TO WORLDS AND LET'S HONOR THEM WITH THE FULL MAGNITUDE OF THE UNIVERSE THAT THEY DESERVE. SO HERE WE ARE TODAY, THE RESOLUTION EXPLAINS THE DIFFERENT CONTESTS THAT HAPPENED, AND THE DIFFERENT HONORS THAT THEY RECEIVED I REMEMBER SAYING THAT AND I DO WANT TO KEEP MY WORDS TO THESE KIDS, WHO DEFINITELY HAVE DONE IMPRESSIVE WORK IN THEIR LIVES, AND THEY CAN CARRY THIS FOR THE REST OF THEIR LIVES TO SHOW WHAT THEY DO TO SOLVE PROBLEMS, ARE CREATIVE, AND TRY TO -- AND STICK TO SOMETHING, YOU KNOW? TO GET IT DONE.\r\n\r\nTODAY WAS VERY IMPORTANT FOR THESE KIDS, SO THAT THEY CAN THEN BE HONORED FOR AWARDS THAT THEY HAVE WORKED HARD TO EARN. SO THANK YOU VERY MUCH. SO I WILL ASK THE MEMBERS FOR THEIR SUPPORT, AND IF I COULD, I WOULD ASK THE TEAM TO COME FORWARD TO GET LEIS, AND THE NEXT PHASE OF THIS, CHAIR. THANK YOU. >> FURTHER DISCUSSION? MEMBER MOLINA. >> THANK YOU VERY MUCH, MADAM CHAIR.\r\n\r\nCONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF THE STUDENTS, THE PARENTS AND ADMINISTRATION AND THEIR TEACHERS, OUTSTANDING WORK. TO TAKE YOUR EFFORTS IN LEARNING TO THE NATIONAL-LEVEL IS QUITE AN ACCOMPLISHMENT, ALL THE WAY TO TEXAS FROM A SMALL, RURAL AREA OUT IN THE MIDDLE OF PACIFIC. KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK AND NOT ONLY TAKE THE OPPORTUNITY TO EDUCATE SOME OF YOUR YOUNGER STUDENTS. EDUCATE THE ADULTS AS WELL. YOU KNOW, MADAM CHAIR, I TEACH PART-TIME AT KALAMA INTERMEDIATE AND I HAVE HAD THE PRIVILEGE OF WORKING WITH SOME OF THESE STUDENTS, LIKE MR. LEARNING IS RECIPROCAL. WE TEACH OUR KIDS AND OUR KIDS TEACH, AND LET'S KEEP UP THE EXCHANGE OF LEARNING FROM EACH OTHER AND KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK, KIDS.\r\n\r\nMAHALO, CHAIR. >> THANK YOU. PRO TEM KAMA. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. I, TOO, WANT TO ADD MY COMMENTS. I HAD TO LOOK UP THE WORD "BIOMIMICRY." >> ME TOO. >> I BET YOU ALL KNEW THAT; RIGHT?\r\n\r\nI WAS REALLY IMPRESSED TO LEARN WHAT IT MEANT, THAT THESE YOUNG PEOPLE TODAY IN THEIR YOUTH ARE LOOKING AT NATURE, AND IN ITS BEST AND HIGHEST USE OF WHAT THEY DO IN ALL OF NATURE, AND THEY TAKE THAT, AND THEY TURN THAT INTO TECHNOLOGY THAT CAN BRING HOPE AND HEALING TO OUR COMMUNITY AND PEOPLE. I AM SO IMPRESSED WHEN I READ WHAT IT MEANT, WHAT IT TOLD ME IN

THE RESO OF WHAT THEY ARE ACCOMPLISHED BY PARTICIPATING IN THE ROBOTICS PROGRAM. I'M PROUD OF THIS COUNCIL AND OUR SUPPORT OF THE ROBOTICS AND STEM PROGRAMS. I WANT US TO CONTINUE TO SUPPORT THEM, SO THAT THEY CAN FLY AS HIGH AS THESE YOUNG PEOPLE WANT TO FLY, AND AS FAR AWAY AS THEY WANT TO GO, AND BE PROUD OF WHAT THEY ARE DOING TODAY, AND FOR THEIR FUTURE TOMORROW. THANK YOU, CHAIR, AND THANK YOU TO ALL OF THE COACHES AND ALL OF THE STEM ROBOTICS KIDS. I APPRECIATE YOU SO MUCH. GOD BLESS YOU ALL.\r\n\r\nTHANK YOU, JC, FOR YOUR BLESSING AT THE PODIUM THIS MORNING. MAHALO. THANK YOU, CHAIR. >> THANK YOU. MEMBER KING. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. I WANT TO ADD MY CONGRATULATIONS.\r\n\r\nTHIS IS REALLY NEAR AND DEAR TO MY HEART, BECAUSE MY OWN SON WENT THROUGH SOME OF THESE STEM PROGRAMS. HE IS NOW ON THE MAINLAND, WITH THE RESEARCH INSTITUTE AND WORKING ON BIOMIMICRY PROJECTS. SO LET ME KNOW IF YOU WANT A SPEAKER AT ONE OF YOUR NEXT MEETINGS. I DIDN'T FIND OUT ABOUT THE ROBOTICS IN MAUI COUNTY UNTIL I GOT ON THE COUNCIL, AND ALWAYS REALLY IMPRESSIVE THAT WE'RE LOOKED AT THIS LITTLE ISLAND IN THE PACIFIC. I DON'T KNOW THAT I WOULD CALL OUR PRAISE UNIVERSAL, BUT I APPRECIATE MEMBER SUGIMURA BRINGING THIS UP AFTER THE FACT, BECAUSE IT IS WORTHY OF RECOGNITION, AND WE'RE SO PROUD THAT WE'RE ABLE TO SHOW THESE KINDS OF ACCOMPLISHMENTS FROM OURS. WE'RE BIGGER THAN WHAT WE LOOK LIKE WHEN YOU LOOK ON THE MAP AND THE TALENT IS HERE. I HAVE SUCH HIGH HOPES FOR THESE STUDENTS AND FOR THE COUNTY TO INCORPORATE SUPPORT FOR THESE INDUSTRIES AS WE WORK TOWARDS DIVERSIFYING OUR ECONOMY.\r\n\r\nSO I HOPE ALL THESE STUDENTS WHO GO INTO THESE FIELDS ARE ABLE TO COME BACK HERE AND FIND JOBS. THAT IS CERTAINLY ONE OF THE GOALS OF THIS COUNTY COUNCIL. THANK YOU, MEMBER SUGIMURA FOR HANGING ONTO THIS RECOGNITION AND BRINGING IT WHEN WE COULD HAVE THEM IN THE CHAMBERS. I APPRECIATE THAT. THANK YOU, CHAIR. >> GREAT COMMENTS EVERYONE. ANYBODY ELSE?\r\n\r\nVICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. I WILL JOIN MY COLLEAGUES IN CONGRATULATING ALL THE STUDENTS AND COACHES AND FAMILIES AND COMMUNITY AND EVERYONE IT TOOK FOR OUR OPIOS SUCCESS. THE ACCOLADES AND THE TROPHIES ARE ALL ONE THING, BUT I THINK THE EXPERIENCE AND INDIVIDUALS PUSHING THEMSELVES, PUSHING THE ENVELOPES, PUSHING YOUR ABILITY TO EXPAND YOUR THINKING, YOUR CRITICAL THINKING, IS OF SUCH GREAT VALUE. AND WHILE I AGREE WITH MEMBER KAMA, THAT I HOPE YOU FLY HIGH AND FLY AS FAR AS YOU DREAM, I HOPE YOU REMEMBER THAT INVESTMENT THAT YOUR COACHES PUT INTO ALL OF YOU AND THE COMMUNITY AND YOUR FAMILIES, AND DO THE SAME AND MAKE THAT SAME INVESTMENT IN THE NEXT-GENERATIONS. MAHALO, CHAIR. >> THANK YOU.\r\n\r\nANYBODY ELSE? IF NOT, I WOULD ALSO LIKE TO CONGRATULATE EVERYONE. THE STUDENTS, THE COACHES, THE PARENTS, THE TEACHERS, EVERYBODY, BECAUSE I KNOW IT'S A TEAM EFFORT. AND WE WISH YOU ALL THE SUCCESS IN THE WORLD AND LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU AGAIN HERE, AS YOU WIN MORE AWARDS. NOW MEMBERS, ARE YOU READY TO VOTE? ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF ADOPTING THE RESOLUTION, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE.\r\n\r\n>> EIGHT AYES, ONE EXCUSED. MOTION CARRIES. THANK YOU VERY MUCH. MEMBER SUGIMURA. >> THANK YOU. WE HAVE LEIS FOR ALL OF THE STUDENTS. WE ALREADY GAVE LEIS TO THE PARENTS AND THE SUPPORT TEAM, AND GLEN KOSAKA, WHO IS IN THE AUDIENCE AND TO MAKE MENTION OF HIM.\r\n\r\nWE ALREADY GAVE LEIS TO EVERYBODY ELSE AND IF THE TEAM COULD COME FORWARD, WITH LEIS TO GIVE TO THEM AND ANY TEACHERS THAT ARE HERE. I WILL ASK JEFFREY HO AND BRAYDEN KITAGAWA TO SAY A FEW WORDS ON BEHALF OF THE STUDENTS. >> PLEASE COME DOWN. ALOHA KAKAHIKA, >> ALOHA. >> COUNCIL. MY NAME IS DEBBIE HISASHIMA, A TEACHER AT PUKALANI SCHOOL AND ONE OF THE THREE TEACHERS OF THE TEAM AND HAVE THE HONOR OF COACHING THEM. YOUR WORDS TODAY, THIS MORNING, DOES REMIND ME IT DOES TAKE A

VILLAGE.\r\n\r\nSO THE PARENTS HERE WHO SUPPORT THESE STUDENTS AND REALLY INSTILLED IN THEM THE WINNING COMBINATION OF THAT CURIOSITY AND GRIT. THEN WE HAVE OUR TEACHERS, OUR COACHES, WHO SHOW UP TO PRACTICES FOR THESE STUDENTS. THEN WE ALSO HAVE OUR OUTSIDE ORGANIZATIONS SUCH AS MEDB AND MAUI COUNTY COUNCIL, WHO REALLY GIVE THEM THAT OPPORTUNITY AND WHO REALLY INVEST IN THEIR FUTURES, AND THE FUTURE OF MAUI. SO THANK YOU VERY MUCH HERE ARE BRAYDEN AND JEFFREY HO. >> GOOD MORNING. MY NAME IS JEFFREY HO AND I'M A MEMBER OF THE PUKALANI STEM TEAM. OUR TEAM WOULD LIKE TO THANK YOU GUYS FOR ALLOWING US TO SPEAK HERE TODAY.\r\n\r\nIN ROBOTICS ALLOWS US TO DO THINGS RANGING FROM PROBLEM SOLVING TO DRIVING ROBOTS AROUND SMALL FIELD. DOING THESE SMALL THINGS ALLOWED US TO GET TO PLACES THAT WE WOULD UNKNOWN TO DO. WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO GO TO HONOLULU, THAT SOME PEOPLE ON THIS ISLAND CANNOT GO TO THE ISLAND. AND WE HAVE ALSO BEEN ABLE TO GO INTERNATIONALLY. WE WENT TO THE MAINLAND TO NEBRASKA FOR NATIONALS AND FOR THE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP IN DALLAS, TEXAS. WE ALSO WANT TO THANK OUR PARENTS, COACHES, AND OUR TEAM MEMBERS. THEY ALL HELPED US VERY MUCH, AND WITHOUT THEM, WE WOULD NEVER BE ABLE TO GET TO WHERE WE ARE NOW.\r\n\r\n>> GOOD MORNING. MY NAME IS BRAYDEN KITAGAWA AND I'M A MEMBER OF THE PUKALANI TEAM IMAGINERS AND TO THANK THE COUNCIL FOR FUNDING THE MAUI ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BOARD, BECAUSE THEY ARE SUPPORT ALLOWED US THE OPPORTUNITY TO EXPERIENCE STEM ROBOTICS OPPORTUNITIES. BEING IN ROBOTICS HAS BEEN ONE OF THE MOST FUN AND EXCITING ACTIVITIES I HAVE EVER PARTICIPATED IN. THROUGHOUT OUR COMPETITIONS, I ARE MET STUDENTS FROM HAWAI'I, OTHER STATES AND EVEN OTHER COUNTRIES. THIS PROGRAM HAS TAUGHT US MANY THINGS RANGING FROM PUBLIC SPEAKING SKILLS AND THE IMPORTANCE OF GIVING BACK TO OUR COMMUNITY. ONCE AGAIN, THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT IN ROBOTICS AND STEM ACTIVITIES. >> THANK YOU, MEMBERS.\r\n\r\nTHANK YOU, STUDENTS. YOU ARE VERY WELCOME TO STAY FOR THE REST OF THE MEETING. WE SHOULD FINISH ABOUT 6:00 TONIGHT. [LAUGHTER] . >> BYE. THANK YOU. PROCEED, MADAM CLERK. MEMBERS WE HAVE THREE PEOPLE SIGNED UP TO TESTIFY ASKING TO TESTIFY BEFORE THE ITEMS ARE CALLED UP AT THE BEGINNING OF THE MEETING BECAUSE THEY HAVE EXTENUATING CIRCUMSTANCES.\r\n\r\nANY OBJECTIONS TO ALLOWING THIS TO HAPPEN? >> NO OBJECTIONS. >> WHAT ARE THE EXTENUATING CIRCUMSTANCES? >> DO YOU WANT TO KNOW? MADAM CLERK. >> I DO NOT HAVE THAT INFORMATION. >> CHAIR?\r\n\r\n>> YES. >> IS ONE OF THEM -- I MADE A REQUEST FOR INGRID COETZEE, WHO IS RIGHT NOW ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE GLOBE, WANTED TO TESTIFY ON ONE OF OUR BIODIVERSITY BILLS. THAT WAS ONE OF THEM AND I DON'T KNOW THE OTHER TWO. >> ONE IS DR. YOUNG, AND WHO ARE THE OTHER TWO? >> RYAN GREYER, AND JOSHUA DEAN. >> YOU'RE HERE IN THE AUDIENCE.\r\n\r\nYOUR EXTENUATING CIRCUMSTANCES? YOU KNOW WHY? OUR PROCEDURE HAS CHANGED. SO THAT WE ALLOW TESTIMONY BEFORE EACH ITEM IS CALLED UP. SO IF YOU ARE GOING TO CATCH A PLANE, OR YOU KNOW, HAVE SOME KIND OF APPOINTMENT YOU HAVE TO GO TO, YES AND THEN THE OTHER GENTLEMAN? MEMBERS, ANY OBJECTIONS TO ALLOWING -- WE DIDN'T CHECK WITH DR. YOUNG.\r\n\r\nCAN YOU CHECK, MADAM CLERK, WITH DR. GENESIS YOUNG. HE HAS AN APPOINTMENT. SO WE HAVE TWO PEOPLE WHO HAVE APPOINTMENTS. IS THERE ANY OBJECTIONS TO LETTING THEM TESTIFY NOW? >> CHAIR? >> YES.\r\n\r\n>> COULD WE ADD INGRID COETZEE. >> SURE. CAN YOU SAY THE NAME AGAIN. >> HER NAME IS INGRID COETZEE. >> STAFF, CAN YOU PLEASE MONITOR THAT? ALL RIGHT. MADAM CLERK, COULD YOU CALL UP THE TWO PEOPLE >> OUR FIRST TESTIFIER IS GENESIS YOUNG, AFTER GENESIS YOUNG TO BE FOLLOWED BY RYAN GREYER.\r\n\r\n>> ALOHA, AND THANK YOU. CAN YOU HEAR ME? >> YES, GOOD MORNING. >> GOOD MORNING. THANK YOU SO MUCH. TESTIFYING ON RESOLUTION 22-232 SUSTAINABLE TOURISM. I'M SPEAKING AS THE CHAIR OF

THE CLIMATE ACTION ADVISORY COMMITTEE AND THE SUB-COMMITTEE ON SUSTAINABLE TOURISM.\r\n\r\nWE HAVE BEEN WORKING TO CREATE AND TO COME UP WITH CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS. SOMEONE IN THE AUDIENCE WILL BE SPEAKING LATER, AND WILL BE SPEAKING TO THIS AS HE HAS DONE MOST OF THE WORK ON THIS, WITH THE CERTIFICATION PROCESS, GLOBAL TOURISM COUNCIL. I THINK IT'S A GOOD CERTIFICATION SYSTEM, AND IT'S NOT BRAINWASHING LIKE SOME OF THESE OTHER ONES ARE, AND CAN APPLY TO MULTIPLE DOMAINS OF SUSTAINABLE TOURISM. THIS WILL HELP US WITH SUSTAINABLE TOURISM QUALITY, PARTICULARLY, WORKING ON QUANTITY WITH THE BILL COMING UP AND THE MORATORIUM, THE TIG. ALL OF THAT IS GREAT STUFF, AND GETTING CERTIFICATION IN OPERATION WOULD BE IMPORTANT TO ACTUALLY IMPLEMENT CERTIFICATION. SO I REALLY SUPPORT THIS BILL, THIS RESOLUTION, RATHER, AND PLEASE PASS IT UNANIMOUSLY. I WILL TURN TO THE NEXT ONE, WHICH WOULD BE RESO 22-206. EMINENT DOMAIN TO REQUIRE MAUKA MA'ALAEA PROPERTY, WHICH I SPOKE ON BEFORE.\r\n\r\nI THINK EMINENT DOMAIN IS REALLY IMPORTANT TO USE IN THIS CASE, ANY CASE TO USE IS THIS ONE, WHAT I BELIEVE ARE UNFAIR NEGOTIATIONS THAT HAVE HAPPENED. CONCERNING THIS REALLY IMPORTANT PARCEL. THE CURRENT OWNERS BOUGHT IT KNOWING IT WAS ALREADY WANTED AND WAS SUPPOSED TO BE BOUGHT BY THE COUNTY. SO I DON'T REALLY THINK THEY ARE BEING DAMAGED BY EMINENT DOMAIN AND EMINENT DOMAIN DOES, OF COURSE, PROVIDE THEM FAIR MARKET VALUE. IT'S A PROCESS TO MAKE IT SO THE COUNTY CAN BE ON AN EQUAL FOOTING AND NEGOTIATE, AND THE PUBLIC -- SO IF EVER THERE WAS A TIME, IT'S NOW TO USE ON THIS RESOLUTION, ON THIS PARTICULAR PIECE OF PROPERTY. SO I REALLY SUPPORT THE USE OF EMINENT DOMAIN FOR ACQUIRING THIS PROPERTY. IT'S AN IMPORTANT PROPERTY THAT HAS BEEN DISCUSSED IN PAST TESTIMONIES.\r\n\r\nSO I WANT TO SAY I SUPPORT THAT, AND ASK THAT YOU ALSO PASS THAT UNANIMOUSLY. THEN THE OUTDOOR LIGHTING BILL 21, LET'S GET THIS PASSED UNANIMOUSLY. IT'S A GREAT THING. WE NEED TO PROTECT OUR ENVIRONMENT, OUR BIRDS, OUR DARK SKIES, AND I WOULD LIKE TO SEE FOR MYSELF FEWER LIGHTS. THAT WAY WE CAN SEE THE STARS AND HAVE MORE CONNECTION AND IT WAS REALLY NEVER MEANT TO HAVE NIGHTS. WE AS HUMANS CREATED THAT. THAT IS NOT THE NATURAL ORDER OF THINGS.\r\n\r\nSO REALLY WANT TO SEE THAT PASSED AND SUPPORT THAT. AND THEN THE ENERGY CODE, WE HAVE BEEN WORKING IN THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE ON THE ENERGY CODE. AS MANY OF YOU MAY REALIZE, HOPEFULLY ALL OF YOU DO, THE ENERGY CODE IS GOING TO COME IN DECEMBER, WHETHER WE LIKE IT OR NOT, BECAUSE THE STATE ALREADY PASSED IT. THIS IS OUR OPPORTUNITY. IT DOESN'T COME UP EVERY YEAR TO PUT IN BETTER ENERGY CODE REQUIREMENTS. SO BILL 153 SHOULD PASS. I WOULD ASK YOU TO GO EVEN FURTHER AND ASK THE SOLAR PANEL ON ALL NEW CONSTRUCTION, ALL BUILDINGS ACTUALLY BE BUILT WITH SOLAR PANELS IN PLACE.\r\n\r\nTHIS WOULD GO A LONG WAY TO GETTING DISTRIBUTED SOLAR, RATHER THAN SOLAR FARMS BEING BUILT. WE COULD HAVE DISTRIBUTED SOLAR ON ALL OF THE ROOFS MUCH MORE EASILY THAT WAY WITH NEW CONSTRUCTION. THAT'S IT. I HOPE I DIDN'T TAKE UP TOO MUCH OF YOUR TIME. THANK YOU FOR LETTING ME SPEAK AT THE BEGINNING. THANK YOU.

ALOHA.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU. MEMBERS, ANY CLARIFYING QUESTIONS? MEMBER KING. >> JUST A QUICK CLARIFYING ISSUE. THANK YOU FOR BEING HERE, DR. YOUNG, AND FOR YOUR ADVOCACY FOR NATURAL RESOURCES. JUST WANTED TO CLARIFY THAT THE ENERGY CODE BILL IS BEING REFERRED BACK TO COMMITTEE.\r\n\r\nSO WE HAD TO GET THAT ON THE AGENDA FOR REFERRAL, BECAUSE WE DIDN'T ACTUALLY HAVE A BILL ON THE AGENDA WHEN WE TALKED ABOUT THE ISSUE. SO WE WON'T -- WE'LL JUST BE REFERRING IT BACK AND I KNOW YOU WILL BE IN THE DISCUSSIONS IN THE CARE COMMITTEE. THANK YOU. >> THAT'S TRUE. THANK YOU. ANY MORE QUESTIONS? IF NOT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH,

DR.\r\n\r\nYOUNG. MEMBERS, I MEANT TO MENTION EARLIER, I REALLY APPRECIATE IT IF YOUR CLARIFYING QUESTIONS WOULD BE CONFINED TO ONE MINUTE. WE HAVE A VERY HEAVY AGENDA TODAY. OVER 56 ITEMS. I WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR QUESTIONS AT ONE MINUTE AND WHEN WE HAVE DISCUSSION, ONE MINUTE FOR THE FIRST-ROUND AND ONE MINUTE FOR THE SECOND ROUND. NEXT PERSON >> OUR NEXT TESTIFIER IS RYAN GREETHER, TO BE FOLLOWED BY INGRID COETZEE. >> GOOD MORNING.\r\n\r\n>> GOOD MORNING. GOOD MORNING COUNCIL MEMBERS. MY NAME IS RYAN GREETHER, AND I'M HERE TODAY ON BEHALF OF THE OWNERS OF THE 257-ACRE PARCEL BEING CONSIDERED FOR EMINENT DOMAIN -- RESOLUTION 22-206. AS THE DEVELOPER, WE WOULD OFTEN PRESENT OUR PROJECT DETAILS IN THIS VENUE. HOWEVER, TODAY I'M HERE TO TALK ABOUT OUR PROCESS. WE'RE COMMITTED TO DOING THE RIGHT THING FOR OUR COMMUNITY MEMBERS, ALL OF THEM, BOTH YOUNG AND OLD. AND WE WANT TO HEAR YOUR NEEDS AND HOW BEST TO MEET THEM. NOW WE HAVE ONLY OWNED THIS PROPERTY FOR FIVE MONTHS.\r\n\r\nHARDLY ENOUGH TIME TO GATHER FEEDBACK, AND DRAFT PLANS. THE REASON WE MADE THIS PURCHASE IS WE BELIEVE THAT SITE IS NOT PROVIDING A BENEFIT TO THE COMMUNITY, BUT IT HAS THE POTENTIAL TO BE SO MUCH MORE. SO ALL OF THE ISSUES WITH THE LAND THAT HAVE BEEN DISCUSSED CAN BE FIXED. AND WE'D LIKE TO OPEN A DIALOGUE WITH YOU IN ORDER TO BEGIN THE PROCESS OF COLLABORATING TO SOLVE THOSE PROBLEMS. WE AGREE THAT THE NATURAL SYSTEMS ON THE LAND ARE STRESSED. SO WE ASK HOW CAN WE REPLENISH THE LAND? WHAT ARE THE BEST STORMWATER MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS?\r\n\r\nDO WE BUILD RETENTION BASINS OR BERMS AND SWALES TO FILTER RUN-OFF AND WHAT ABOUT NATURAL PLANTS AND NATURAL ECOLOGY? WE UNDERSTAND OUR COMMUNITY FACES MANY RISKS AND WE'RE SEEKING GUIDANCE OF HOW TO MITIGATE THOSE RISKS. THINGS LIKE FIRE PREVENTION AND CLIMATE CHANGE RESILIENCE AND WHAT ABOUT ENERGY STORAGE? OUR LOCATION IS RIGHT BY THE WIND TURBINES ON THE HILL AND IT'S A PERFECT SPOT FOR AN ENERGY STORAGE PROJECT. POINT IS THERE'S PLENTY OF SPACE ON THIS LAND TO INCLUDE ONES OF WORKFORCE HOMES AND SO MUCH MORE WE'RE SEEKING FEEDBACK FROM FUTURE HOMEBUYERS IN ORDER TO GUIDE OUR DESIGN PROCESS. SO I'M HERE TODAY IN HOPES OF AN OPPORTUNITY. AN OPPORTUNITY TO IMPROVE THE QUALITY OF LIFE OF MAUI RESIDENTS BY PROVIDING ACCESS TO DEEPLY AFFORDABLE HOMES IN THE SAFE AND RESILIENT COMMUNITY THAT REFLECTS OUR SHARED VALUES.\r\n\r\nSEEKING AN OPPORTUNITY TO LISTEN TO THE COMMUNITY ABOUT WHAT THEY NEED AND WANT FROM THIS LAND? AND AN OPPORTUNITY TO FORM A PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP WITH THE STATE AND THE COUNTY TO DEMONSTRATE THAT COLLABORATION CAN LEAD TO MEANINGFUL CHANGE FOR THE HEALTH OF THE WATERSHED AND SURROUNDING MARINE LIFE. WE HAVE READ AND LISTENED TO THE PRIOR TESTIMONY OF THOSE SUPPORTING EMINENT DOMAIN AND SOME SAID THEY HAVE BEEN WORKING ON THIS AS LONG AS 30 YEARS. SO WE PROPOSE A DIFFERENT PATH, ONE OF COOPERATING TO ACHIEVE POSITIVE CHANGE. AS YOU KNOW COMMUNITIES AND NATURAL SYSTEMS DO NOT STOP AND START AT PROPERTY LINES. SO WE MUST ALL WORK TOGETHER TO ADDRESS THE ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES AND QUALITY OF LIFE. SIMPLY PUT, WE NEED MORE TIME.\r\n\r\nPLEASE DON'T SAY NO AT THIS TIME. EMINENT DOMAIN CAN ALWAYS HAPPEN A LATER DATE IF THAT IS WHAT THE COMMUNITY DECIDES. SO ALL WE'RE ASKING FOR IS TO WIPE THE SLATE CLEAN AND START THE CONVERSATION. THANK YOU. >> QUESTIONS, MEMBERS? MEMBER PALTIN. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR.\r\n\r\nTHANK YOU, MR. GREETHER. I JUST WAS WONDERING, THIS IS A RESOLUTION; RIGHT? SO JUST CLARIFYING THAT YOU UNDERSTAND THAT IT HAS NO FORCE AND, EFFECT OF LAW? >> IT'S NEGATIVELY IMPACTING US. SO I WOULD RATHER NOT HAVE THE CLOUD OF EMINENT DOMAIN OVER THE PROPERTY, SO WE CAN WORK ON POSITIVE SOLUTIONS THANK YOU. >> THANKS.\r\n\r\n>> PRO TEM KAMA. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. THANK YOU FOR BEING HERE THIS MORNING. SO WHEN YOU SAY YOU WANTED TO HAVE A

COLLABORATIVE PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP RELATIONSHIP, WHO ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT HAVING THIS COLLABORATION WITH IN TERMS OF? DO YOU HAVE PEOPLE IN MIND? AGENCIES IN MIND? HAVE YOU STARTED THE DIALOGUE?\r\n\r\n>> YES, YES, I HAVE DEFINITELY STARTED THE DIALOGUE WITH MANY PEOPLE. UNFORTUNATELY, THE BACKGROUND OF THE CLOUD OF EMINENT DOMAIN, A LOT OF PEOPLE ARE RELUCTANT TO GET INVOLVED IN THE CONTROVERSY. BEHIND CLOSED DOORS A LOT OF PEOPLE HAVE GIVEN ME GREAT ADVICE AND DEMONSTRATED WILLINGNESS TO SOLVE THE PROBLEM AND THAT GIVES ME HOPE. >> THANK YOU. THANK YOU, CHAIR. >> ANY MORE QUESTIONS? DO YOU HAVE A QUESTION?\r\n\r\n>> I DO. >> VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. ALOHA AND MAHALO FOR YOUR TESTIMONY THIS MORNING. SO YOU SAID YOU WANTED TO START A DIALOGUE. HAVE YOU TRACKED DIALOGUE THAT HAS ALREADY TAKEN PLACE FOR DECADES FOR THAT AREA? >> YES.\r\n\r\nI HAVE BEGUN THAT PROCESS. I'M NOT THE EXPERT ON IT YET, THERE'S A LOT TO GET >> THERE'S A LOT OF DISCUSSION WHAT IS APPROPRIATE FOR THAT AREA. SO I THINK STARTING THERE AND PROBABLY ENDING THERE WOULD BE SUPER HELPFUL. MAHALO. MAHALO, CHAIR. >> ANYONE ELSE? THANK YOU VERY MUCH.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU. >> MADAM CLERK. >> OUR NEXT TESTIFIER IS INGRID COETZEE. >> GOOD MORNING. CAN YOU UNMUTE YOURSELF? THERE YOU GO WE STILL CAN'T HEAR YOU. CAN YOU TRY TO TURN OFF YOUR VIDEO AND JUST GO WITH THE AUDIO AND SEE IF THAT WILL HELP?\r\n\r\n>> TO THE TESTIFIER, YOU COULD TRY TO LOG OFF, TURN OFF YOUR DEVICE AND LOG BACK ON AND SEE IF THAT WORKS? MEMBER KING, WHERE IS SHE CALLING FROM? >> THE OPPOSITE SIDE OF THE GLOBE. >> PERHAPS WE CAN TAKE THE NEXT TESTIFIER. >> DO WE HAVE A NEXT TESTIFIER, MADAM CLERK? >> CHAIR, MS. COETZEE WAS THE LAST TESTIFIER WITH EXTENUATING CIRCUMSTANCES.\r\n\r\nTHEN OUR NEXT AGENDA ITEM WOULD BE THE CONSENT CALENDAR. >> MEMBERS, YES? MEMBER PALTIN? >> I WOULD LIKE TO PULL AN ITEM FROM THE CONSENT CALENDAR. >> OKAY. AS SOON AS WE TAKE IT UP. >> OKAY.\r\n\r\nTHANKS. >> SO MEMBERS CHAIR? >> YES. >> COULD YOU JUST ASK HER TO SEND IN WRITTEN TESTIMONY TO THE ITEM, MAYBE THERE'S SOMEONE WHO COULD READ HER TESTIMONY WHEN WE GET TO THAT POINT, IF IT'S SENT IN WRITING. >> ALL RIGHT. WHAT IS HER LAST NAME AGAIN? >> COETZEE.\r\n\r\n>> COETZEE. MS. COETZEE, IF YOU CAN HEAR ME, AND STAFF, CAN YOU PUT THIS IN THE CHAT FOR HER, TOO. ASK HER TO SEND HER TESTIMONY IN WRITING, AND THEN WE'LL READ IT AT THE RELEVANT TIME. SHE IS WHAT? SHE DID, OKAY. SINCE WE CAN'T GET HER BACK RIGHT NOW, WE HAVE TO MOVE ON.\r\n\r\nMADAM CLERK CONSENT CALENDAR. >> CHAIR, PROCEEDING WITH TESTIMONY. >> MEMBERS ANY OBJECTION TO CLOSING PUBLIC TESTIMONY AND ACCEPTING WRITTEN PUBLIC TESTIMONY AND SETTING THE CONSENT CALENDAR. >> NO OBJECTIONS. >> SO ORDERED. MEMBERS AT THIS TIME, WE'LL SET THE CONSENT CALENDAR. AS A REMINDER.\r\n\r\nTHE CONSENT CALENDAR CAN BE STILL BE ADJUSTED AFTER ITS SET. ARE THERE ANY REQUESTED CHANGES TO THE CONSENT CALENDAR AT THIS TIME? MEMBER PALTIN. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. I WOULD LIKE TO PULL OUT CC 22-245 FOR REFERRAL TO MY COMMITTEE. >> ANY OBJECTIONS, MEMBERS? >> NO OBJECTIONS.\r\n\r\n>> SO ORDERED, 245. ANY MORE? ANYONE ELSE WITH A REQUEST? OKAY. IF THERE ARE NO OBJECTIONS. THE CONSENT CALENDAR IS SET. BEFORE WE CONTINUE, I ENFORCING RULE 9F. MEMBERS MAY SPEAK FOR ONE MINUTE DURING THEIR FIRST OPPORTUNITY TO SPEAK ON A MOTION. DURING THEIR SECOND OPPORTUNITY, MEMBERS WILL HAVE ONE MINUTE AS WELL.\r\n\r\nWE'RE TRYING NO THE TO ENCOURAGE DEBATE OR DISCUSSION, SINCE THE DISCUSSION ALREADY TOOK PLACE -- SHOULD HAVE TAKEN PLACE IN COMMITTEE. ALL RIGHT, ACTION ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR, MADAM CLERK. >> CHAIR, PROCEEDING WITH TESTIMONY ON ITEMS IN THE CONSENT CALENDAR. THERE'S NOBODY SIGNED UP TO TESTIFY ON THAT. >> ALL RIGHT, ANY OBJECTIONS TO CLOSING TESTIMONY ON THE CONSENT

CALENDAR AT THIS TIME? >> NO OBJECTIONS. >> SO ORDERED.\r\n\r\nMADAM CLERK. >> PROCEEDING WITH THE CONSENT CALENDAR, YOU HAVE BEFORE YOU COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-236, FROM THE DIRECTOR OF HOUSING AND HUMAN CONCERNS TRANSMITTING A COPY OF THE NOTICE OF GRANT AWARD FROM THE STATE OF HAWAI'I, DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND FINANCE, FOR THE EMERGENCY RENTAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM IN THE AMOUNT OF \$72,300.37. COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-237, FROM YOUR DIRECTOR OF HOUSING AND HUMAN CONCERNS, TRANSMITTING A COPY OF THE NOTICE OF GRANT AWARD FROM THE STATE OF HAWAI'I, EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON AGING FOR THE NUTRITION SERVICES INCENTIVE PROGRAM IN THE AMOUNT OF \$514. COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-238 FROM YOUR CHIEF OF POLICE TRANSMITTING A COPY OF THE NOTICE OF GRANT AGREEMENT WITH THE OFFICE OF NATIONAL DRUG CONTROL POLICY FOR THE HIGH-INTENSITY DRUG TRAFFICKING AREAS GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$420,300. COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-239 FROM YOUR DIRECTOR OF FINANCE, INFORMING OF THE TRANSFER OF \$6127 FROM THE COUNTYWIDE COSTS SALARY ADJUSTS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT, ADMINISTRATION PROGRAM. COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-240, FROM YOUR MAYOR, INFORMING OF THE APPOINTMENT OF ROGERENE KALI ARCE TO THE CONSERVATION PLANNING COMMISSION. COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-241 FROM YOUR MAYOR, INFORMING THE APPOINTMENT OF LISA-ANN KEHAUNANI KAHALEAUKI TO THE COMMISSION ON HEALING SOLUTIONS FOR HOMELESSNESS. COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-242 ARE FROM YOUR PLANNING DIRECTOR INFORMING OF SOUTH MAUI ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERS' TERMS OF SERVICE. COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-243 FROM YOUR PLANNING DIRECTOR INFORMING OF PA'IA HAIKU ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERS' TERMS OF SERVICE. COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-244, FROM YOUR DIRECTOR OF FINANCE, INFORMING OF THE ACCEPTANCE OF WATERLINE EASEMENT LOT 1-I, OMAOPIO EHIKU SUBDIVISION, TMK (2)2-3-003:060. AND COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22- 245 FROM YOUR DEPUTY PLANNING DIRECTOR TRANSMITTING A SUMMARY AND DETAILED REPORT OF THE SPECIAL MANAGEMENT AREA SMA REVOLVING FUND VIOLATIONS AND AMOUNT OF FINES COLLECTED FROM JULY 1ST, 2019 TO DECEMBER 31, 2021. >> WE PULLED THAT OUT.\r\n\r\n>> RIGHT. >> VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. I MOVE TO FILE ALL OF THE ITEMS THAT REMAIN ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR. >> SECOND. >> MOVED BY VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ AND SECONDED BY MEMBER KING TO FILE ALL OF THE ITEMS AS READ ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR. ANY OBJECTIONS, MEMBERS?\r\n\r\nSO ORDERED -- I'M SORRY, IT'S A MOTION. ALL IN FAVOR, UNLESS YOU HAVE DISCUSSION? NO DISCUSSION. >> NO DISCUSSION. >> ALL RIGHT, ALL IN FAVOR, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> EIGHT AYES, ONE EXCUSED, MOTION CARRIES.\r\n\r\nMADAM CLERK. >> CHAIR, PROCEEDING WITH TESTIMONY ON COUNTY COMMUNICATIONS. GOOD MORNING LUCIENNE, ARE YOU THERE? THERE SHE IS. I SEE HER ON THE CALL. >> I'M SORRY, IT'S HARD TO FOLLOW WHAT ITEM ARE YOU GUYS ON NOW? >> COMMUNICATIONS.\r\n\r\n>> OKAY. AND WHAT QUALIFIES FOR COMMUNICATIONS? >> THE LETTER I ON THE AGENDA. AND THEN WE HAVE CC 22-249. >> CHAIR? >> YES? VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> IS IT 248 AS WELL.\r\n\r\n>> THE A&B PROPERTIES IS WHAT YOU SIGNED UP FOR, MS. DE NAIE. >> THANK YOU. I WOULD LIKE TO TESTIFY ON 248, AND MAYBE SOME OTHERS. I DIDN'T SORT THEM BY COMMUNICATIONS. I JUST SORTED THEM BY ITEMS I HAD SOME EXPERTISE ON. TESTIFYING ON BEHALF OF THE SIERRA CLUB MAUI GROUP.\r\n\r\nTHIS IS, YOU KNOW, THIS IS A LONG SOUGHT AFTER COMMUNITY BENEFIT, HAVING THESE DIFFERENT PARCELS BETWEEN MAMA'S FISH HOUSE AND BALDWIN BEACH FROM BABY BEACH ALL THE WAY DOWN TO THE PAVILION, AND THE OTHER RAINBOW PARK, SOME OF OUR ALOHA -- ALL OF THESE PLACES ARE WELL-USED, AND I'M ASSUMING THIS ITEM IS ON YOUR AGENDA JUST TO CORRECT THE MAP FOR BALDWIN BEACH. I STAND IN STRONG SUPPORT FOR THE CORRECTED MAP, WHERE THE MAJORITY OF THE BEACH IS PLACED AS PART OF THE COUNTY BEACH

PARK, AND THAT IF WE HAD CHANGES IN EROSION RATES, THERE WOULD STILL BE PLENTY OF BEACH IN FUTURE AND JUST STANDING IN SUPPORT OF THAT. I'M SORRY, I DON'T KNOW WHAT OTHER -- PERHAPS THE CLERK COULD HELP ME, IF ANYONE ELSE I SIGNED UP FOR IS UNDER THIS TESTIMONY PERIOD? >> CLERK? >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. THIS IS THE ONLY ITEM THAT IS SIGNED UP UNDER "COMMUNICATIONS." AND THEN THERE ARE OTHER ITEMS AS WE MOVE ALONG THE AGENDA THAT YOU ARE SIGNED UP FOR. >> THANK YOU.\r\n\r\nI'M COMPLETE. THANK YOU SO MUCH. >> THANK YOU. QUESTIONS, MEMBERS? IF NOT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH, MS. DE NAIE. MADAM CLERK.\r\n\r\n>> CHAIR, NO OTHER INDIVIDUALS HAVE SIGNED UP TO TESTIFY ON THESE ITEMS. IF ANYONE WANTS TO TESTIFY ON COUNTY COMMUNICATIONS, PLEASE IDENTIFY YOURSELF NOW; THIS IS THE LAST CALL FOR TESTIMONY ON THESE ITEMS. >> MEMBERS, ANY OBJECTIONS TO CLOSING PUBLIC TESTIMONY AND ACCEPTING WRITTEN TESTIMONY FOR COUNTY COMMUNICATIONS? >> NO OBJECTIONS. >> SO ORDERED. MADAM CLERK. >> CHAIR, PROCEEDING WITH COUNTY COMMUNICATIONS.\r\n\r\nYOU HAVE BEFORE YOU COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-245 FROM YOU'RE DEPUTY PLANNING DEPARTMENT TRANSMITTING A SUMMARY AND DETAILED REPORT OF THE SPECIAL MANAGEMENT AREA REVOLVING FUND VIOLATIONS AND AMOUNT OF FINE COLLECTS FROM JULY 1, 2019 TO DECEMBER 31, 2021. >> COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-246, FROM COUNCIL MEMBER SUGIMURA, RELATING TO COUNCIL MEMBERS' REPORT ON THE MAUI METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION POLICY BOARD MEETING ON AUGUST 15, 2022. >> MEMBER SUGIMURA. >> CHAIR, THANK YOU. I MOVE TO FILE COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-246. >> SECOND. >> MOVED BY MEMBER SUGIMURA, SECONDED BY PRO TEM KAMA TO FILE COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-246. DISCUSSION, MEMBER SUGIMURA? >> THANK YOU. BECAUSE OF THE SUNSHINE LAW, SPECIFICALLY, THE REQUIREMENT IN SECTION 92-2.5 (E) HAWAI'I REVISED STATUTES PROVIDING THIS REPORT THAT COUNCIL MEMBER SINENCI, PALTIN AND YOU ARE BOARD MEMBERS OF THE MAUI METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION, OR MPO. AND THIS IS REGARDING A MEETING OF AUGUST 15TH FROM 5-6:12 P.M., VIDEOCONFERENCE.\r\n\r\nTHE BOARD OFFERED THE OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC TESTIMONY, AND TWO PEOPLE TESTIFIED. AMONG THE ITEMS DISCUSSED WERE THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S RESIGNATION, THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR RECRUITMENT PROCESS AND COPIES OF MEETING AGENDAS AND MINUTES CAN BE FOUND ON THE WEBSITE WWW.MAUI.MPO.ORG, AND THE MEETING WAS NOT SPECIFICALLY OR EXCLUSIVELY ORGANIZED FOR OR DIRECTED TOWARDS COUNCIL MEMBERS AND NO COMMITMENT RELATING TO A COUNCIL VOTE WAS MADE OR SOUGHT. CHAIR THAT CONCLUDES MY REPORT. >> THANK YOU. ANY QUESTIONS FOR MEMBER SUGIMURA? IF NOT, ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE MOTION TO FILE, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE.\r\n\r\n>> EIGHT AYES, ONE EXCUSED. MOTION CARRIES THANK YOU. MADAM CLERK. >> OUR NEXT ITEM IS COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-247 FROM YOUR BUDGET DIRECTOR TRANSMITTING A PROPOSED REVISED BILL 139 (2022) ENTITLED, "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING APPENDIX A OF THE FISCAL YEAR 2023 BUDGET FOR THE COUNTY OF MAUI AS IT PERTAINS TO PART II, SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUES, SCHEDULE OF REVOLVING/SPECIAL FUNDS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2023, AFFORDABLE HOUSING FUND LAHAINA CROSSROADS APARTMENTS." >> VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. IF THERE'S NO OBJECTIONS I WOULD ASK THAT THE COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-247 BE DEFERRED UNTIL BILL 139 (2022) IS TAKEN UP. >> ANY OBJECTIONS?\r\n\r\n>> NO OBJECTIONS. >> SO ORDERED. PLEASE PROCEED, MADAM CLERK. >> CONTINUING WITH COUNTY COMMUNICATIONS 22-248, FROM YOUR BUDGET DIRECTOR TRANSMITTING A PROPOSED REVISED RESOLUTION 22-208 ENTITLED, "ACCEPTING DEDICATION OF VARIOUS PARKS FROM ALEXANDER & BALDWIN, LLC., AND A&B PROPERTIES HAWAI'I, LLC. SITUATED IN VARIOUS LOCATIONS ON MAUI, HAWAI'I UNDERSTAND SECTION 3.44.015 MAUI COUNTY CODE." >> MEMBER SUGIMURA. >> THANK YOU. IF THERE ARE NO OBJECTIONS, I WOULD ASK THAT COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-248 BE

DEFERRED UNTIL COMMITTEE REPORT 22-104 IS TAKEN UP.\r\n\r\n>> ANY OBJECTIONS, MEMBERS? >> NO OBJECTIONS. >> SO ORDERED. MADAM CLERK. >> CHAIR, PROCEEDING WITH COUNTY COMMUNICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR REFERRAL TO YOUR BUDGET AND FINANCE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE, COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-249 FROM YOUR DIRECTOR OF FINANCE REPORTING ON TEMPORARY TRANSFERS/LOANS FROM THE GENERAL FUND AND DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY REVENUE FUND TO THE GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND SERIES FUND AS OF AUGUST 31, 2022. COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-250 FROM YOUR DIRECTOR OF FINANCE TRANSMITTING THE SUMMARY OF TOTAL FUNDED INDEBTEDNESS OF THE COUNTY'S OUTSTANDING AND UNPAID AS OF JULY 1ST, 2022. COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-251, FROM YOUR DIRECTOR OF FINANCE, TRANSMITTING THE SUPPLEMENTAL SUMMARY OF TOTAL FUNDED INDEBTEDNESS OF THE COUNTY'S OUTSTANDING AND UNPAID AS OF SEPTEMBER 7TH, 2022. COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-252 FROM YOUR DIRECTOR OF FINANCE, TRANSMITTING THE DIRECTOR OF FINANCE'S QUARTERLY REPORT FOR FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2021 TO JUNE 30, 2022 AS OF JUNE 30, 2022, AND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM REPORT AS OF JUNE 30, 2022. >> ALL RIGHT. ANY OBJECTIONS TO THESE REFERRALS? >> NO OBJECTIONS.\r\n\r\n>> SO ORDERED. >> TO YOUR INFRASTRUCTURE AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE, COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-253 FROM YOUR DIRECTOR OF WATER SUPPLY TRANSMITTING THE STATE OF HAWAI'I COMMISSION ON WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT WATER USE REPORTS FOR JULY 2022 FOR ALL REGISTERED WELL REPORTERS IN THE COUNTY OF MAUI. >> ANY OBJECTIONS TO THIS REFERRAL? >> NO OBJECTIONS. >> SO ORDERED. THE ONE PULLED OUT OF THE CONSENT CALENDAR WILL BE REFERRED TO COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-245 WILL BE REFERRED TO THE PSLU COMMITTEE. >> ANY OBJECTIONS TO THAT, MEMBERS?\r\n\r\n>> NO OBJECTION. >> SO ORDERED. COMMITTEE REPORTS. >> CHAIR, PROCEEDING WITH TESTIMONY ON COMMITTEE REPORTS. WE HAVE MIKE MORAN SCHEDULED TO TESTIFY, TO BE FOLLOWED BY JOSHUA DEAN. >> GOOD MORNING, CHAIR LEE, AND COUNCIL MEMBERS. MIKE MORAN FOR THE KIHEI COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION ON 22-98. AS MANY OF YOU KNOW, OUR ASSOCIATION, EVEN THOUGH IT'S NAMED KIHEI DOES REPRESENT ALL OF SOUTH MAUI AND OUR AREA PRETTY MUCH REPRESENTS WHAT THE COUNCIL'S SOUTH MAUI DISTRICT DOES.\r\n\r\nSO LOOKING AT THAT, WE PRETTY MUCH, ALL OF OUR AREA SURROUNDS MA'ALAEA BAY. SO ANYTHING HAPPENING IN THAT AREA IS A CONCERN OF OURS. I CAN SAY -- OUR ASSOCIATION HAS BEEN AROUND SINCE 1960 AND I CAN SAY THIS TOPIC HAS BEEN A CONCERN OF KCA FOR AT LEAST CLOSE TO TWO DECADES. SO YES, IT'S NOT A NEW ISSUE, AND UNFORTUNATELY SOMETIMES PEOPLE COME INTO THE GAME LATE, AND SAY OH, WAIT A MINUTE, SLOW THIS PROCESS DOWN. WE WANT TO TAKE A NEW LOOK AT IT, AND YOU ALL HAVE LOOKED AT IT EXTENSIVELY, AND WE HAVE SEEN HISTORICALLY IT'S BEEN UNDER DIFFERENT OWNERSHIP, AND THERE ALWAYS SEEMS TO BE AGREE BY MOST EVERYONE. IT'S JUST NOT A GOOD PLACE FOR DEVELOPMENT. AS YOU ALL KNOW, WE THOUGHT WE HAD A DONE-DEAL EARLIER THIS YEAR, AND THEN OOPS, RUG PULLED OUT AND WE GO THROUGH THIS AGAIN.\r\n\r\nSO WE HOPE THERE'S NO MORE DELAYS AND DISTRACTIONS AND YOU CAN TAKE THIS ACTION TO COMPENSATE THE LANDOWNER FOR THE LAND, AND WE CAN PRESERVE THE LAND AND PARTICULARLY THE KAI THAT IS BEING DISTURBED AT LEAST ON THAT ONE SIDE OF MA'ALAEA. THANK YOU FOR THE OPPORTUNITY TO PRESENT OUR VIEW. >> THANK YOU. MEMBERS, QUESTIONS? NO QUESTIONS. THANK YOU VERY MUCH. >> TALK TO YOU LATER.\r\n\r\n>> OKAY. >> OUR NEXT TESTIFIER, CHAIR, IS LUCIENNE DE NAIE, TO BE FOLLOWED BY LYNN BRITTON. >> WELL, WE HAVE BEEN AROUND AND AROUND ON THIS. IT WAS NICE TO HEAR FROM RYAN. RYAN DID REACH OUT TO ME ABOUT SCHEDULING A CLEAN-UP ON THE LAND. THIS WAS A REQUEST BROKERED THROUGH THE TRUST FOR PUBLIC LAND AND THANK GOODNESS, THEY ARE THERE. OF COURSE, THE COMMUNITY WOULD BE VERY HAPPY TO PARTICIPATE IN A CLEAN UP ON THE LAND, BUT THAT DOESN'T

COVER UP THE FACT THAT THESE HUNDRED NEW PORTABLE HOMES -- NEW HOMES HAVE ACTUALLY NO RELIABLE, POTABLE WATER SOURCE.\r\n\r\nTHE WELLS THAT ARE ON THE PROPERTY ALREADY HAVE CHLORIDES THAT WOULD NOT BE ACCEPTABLE TO OUR DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY. SO THEY ARE GOING TO HAVE TO HAVE A FILTRATION SYSTEM. THAT IS GOING TO MAKE THEIR WATER MORE EXPENSIVE. THE PIECES DON'T FIT FOR AN AFFORDABLE HOUSING PROJECT. AND THIS PLACE HAS SO MANY EROSIONAL FEATURES. IT'S LIKE WHEREVER YOU BUILD, IT'S JUST GOING TO BE TOUGH TO MINIMIZE ADDITIONAL IMPACTS. HOPEFULLY, THERE WILL BE A SEWAGE TREATMENT PLANT IN THIS AREA SOON, BUT IF THIS PROJECT IS GOING TO BE BUILT NOW, ARE THEY GOING DO THEIR OWN WWTP WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT?\r\n\r\nAND SEPTIC SYSTEMS AS PROPOSED IN THE PAST? THERE'S SO MUCH UNKNOWNNS. THERE'S IS AN AREA, THAT IT USED TO BE STATE LAND. THE STATE TRADED ABOUT 35 ACRES OF THIS -- OR 50 ACRES OF THIS LAND BACK IN THE 1930S, SO THEY COULD REALIGN THE HIGHWAY. IT REALLY SHOULD BE PUBLIC LAND AND SHOULD BE PUBLICLY MANAGED WITH THE PUBLIC LAND THAT SURROUNDS THIS, RATHER THAN PUTTING 100 NEW HOMEOWNERS AT RISK OF AN UNRELIABLE WATER SUPPLY, HIGH FIRE DANGERS, AND UNWITTINGLY CONTRIBUTING TO ADDITIONAL EROSION, AND DEGRADATION OF THE WATERS OF MA'ALAEA BAY. SO LET'S GIVE THIS PROCESS A CHANCE. I FULLY BELIEVE MR.\r\n\r\nMARTIN AND OTHERS WHO WANT TO BUILD AFFORDABLE HOUSING SHOULD BE TREATED OR GIVEN OPPORTUNITIES ON LAND THAT IS SUITABLE FOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING. THEIR INTENTIONS ARE GOOD. IT'S JUST THEY NEED TO BE DIRECTED WHERE IT MAKES SENSE TO HAVE AFFORDABLE HOUSING. MAHALO. >> THANK YOU. QUESTIONS, MEMBERS? MEMBER KING AND THEN MEMBER SUGIMURA.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU, CHAIR. I WILL LET MEMBER SUGIMURA GO FIRST >> MEMBER SUGIMURA. >> I THINK YOU HAVE A BACKGROUND SOUND. >> I DO, I HAVE A ROOSTER. >> IF YOU HAVE ANY SOLUTIONS FOR HELPING MITIGATE CHICKEN CONTROL IN RESIDENTIAL AREAS? BECAUSE IT'S ONE OF THE ITEMS THAT KEEPS ON COMING UP IN MY OFFICE. SO THAT IS PART OF YOUR TESTIMONY.\r\n\r\nI JUST THOUGHT I WOULD ASK YOU THAT QUESTION. [LAUGHTER] >> KIDDING. >> ALL WE DO IS SET OUT HUMANE TRAPS AND TRY TO TAKE THEM TO OUR NEIGHBOR, WHO RAISES CHICKENS, WHEN WE CAN CATCH THEM. THAT IS OUR ONLY SOLUTION. >> MEMBER KING. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. THANK YOU FOR BEING HERE, AGAIN, LUCIENNE.\r\n\r\nWE HEARD FROM A TESTIFIER THAT THEY WANT TO COMMUNICATE WITH THE COMMUNITY AND DO WHAT IS BEST FOR THE COMMUNITY. DO ANY OF THESE FOLKS COME OUT WHEN COUNTY WAS NEGOTIATING TO PURCHASE THIS PROPERTY AND TALK TO YOU FOLKS OR ANYBODY ELSE INVOLVED IN THE DESIRE TO CONSERVE THIS LAND THAT YOU KNOW OF? WERE THEY AROUND BACK THEN? I DON'T REMEMBER HEARING FROM THEM. I WONDERED IF YOU DID. >> WEST MAUI LAND WAS NOT PART OF THOSE CONVERSATIONS AT THAT TIME. WE DID HAVE SOME CONVERSATIONS WITH THE SPENCER FAMILY, BUT NOT WITH WEST MAUI LAND, NO.\r\n\r\n>> OKAY. THANK YOU. THANK YOU, CHAIR. >> ANYONE ELSE? IF NOT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH. OUR NEXT TESTIFIER. >> NEXT TESTIFIER IS LYNN BRITTON, FOLLOWED BY ROBIN KNOX.\r\n\r\n>> GOOD MORNING. ALOHA AND NAMASTE. AS COUNCIL CHAIR LEE MENTIONED AT THE BEGINNING, WHEN SHE TOLD HER STORY, IT'S ALL ABOUT LOCATION, LOCATION, LOCATION. BETTER SPEAKERS THAN I HAVE ADDRESSED THIS REGARDING ALTERNATIVES FOR THE DEVELOPER. IN MY TESTIMONY, I SUBMITTED YESTERDAY, I KIND OF REVIEWED THE ISSUES. THIS PARCEL -- PART OF THE PROJECT DISTRICT 12 IS OUTSIDE OF THE URBAN GROWTH BOUNDARY, ONLY 21 AG LOTS WERE PERMITTED ACCORDINGLY. AND THE PREVIOUS OWNER WAS VERY HAPPY TO SELL THE PARCEL TO THE COUNTY, AND FELT THAT THE OPEN SPACE, AND THE ADDRESSING OF THE WASTEWATER -- I MEAN THE SEDIMENTATION AND THE WILDFIRE, WE HAVE THEM SAYING THIS WAS THE BEST USE FOR THE PROPERTY.\r\n\r\nSO WE HAVE BEEN DOING THIS ROUTE BEFORE, WITH THE COMMUNITY AND THE COUNCIL TRIED TO NEGOTIATE, AND ALLOWED THEM TO

KEEP PART OF IT FOR DEVELOPMENT AND IT ALL TURNED OUT WITH THE POHAKEA STUDY THIS WAS BEST ANSWER TO RESTORE MA'ALAEA BAY, AS WELL AS TO RETAIN THE SCENIC VISTAS THAT ARE GOING TO BE MORE AND MORE IMPORTANT AS MAUI PROCEEDS FURTHER DOWN THE CENTURY. SO I WANT TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE COUNCIL AND COUNCIL MEMBER KELLY KING FOR GETTING THIS FAR AND FOR THE MEMBERS OF CARES COMMITTEE FOR UNANIMOUSLY SUPPORTING THIS AND I JUST WANT TO ENCOURAGE YOU TO CONTINUE DOWN THIS PATH. THERE IS NO ALTERNATIVE, AND TO HAVE PARKS AND LAHAINA TRAIL AND THE OPPORTUNITIES TO RESTORE MA'ALAEA BAY, THEY ARE ALL FUTURE, EXCITING OPPORTUNITIES THAT CANNOT BE ANSWERED BY A NEED FOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING, WHEN WE HAVE 1400 UNITS PLANNED FOR WAIKAPU, MORE ON THE WAY BETWEEN MA'ALAEA AND GAVE US AN ADDITIONAL \$1 MILLION TOWARDS THE PURCHASE, THEY SAW THE VALUE OF THIS LAND, AND ALL IT WILL MEAN FOR MAUI'S FUTURE. AGAIN, THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT. I KNOW IT'S GOING TO BE A LONG AGENDA. SO I'M GOING TO FINISH MY OFFICIAL TESTIMONY AND I'M HERE TO SUPPORT IN ANY WAY I CAN FROM HERE ON. THANK YOU VERY MUCH.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU. MEMBERS, QUESTIONS? MEMBER PALTIN. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. THANK YOU, MS. BRITTON FOR YOUR TESTIMONY. I JUST WAS WONDERING, HAS THE LEGACY LANDS \$1 MILLION BEEN COMMITTED, EVEN IN EMINENT DOMAIN SCENARIO?\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU, MEMBER PALTIN. I THINK YOU WEREN'T AT THE CARE COMMITTEE WHEN WE HAD TESTIMONY DOFAW. THEY SAID IT'S POSSIBLE TO USE THAT IN THE CASE OF EMINENT DOMAIN, THEY WOULD HAVE TO RESUBMIT IT AS FAR AS I KNOW, THERE IS STILL POSSIBILITY THERE. THE DOOR HAS NOT BEEN CLOSED. >> AND THAT WAS LANCE DE SILVA? >> YES. >> OKAY.\r\n\r\n\r\nTHANK YOU. >> OTHER QUESTIONS, MEMBERS? IF NOT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH, MS. BRITON. >> ALOHA. >> NEXT TESTIFIER. >> ROBIN KNOX, FOLLOWED BY LAWRENCE CARNICELLI.\r\n\r\n\r\n>> MY NAME IS ROBIN KNOX. I'M NOT A LOBBYIST AND TESTIFYING ON BEHALF OF MYSELF. GOOD MORNING CHAIR LEE AND COUNCIL MEMBERS. IT'S GOOD TO SEE YOU ALL. I REALLY WANT TO THANK YOU FOR HAVING WHAT IT TAKES TO VENTURE INTO THIS RESOLUTION FOR EMINENT DOMAIN. I KNOW THAT IS SOMETHING THAT IS NOT UNDERTAKEN LIGHTLY AND ONLY WHEN WARRANTED, AND YOU KNOW HOW MUCH RESEARCH AND INPUT THAT YOU HAVE RECEIVED. I BELIEVE THIS IS THE BEST AND HIGHEST USE OF THIS PROPERTY AND WILL BRING MULTIPLE BENEFITS, AS OTHERS HAVE TESTIFIED, TO OUR COMMUNITY.\r\n\r\n\r\nIT IS DISCOURAGING TO OUR COMMUNITY, WHEN A DEVELOPER COMES IN LIKE THIS, KNOWING THE INTENTIONS OF THE COMMUNITY, KNOWING HOW MUCH WORK HAS BEEN PUT IN BROKERING THIS DEAL, AND NOW WANTS TO PROPOSE USES THAT, TO ME, DO NOT SOUND COMPATIBLE WITH THE OTHER USES THAT THE COMMUNITY WOULD LIKE TO SEE. SO I JUST WANT TO LET YOU KNOW, I AM IN SUPPORT OF EMINENT DOMAIN PROCEEDINGS. AND THAT I REALLY APPRECIATE YOU STANDING UP FOR THE COMMUNITY. THANK YOU. >> THANK YOU. MEMBERS, QUESTIONS? IF NOT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH.\r\n\r\n\r\nMAY WE HAVE THE NEXT TESTIFIER. >> OUR NEXT TESTIFIER IS LAWRENCE CARNICELLI AND MR. CARNICELLI IS THE LAST TESTIFIER SIGNED UP FOR COMMITTEE REPORTS. >> GOOD MORNING. >> GOOD MORNING, CHAIR. MEMBERS. NAMASTE.\r\n\r\n\r\nLAWRENCE CARNICELLI, VICE PRESIDENT OF DEVELOPMENT OF BUILDERS TESTIFYING ON 22-97, FIRST AND FOREMOST, I WANT TO SAY THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR SUPPORT IN COMMITTEE. FOR YOUR CONTINUED WORK. WE REALLY APPRECIATE IT. I DON'T KNOW IF I WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO SPEAK WHEN THIS COMES UP. SO I FIGURED I WOULD DO THIS UNDER TESTIMONY. I ALSO APPRECIATE WORKING WITH OCS AND CORPORATION COUNSEL IN DRAFTING THE RESOLUTION. A LOT, A LOT OF HARD WORK AND A LOT OF HOURS GOING IN.\r\n\r\n\r\nTHERE IS ONE REQUEST THAT, IF I ALSO PART OF THE REASON I'M TESTIFYING NOW, THERE'S ONE SMALL TWEAK THAT WE WOULD ASK IN THE RESOLUTION. IN LETTER N, AS IN NANCY, THE LAST SENTENCE OF THE LAST PARAGRAPH. IT SAYS, "MUST CONSTRUCT SUBDIVISION REQUIREMENTS

OM APPLICABLE TO THE 133 04 ACRE PARCEL." WE WOULD APPRECIATE IF ONE MEMBER WOULD BRING UP ON THE FLOOR A MINOR CHANGE TO DELETE THE WORD "CONSTRUCT." AND SAY "COMPLY WITH." THERE ARE NUMEROUS ORDINANCES IN THE CODE, WHICH ALLOW -- WHICH BASICALLY, WHAT THIS DOES, IT PUTS A BIGGER RESTRICTION ON US THAN WHAT THE CODE DOES, POTENTIALLY. IT COULD BE CONSTRUED THAT WAY. WE WANT TO COMPLY WITH EVERYTHING, BUT IF IT SAYS "CONSTRUCTION," AS AN EXAMPLE, THE RETENTION BASIN THAT WE'RE TALKING ABOUT BUILDING IN COORDINATION WITH THE COUNTY, WHEN THAT HAPPENS, WE WOULD THEN HAVE TO CONSTRUCT ALL OF THE ROAD IMPROVEMENTS ALONG KUIKAHI DRIVE FOR THAT. WHEN WE GET A WATER METER FOR OUR FARMING OPERATIONS, IT COULD BE LOOKED AT THAT WE THEN ALSO HAVE TO CONSTRUCT ALL OF OUR ROAD IMPROVEMENTS ALONG KUIKAHI. SO IT COULD BE VIEWED AS THAT WAY.\r\n\r\nYOU KNOW, I HAVE TALKED TO PEOPLE, PUBLIC WORKS, PLANNING, WATER, CORPORATION COUNSEL, OCS, THAT WAS JUST ONE LITTLE THING THAT WE WOULD LIKE TO SAY, JUST FOR CLARIFICATION IS ALL. BUT CHAIR, I APPRECIATE IT, AND MEMBERS, AGAIN, APPRECIATE ALL OF YOUR HELP, AND HARD WORK AND SUPPORT FOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING -- I'M SORRY, WORK FORCE HOUSING FOR OUR COMMUNITY. THANK YOU, CHAIR. >> THANK YOU. MEMBERS, I SAW MEMBER MOLINA, AND MEMBER KING AND MEMBER SUGIMURA. >> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR. GOOD MORNING, MR.\r\n\r\nCARNICELLI, COULD YOU CLARIFY THAT PROPOSED LANGUAGE CHANGE? >> TO REPLACE THE WORD "CONSTRUCT," WITH "COMPLY WITH." SO THE SENTENCE WOULD READ," WHEN THE REMAINING 123.04-ACRE PARCEL OF THE ORIGINAL PARCEL IS DEVELOPED FURTHER SUBDIVIDED OR WATER SERVICES REQUESTED, THAT THE DEVELOPER OR ITS SUCCESSOR MUST COMPLY WITH SUBDIVISION REQUIREMENTS ONLY APPLICABLE. >> COULD YOU CITE THAT SECTION AGAIN? >> N AS IN NANCY. >> THANK YOU. MEMBER KING. >> JUST TO FOLLOW-UP UP, LAWRENCE, THE REASON YOU WANT IT CHANGE, YOU DON'T PERCEIVE YOURSELF AS HAVING TO CONSTRUCT?\r\n\r\n>> THERE'S CERTAIN TRIGGERS TO -- ONCE YOU GET A BUILDING PERMIT YOU HAVE TO. IF YOU COME IN FOR BUILDING PART ON ANY PART OF THE 133 ACRES YOU HAVE TO CONSTRUCT THAT. AS SAID, IF I GET A WATER METER, IF WE HAD DONE A LARGE-LOT -- I DON'T WANT TO GO TOO FAR DOWN THE RABBIT HOLE, BUT HAD WE DONE A LARGE-LOT SUBDIVISION WITH 133.97 ACRES, WE WOULDN'T BE HELD TO THIS STANDARD POTENTIALLY. BECAUSE DOING 100% AFFORDABLE, THIS CONDITION IS PLACED ON US -- >> THE REASON WHY YOU WANT THE CHANGE? YOU FEEL THE WAY IT'S WORDED WOULD REQUIRE YOU TO CONSTRUCT THESE COMPONENTS RIGHT NOW? >> NO, NO. AGAIN, I'M INTO THE SAYING THIS IS FOR SURE.\r\n\r\nTHIS IS NOTHING MORE THAN TRYING TO CLEAN IT UP. SOME PEOPLE SAY YES, IS THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS, I TALKED TO JORDAN MOLINA, AND HE SAID, YOU KNOW, NO IT WOULDN'T. BUT I DON'T WANT IT TO BE AT POINT IN TIME IN THE FUTURE, WHERE IT SAYS OKAY, YOU COME IN FOR A WATER METER AND NOW YOU HAVE TO PUT IN THE FIRE HYDRANTS UP-AND-DOWN KUIKAHI DRIVE. >> SO THE ISSUE THAT YOU MAY OR MAY NOT BE REQUIRED TO DO THAT CONSTRUCTION, BUT YOU DO HAVE TO HAVE COMPLIANCE. >> OH, YES. WE'RE GOING TO HAVE TO COMPLY. THAT IS WHY I SAID "COMPLY WITH THE LAW." WE'RE NOT ASKING FOR AN EXEMPTION. WE WANT TO COMPLY.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU. THANK YOU, CHAIR. >> MEMBER SUGIMURA. >> THANK YOU. I WAS GOING TO ASK THE SAME THING ABOUT WHICH SECTION? SO SINCE YOU ARE NOT GOING TO BE HERE, NOT SUPPOSED TO DO COMMITTEE WORK IN COUNCIL, BUT I GUESS WE CAN'T ASK FOR YOU TO BE A RESOURCE. SO YOU OKAY WITH THE REST OF THE CONDITIONS?\r\n\r\n>> YES. I THINK IT REFLECTS -- THE ENTIRE THING, WHEN I WAS TALKING TO OCS AND CORPORATION COUNSEL, DOES THIS RESOLUTION REFLECT WHAT THE CONVERSATIONS THAT WERE HAD IN COMMITTEE? I THINK THAT IT DOES. AND JUST LIKE I SAY, WITH THAT ONE WORD CHANGE, I THINK IT STILL DOES. IT'S JUST, AGAIN, A MINOR LITTLE TWEAK, JUST FOR CLARIFICATION IS

ALL . >> YOU ARE SAYING REST OF THE CONDITIONS YOU ARE FINE WITH >>
CORRECT. >> MEMBER TASHA KAMA. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR.\r\n\r\nI WANT TO BE
REAL CLEAR, THAT YOU ARE ASKING US UNDER ITEM N FOURTH PARAGRAPH, SECOND
SENTENCE, THIRD TO THE LAST WORD THAT SAYS DELETE THE WORD "CONSTRUCT."
AND INSERT THE WORDS "COMPLY WITH." >> YES, MEMBER KAMA. THANK YOU. >>
THANK YOU; THANK YOU, CHAIR. >> VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> THE WORD
"CONSTRUCT" APPEARS TWICE. WOULD YOU LIKE THEM BOTH CHANGED FOR
CONSISTENCY? AT THE BOTTOM, MUST CONSTRUCT SUBDIVISION REQUIREMENTS ONLY
APPLICABLE TO THE 133-ACRE PARCEL, JUST THE ONE PLACE?\r\n\r\n>> BOTH
PLACES WOULD BE GREAT. THANK YOU FOR THAT CATCH. >> THANK YOU, MR.
CARNICELLI. >> ANYBODY ELSE? ANY MORE QUESTIONS? IF NOT, THANK YOU VERY
MUCH, MR.\r\n\r\nCARNICELLI. >> THANK YOU VERY MUCH. I APPRECIATE IT. >>
MADAM CLERK. >> OUR NEXT TESTIFIER IS MR. DICK MAYER, AND CURRENTLY HE IS
THE LAST ONE SIGNED UP. >> NAMASTE, MY WIFE IS FROM INDIA AND WE USE THAT
WORD VERY OFTEN.\r\n\r\nTHE TWO ITEMS THAT I WOULD LIKE TO TALK ABOUT,
THE MA'ALAEA AND ALSO THE BICYCLES. WITH REGARD TO THE MA'ALAEA, I WOULD
LIKE TO GIVE YOU A LITTLE BIT OF BACKGROUND. WHEN THE GENERAL PLAN
ADVISORY COMMITTEE WAS PUTTING TOGETHER THE MAUI ISLAND PLAN, THE
COMMITTEE VOTED TO NOT PUT URBAN OR RURAL OR GROWTH -- IT WENT TO THE
PLANNING COMMISSION AND TO THE FULL COMMITTEE AND SO THERE ARE NO GROWTH
BOUNDARIES AROUND THIS PARCEL. THAT IS VERY CRITICAL, IT WAS INCLUDED IN
THE PLAN FOR SOUTH MAUI, BUT THE LATEST THINKING THIS WAS NOT AN
APPROPRIATE PLACE FOR DEVELOPMENT. THERE'S ONE LOOPHOLE, AND THAT IS THAT
AGRICULTURAL LAND, WHICH THIS STILL IS, COULD -- CAN BE PUT INTO BIG-LOT
SUBDIVISION OF VARIOUS KINDS. I THINK BY GOING THROUGH EMINENT DOMAIN AND
IN THE CONTROL OF THE COUNTY, TO LIMIT THAT POTENTIAL FOR HAVING A BUNCH
OF BIG ESTATES PUT ON THIS LAND OR ANYTHING ELSE THAT THE DEVELOPER MIGHT
WANT TO DO. SO I'M URGING YOU STRONGLY, PLEASE TAKE THIS LAND BY EMINENT
DOMAIN.\r\n\r\nI THINK IT'S IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST THE G PAC AND THE
PLANNING COMMISSION AND THE COUNCIL WHEN WE PUT TOGETHER THE MAUI ISLAND
PLAN. THERE WERE OTHER AREAS, WHICH WERE PUT ASIDE FOR GROWTH SUCH AS
WAIKAPU TOWN AND EXPANSION OF MAUI LANI IN THAT GENERAL AREA. THERE IS NO
FIRE SAFE NEARBY AND AMBULANCES -- IT'S JUST NOT THE RIGHT PLACE FOR
INTENSIVE DEVELOPMENT THAT COULD POTENTIALLY TAKE PLACE AND URGE EMINENT
DOMAIN. WITH REGARDS TO THE BICYCLE ORDINANCE, THERE'S A FEW WORDS THAT I
WOULD URGE YOU TO CHANGE. I BELIEVE YOU ALL VOTED 9-0 IN COMMITTEE TO
PASS THIS, BUT THE WORDING SOMEHOW IN COMMITTEE REPORT WAS MISSTATED WHEN
YOU FOLKS ALL VOTED ON IN THE COMMITTEE. THE WORDING I THINK I SENT IT TO
YOU ALL AND YOU ALSO HAVE IT, I THINK, IN YOUR -- IN THE DOCUMENTS THAT I
SUBMITTED AS WRITTEN TESTIMONY. THAT IS INSTEAD OF SAYING, "ONLY BETWEEN
1.0, AND 3 MILE-MARKER." SHOULD READ THAT "ONLY ABOVE THE 3-MILE-MARKER."
VERY SIMPLE WORD CHALLENGE TO CLARIFY THAT IS WHERE THE BICYCLES SHOULD
GO ABOVE THE KULA RESIDENTIAL AREA FROM THE NATIONAL PARK DOWN TO THE 3
MILE-MARKER AND NOT IN THE RESIDENTIAL AREA BETWEEN THE 0 AND 3 MILE-
MARKER.\r\n\r\nI HOPE YOU WILL BE ABLE TO DO THAT AND I THINK IT WILL BE
IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE COUNTY. SO I HOPE YOU AND TO MAKE THAT
AMENDMENT. I'M SURPRISED THIS IS ONLY A COMMITTEE REPORT AND NOT AT FIRST
READING YET. I HOPE YOU WILL PASS THIS AT FIRST READING TODAY AS AN ITEM,
RATHER THAN HAVING IT COMING BACK OVER AND OVER AND OVER AGAIN. THANK YOU
VERY MUCH, AND I'M AVAILABLE FOR ANY QUESTIONS. >> MR. MAYER, IT IS UP
FOR FIRST READING TODAY.\r\n\r\n>> OH, VERY GOOD. THANK YOU. >>
QUESTIONS, MEMBERS? IF NOT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH. >> THANK YOU, AND
NAMASTE. >> NAMASTE. >> WE HAVE ANOTHER TESTIFIER, MR.\r\n\r\nPETER
MARTIN AND THEN NOBODY IS CURRENTLY SIGNED ON TO TESTIFY ON COMMITTEE

REPORTS FOLLOWING HIM. >> MR. MARTIN. >> YES. GOOD MORNING, COUNCIL MEMBERS. LET'S SEE, I WROTE A SHORT EMAIL ABOUT THIS, AND MY PARTNERS ADVISED ME NOT TO TESTIFY -- I TRIED TO LISTEN QUICKLY AND TALK SLOWLY. I'M NOT TAKING THEIR ADVICE, BECAUSE I FEEL THAT WHAT I SAY IS BRIEF AND SHOULD BE CONSIDERED.\r\n\r\nPLEASE VOTE NO ON USING EMINENT DOMAIN TO STEAL THE LAND OWNED BY WEST MAUI CONSTRUCTION AND BUILDERS. IT IS KIND OF RUDE -- I SENT THIS IN AN EMAIL. I HOPE YOU READ IT. IT'S KIND OF RUDE FOR COUNCIL MEMBER KING TO NOT EVEN MEET WITH US, AND TALK-STORY BEFORE INITIATING THIS ACTION. THE IDEA OF US NOT BEING INVOLVED IN THIS LAND FOR MANY, MANY YEARS AND THE SPENCERS HAD NEGOTIATED TALKING ABOUT IT IS -- OUR INVOLVEMENT AND OUR EFFORT ON THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN A LOT OF ENERGY AND WE SPENT A LOT OF HARD-EARNED MONEY. I CAME OVER HERE, MY PARENTS -- MY DAD GOT A JOB -- ANYWAY. NEXT THOU SHALT NOT STEAL.\r\n\r\nI DO NOT THINK OUR COMMUNITY APPROVES OF TAKING PRIVATE PROPERTY FROM THE CITIZENS AGAINST THEIR WILL. JUST BECAUSE THE PRICE IS BY APPRAISAL, AND YOU THINK YOU ARE GIVING ME A FAIR PRICE, THE PRICE IS DETERMINED BY A WILLING SELLER. WE'RE NOT WILLING SELLERS. SO YOU ARE FORCING US TO SELL. THIS IS STEALING. THAT IS NOT RIGHT. AND YOU KNOW IT'S NOT RIGHT.\r\n\r\nEACH AND EVERY ONE OF YOU KNOWS IT'S NOT RIGHT AND EVERYBODY WHO TESTIFIES KNOWS IT'S NOT RIGHT AND THEY SAY IT'S FOR SOME PUBLIC GOOD, THAT IS MORE IMPORTANT THAN WHAT WE THINK IS GOOD. AND OH, WE'RE GOING TO FIND MR. MARTIN ANOTHER LOCATION. I HAVE BEEN INVOLVED WITH LAUNIUPOKO, ET CETERA -- FIRST IT WAS BACK IN 1981 I WAS INVOLVED IN THIS, GO FIND ANOTHER PLACE. MANY OF THESE PLACES EVENTUALLY GOT DEVELOPED AND PEOPLE ARE SO HAPPY THAT THEY ARE LIVING THERE. SO PLEASE, I WANT EACH COUNCIL MEMBER TO PLEASE TELL ME EXACTLY HOW MUCH OF YOUR MONEY YOU ARE GOING TO SPEND TO STEAL OUR PROPERTY? ARE YOU GOING TO SPEND ANY OF YOUR OWN MONEY?\r\n\r\n\$10? NO. I DON'T KNOW ABOUT ALL OF YOU, BUT YOU ARE VERY GENEROUS WITH THE TAXPAYERS MONEY. IT'S NOT YOUR MONEY. I WANT TO KNOW HOW MUCH YOU ARE WILLING TO SPEND TO BUY THE MA'ALAEA PROPERTY OR THE MA'ALAEA CITIZEN WHO WANT OPEN SPACE THAT LIVE IN MA'ALAEA? I WORKED THERE -- I WAS THERE WHEN THEY DEVELOPED THAT WITH LOIS AND ASSOCIATES IN THE '70S. NOW FOR THESE PEOPLE WHO LIVE THERE AND SAY THAT LOCAL PEOPLE CAN'T LIVE ACROSS THE STREET. I DON'T KNOW? SOMEBODY BETTER RETHINK ALL OF THIS.\r\n\r\nTHANK YOU. >> THANK YOU. MEMBERS, ANY CLARIFYING QUESTIONS? IF NOT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH. MAY WE HAVE THE NEXT TESTIFIER. >> CHAIR, THERE ARE NO OTHER TESTIFIERS LOGGED ON. THIS IS LAST CALL.\r\n\r\n>> ALOHA, CHAIR. >> WHERE YOU ARE? >> HELLO. >> MR. PEREZ. >> HI. GOOD MORNING.\r\n\r\n>> GOOD MORNING. >> YES, I WOULD LIKE TO TESTIFY ON TWO ITEMS. MA'ALAEA MAUKA AND ALSO THE BIKE TOURS. >> YOU MAY PROCEED. >> THANK YOU. SO FOR MA'ALAEA MAUKA, TESTIFYING ON MAUI TOMORROW AND SUPPORT THIS ACQUISITION THAT THE COMMUNITY HAS SPENT DECADES TRYING TO GET THIS LAND IN OPEN SPACE OF IT'S IN MAUI COUNTY OPEN SPACE STUDY FROM 2006 OF HAVING HIGH VALUE FOR THAT AS OTHER VALUES. TRYING TO CHANGE THE VEGETATION UP THERE.\r\n\r\nSO IT'S NOT SO FIRE-PRONE. SERVING AS SEDIMENT RETENTION. SO THAT WE CAN STOP SOME OF THE SEDIMENT THAT IS RUNNING TO MA'ALAEA BAY. ALSO, THE LAST-MINUTE PROPOSAL BY THE NEW OWNERS TO EXPLORE PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP IS NOT ATTRACTIVE. THIS LAND IS A FIRE HAZARD ZONE WITH EXTREMELY HIGH WINDS AND THAT IS WHY THEY PUT THE WINDMILLS UP ON THE TOP. SO WHEN YOU HAVE A FIRE THERE, IT CARRIES THE EMBERS FOR MILES, EASILY OVERWHELMING ANY KIND OF FIRE BREAK BUFFER. WE DON'T WANT TO BE PLACING PEOPLE IN HARM'S WAY BY BUILDING ANYTHING THERE.\r\n\r\nON THE OTHER HAND, THIS IS A GREAT PLACE FOR IMPROVING THE WATERSHED, AND PROTECTING MA'ALAEA BAY.

AND WITH REGARD TO THE COMMENTS FROM THE LAST TESTIFIER, EMINENT DOMAIN IS NOT STEALING. THIS HAS BEEN A VERY PUBLICLY STATED PUBLIC PURPOSE FOR A LONG TIME AND THE COUNTY GOT THE RUG PULLED OUT FROM UNDER IT. THIS JUST FOLLOWING THROUGH WITH THE COUNCIL'S INTENT, ACQUIRING THIS LAND FOR A FAIR PRICE FOR A PUBLIC PURPOSE IS THE RIGHT THING TO DO. I URGE YOU TO GO AHEAD. MOVING ON TO COMMITTEE REPORT 22-101, THE BIKE TOURS. AS MR. \r\n\r\nMAYER SAID, THERE IS A MISTAKE IN THE LANGUAGE THAT DOES NOT REFLECT THE DISCUSSION OF THE COUNCIL AT THE COMMITTEE MEETING. SO MILE-MARKER 0-3, WE DO NOT WANT THE STRETCH AND HALE'AKALA HIGHWAY ARE THE MOST DANGEROUS FOR THE BIKE TOURS. THEY DON'T HAVE BIKE LANES, BUT JUST NARROW SHOULDERS THAT DISAPPEAR AT TIMES. SO WE URGE YOU TO GO AHEAD AND ADOPT THAT WITH THE AMENDED LANGUAGE. I THINK THERE ARE A COUPLE OF COUNCIL MEMBERS WHO I TALKED TO ABOUT POSSIBLY MAKING AN AMENDMENT TO CORRECT THE LANGUAGE THAT IS IN ERROR. BUT WE URGE - STRONGLY URGE YOU TO ADOPT IT WITHOUT DELAY, BECAUSE IT'S DANGEROUS. EVERY DAY THAT THE TOURS CONTINUE, IS ANOTHER CHANCE FOR SOMEONE TO GET INJURED OR KILLED.\r\n\r\nMAHALO. >> THANK YOU. MEMBERS, QUESTIONS? MEMBER SUGIMURA. >> THANK YOU. THANK YOU, MR. PEREZ.\r\n\r\nSO YOU ARE TALKING ABOUT THIS FOR CLARITY AND I KNOW WE TALKED ABOUT THIS A LOT IN COMMITTEE. CAN YOU GIVE US THE LANGUAGE FOR CLARITY, RATHER THAN JUST SAYING, YOU KNOW, 0 MILE-MARKER, OR 3 MILE-MARKER. >> I WOULD GO WITH WHAT DICK MAYER SUBMITTED ON HIS EMAIL. I THINK YOU FOLKS ALL HAVE THAT IT SAYS ABOVE THE THREE MILE-MARKER ON HALE'AKALA CRATER ROAD AND IF YOU WANT TO GET MORE SPECIFIC, YOU CAN SAY BETWEEN MILE-MARKER 3 AND MILE-MARKER 9.5. >> ANY MORE QUESTIONS? >> SORRY, CHAIR, JUST TO CLARIFY, 9.5 IS ABOVE THE STAGING AREA, WHERE THEY CURRENTLY START THE TOURS. >> ANY MORE QUESTIONS, MEMBERS? MEMBER SINENCI, DID YOU HAVE YOUR HAND UP?\r\n\r\nOKAY, NO MORE QUESTIONS. THANK YOU, MR. PEREZ. >> THANK YOU. >> ALOHA. ANY MORE TESTIFIERS? >> NO, CHAIR.\r\n\r\nNO OTHER TESTIFIERS HAVE SIGNED UP. THIS IS THE LAST CALL FOR COMMITTEE REPORT TESTIMONY. >> ALOHA. >> WHO WAS THAT? I SEE SOMEONE ON THE CALL. >> ALOHA. >> ALOHA.\r\n\r\nWHAT IS YOUR NAME? >> I'M LAURIE BARKER-PEREZ. >> AND YOU WOULD LIKE TO TESTIFY ON ONE OF THE COMMITTEE REPORTS >> YES. ON THE BILL TO REGULATE THE BIKE TOURS. >> OKAY. >> OKAY. SO I'M TESTIFYING ON BEHALF OF MYSELF, AND ALSO THE PEOPLE WHO LIVE UP COUNTRY AND NEGATIVELY AFFECTED BY THESE BIKE TOURS.\r\n\r\nSO I SEE THAT THE ONLINE PETITION HAS WELL OVER 1500 SIGNATURES, PLUS I KNOW THERE WAS SOME PAPER SIGNATURES OF PEOPLE SUPPORTING THE BIKE REGULATIONS. SO ALL TOGETHER THAT WOULD BE ABOUT 1600 PEOPLE, I THINK. I HAVE BEEN TALKING TO FRIENDS, NEIGHBORS, ACQUAINTANCES ABOUT THIS AND WHEN I BRING UP THE TOPIC I TRY WITH A NEUTRAL VOICE TO SAY WHAT DO YOU THINK OF THE BIKE TOURS? WITHOUT EXCEPTION, THEY'LL DO THINGS LIKE THIS, WHICH JUST BODY LANGUAGE IS TELLING ME THAT THEY FIND THEM EXTREMELY SCARY, AND EVERYONE WILL THEN START TELLING ME STORIES ABOUT SEEING KIDS FALL OFF THEIR BIKES IN THE MIDDLE OF THE ROAD, ALMOST GETTING HIT BY BIKES, ALMOST HITTING OTHER BIKERS AND THEY JUST GO ON AND ON ABOUT CLOSE CALLS THAT THEY HAD AND HOW TERRIFYING THEY ARE. WHAT I WANT TO EMPHASIZE RIGHT NOW, BESIDES THE ALMOST 1600 PEOPLE WHO HAVE ACTUALLY SIGNED THE PETITION, I PERSONALLY HAVE TALKED TO A NUMBER OF PEOPLE, AS I SAID, FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS, WHO DON'T HAVE COMPUTERS, DON'T LIKE SOCIAL MEDIA, DON'T LIKE SIGNING PETITIONS, FOR WHATEVER REASON, DON'T WANT TO SIGN A PETITION, BUT THEY ARE VERY MUCH IN FAVOR OF REGULATING THE BIKE TOURS. SO FOR EXAMPLE, I HAVE A FRIEND, WHO IS A RETIRED ER NURSE. WHEN I ASKED HER, AND I DON'T THINK I HAVE EVER HEARD HER SAY THE WORD "HATE" BEFORE, BUT SHE

IMMEDIATELY SAID, I HATE THEM, TELLING ME ABOUT HOW DANGEROUS THEY ARE.\r\n\r\nANOTHER FRIEND OF MINE HAD WORKED AT MAUI MEMORIAL HOSPITAL AND NOW RETIRED AND TOLD ME THAT THE ER DOCTORS HAVE NICKNAMES FOR THE BIKE TOURS BECAUSE THEY HAD SO MANY PATIENTS COME INTO THE ER, SOMETIMES WITH LIFE-THREATENING INJURIES. SO USING A LITTLE HUMOR, THE DOCTORS HAVE NICKNAMES LIKE BRUISER AND DIFFERENT THINGS LIKE THAT. WHAT I WANT TO END WITH IS ONE OF MY NEIGHBORS IS 80 YEARS OLD. SHE LIVES IN THE HOUSE THAT IN KULA, THAT HER FATHER BUILT IN 1949. SHE HAS LIVED THERE ALMOST HER ENTIRE LIFE. SHE IS A SCHOOL BUS DRIVER EVEN THOUGH SHE'S 80 YEARS OLD. SHE REALLY LOVES HER JOB AND LOVES THE BUSINESS AND FEELS LIKE SHE IS DOING A REAL SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY, GIVING THESE KIDS A RIDE BACK AND FORTH TO SCHOOL. WHEN I ASKED HER ABOUT -- BELL RINGING -- >> MAY I FINISH?\r\n\r\n>> COULD YOU PLEASE CONCLUDE? >> YES. ANYWAY, SHE THINKS THE BIKE TOURS ARE SO DANGEROUS THAT SHE AVOIDS THE UPPER HIGHWAY, WHEN SHE IS GOING TO WORK IN THE MORNING. THIS IS A PROFESSIONAL DRIVER. SHE DRIVES DOWN [INAUDIBLE] INSTEAD OF THE UPPER HIGHWAY. A ROAD THAT HAS A TEN MILES AN HOUR SPEED LIMIT AND WARNING SIGN "WINDING ROAD." A PROFESSIONAL DRIVER DOES THAT TO AVOID THE BIKE TOURS AND SHE SAID WHY SHOULD I HAVE TO PAY MY MONEY FOR EXTRA GAS TO GO AVOID THE BIKE TOURS, AVOID THE DANGER, AND EXTRA WEAR-AND-TEAR ON MY CAR? SO THANK YOU FOR THE OPPORTUNITY TO TESTIFY.\r\n\r\nALOHA. >> ALOHA. MEMBERS, QUESTIONS? MEMBER SUGIMURA. >> THANK YOU. JUST FOR CLARIFICATION, THIS BIKE BILL HAS -- MR. MOLINA HAS WALKED THROUGH COMMITTEE THROUGH MANY MEETINGS AND BASICALLY TALKS ABOUT RESTRICTING BIKES, BIKING AT A CERTAIN MILEAGE ON CRATER ROAD.\r\n\r\nWHERE ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT? UP COUNTRY? >> YES. SO THIS IS WHERE THIS PARTICULAR NEIGHBOR LIVES, LIKE MY FRIEND, THE RETIRED EN NURSE GOES DOWN KOKOMO. SO YOU KNOW, IT'S NOT KAH LIKI, BUT UP COUNTRY THAT PEOPLE SEE THE DANGER AND HAVE SEEN ACCIDENTS. SO I THINK THIS BILL IS A REALLY GOOD COMPROMISE, BECAUSE IT WILL KEEP MOST OF THE BIKE TOURS ABOVE WHERE PEOPLE ARE COMMUTING BACK AND FORTH TO WORK, AND THEIR GOING ABOUT THEIR DAILY LIVES. I DID SEE IN THE BILL THAT THE EXCEPTION IS STILL ALLOWING BIKE TOURS ON BALDWIN, CERTAIN TIMES AND DAYS, WHICH WHEN I LOOKED AT THE COMMENTS ON THE ONLINE PETITION, THERE ARE A NUMBER OF PEOPLE WHO SPECIFICALLY MENTIONED ACCIDENTS, AND NEAR-MISSES, AND THE DANGER OF THE BIKE TOURS ON BALDWIN ALSO.\r\n\r\nYOU KNOW, IT'S JUST ALL OVER UP COUNTRY. SO I DO THINK THAT THE BILL IS A GOOD COMPROMISE. THE BIKE TOURS CAN STILL OPERATE AS IT WAS PROPOSED -- BELL RINGING. >> >> THANK YOU VERY MUCH. THANK YOU FOR YOUR TESTIMONY. MEMBERS, ANY MORE QUESTIONS? NO MORE QUESTIONS.\r\n\r\nTHANK YOU. >> MAHALO. >> MAHALO. JC, DID YOU WANT TO TESTIFY ON THIS? >> LIKE BIKES, NEVER HAD NO PROBLEM WITH BIKES. I THINK THEY SHOULD REGULATE THE CARS AND NOT THE BIKES. I HEARD ONE OF THE PREVIOUS -- I THINK IT WAS A PREVIOUS TESTIMONY, OLD CHAIR KING, SOMETIMES CURT, BUT SHE IS NEVER RUDE.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU FOR THAT. ANYBODY ELSE? MADAM CLERK. >> THERE ARE NO OTHER TESTIFIERS SIGNED UP FOR COMMITTEE REPORTS SECTION J ON THE AGENDA. LAST CALL TO TESTIFY ON COMMITTEE REPORTS. PLEASE IDENTIFY YOURSELF NOW. >> NO ONE ELSE?\r\n\r\n>> NO ONE ELSE. >> ANY OBJECTIONS, MEMBERS, TO CLOSING PUBLIC TESTIMONY AND ACCEPTING WRITTEN TESTIMONY FOR COMMITTEE REPORTS? >> NO OBJECTIONS. >> SO ORDERED. IT IS NOW 10:46. GOOD TIME TO TAKE A BREAK. >> NO --THE LAW, REMEMBER? >> OH, OKAY.\r\n\r\nFORGOT ABOUT THAT, THE LAW SAYS WE HAVE TO DELIBERATE. >> PLEASE IDENTIFY YOURSELF. >> ALOHA, CAN YOU HEAR ME? >> WHO IS THAT? >> THIS IS AUNTIE MOXIE. >> ARE YOU TESTIFYING ON THE BIKERS? >> YES.\r\n\r\n>> ON THE COMMITTEE REPORT. OKAY. >> 145, I THINK, 22-101. >> CHAIR? >> NO OBJECTIONS. >> NO

OBJECTIONS TO RE-OPENING THE PUBLIC TESTIMONY ON COMMITTEE REPORTS . YOU CAN GO AHEAD. >> HI. ALOHA EVERYONE.\r\n\r\nI'M SO SORRY TO BE LATE ON THIS CALL. I'M CALLING IN REGARDS TO THE BIKE TOURS. I HAD SOME ISSUES THIS MORNING AND I COULDN'T 13:47:27 GET ON. I'M CONCERNED WHEN IT TALKS ABOUT HOLIDAYS AND COMING DOWN BALDWIN AND WE ARE TOTALLY AGAINST TOUR GROUPS COMING DOWN BELOW THE 3-MILE-MARKER. I LOOKED INTO THE COMMITTEE REPORTS, AND IF MR. MOLINA HAS A PROBLEM, AND NEEDS TO GET BACK INTO THE COMMUNITY, BECAUSE A MAJORITY OF THE COMMUNITY DO NOT WANT BIKERS DOWN ON BALDWIN OR EVEN THROUGH PA'IA TOWN. SO I THINK WE REALLY NEED TO GO BACK, BEFORE WE PASS THIS ON FIRST READING, TO GET SOME KIND OF CLARITY.\r\n\r\nTHERE SHOULDN'T BE ANY OR WE'RE GOING TO HAVE IT ON THESE DAYS OR DURING THESE HOURS. WE CLEARLY AND I SPEAK FOR MYSELF, BUT I KNOW THERE ARE MANY IN PA'IA, AND MANY THAT HAVE EXPRESSED THEIR OPPOSITION TO THE BIKE TOURS COMING DOWN INTO YOUR NEIGHBORHOODS. SO I REALLY, REALLY THINK FOR CLARITY, YOU NEED TO GET BACK INTO THE COMMUNITY AND GET THIS STRAIGHT, BEFORE YOU EVEN PASS THIS ON FIRST READING ON THE BIKE TOURS. SO YES, MAHALO FOR LISTENING. MAHALO FOR ALLOWING ME TO GET BACK IN TO THE QUEUE TO TESTIFY ON THIS MATTER. MAHALO. >> MAHALO.\r\n\r\nQUESTIONS? MEMBER PALTIN. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. THANK YOU, AUNTY FOR YOUR TESTIMONY. JUST CLARIFYING THAT IS THE UNGUIDED AND NO TO THE GUIDED TOURS? >> COMPLETELY NOTHING -- GUIDED OR UNGUIDED. [INAUDIBLE] >> THANK YOU.\r\n\r\n>> ANY MORE QUESTIONS? QUESTIONS, MEMBERS? IF NOT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH, AUNTIE MOXIE. >> THANK YOU. MAHALO. HAVE A GOOD DAY. >> OKAY.\r\n\r\nMEMBERS, WE COULD CONTINUE ON WITH TESTIMONY, BECAUSE WE HAVE ANOTHER PERSON, OR WE CAN TAKE OUR BREAK NOW, AND COME BACK AND FINISH TESTIMONY? OR WE CAN FINISH TESTIMONY, AND TAKE UP ONE ITEM? >> FINISH TESTIMONY AND TAKE UP ONE ITEM. >> PARDON ME? I WOULD LIKE TO TAKE A BREAK. CALL THE NEXT TESTIFIER AND THEN MAYBE IF THAT PERSON IS THE LAST ONE - [INAUDIBLE] >> OUR NEXT TESTIFIER IS EMILY. >> REPEAT HER NAME.\r\n\r\n>> EMILY TOLANAS. >> ALOHA, THIS IS EMILY. CAN YOU FOLKS HEAR ME? >> YES. >> ALOHA, I AM CALLING IN TO TESTIFY FOR MA'ALAEA MAUKA LANDS AND I DO SUPPORT THE EMINENT DOMAIN OF THE WEST MAUI CONSTRUCTION SITE. I THINK THAT SHOULD BE USED FOR PUBLIC USE AND NOT CONSTRUCTED BY THEM. AND ON THE BIKE ORDINANCE FOR HULA, AND HAIKU AREAS, I'M A BORN AND RAISED RESIDENT.\r\n\r\nI LIVE UP COUNTRY. I DEAL WITH COMMUTING EVERY DAY, AS I WORK MULTIPLE JOBS, WHICH IS THE NORM FOR MOST OF US HERE LIVING ON MAUI. BASICALLY, SINCE I'M DRIVING WHEN I GOT MY LICENSE WHEN I WAS 16, THESE FOLKS HAVE BEEN CRASHING IN FRONT OF ME. I HAVE HAD MANY OF THEIR TOUR RIDERS BEING JUST SO RUDE TO PEOPLE ON THE ROAD AND BEING TOLD THEY WERE TAUGHT BY THE BIKE COMPANIES THAT THESE ARE ALSO BIKE LANES, AND NOT ACTUALLY A ROAD. I HAVE BEEN TOLD RIDICULOUS THINGS BY THESE RIDERS. AND NOT ONLY THAT, I HAVE SEEN MULTIPLE CRASHES. I HAVE BEEN STUCK IN TRAFFIC MANY TIMES FOR PEOPLE -- USUALLY CHILDREN.\r\n\r\nI HAVE RECORDED MANY TIMES WHERE CHILDREN ARE COMING DOWN THE MOUNTAIN ON OUR HIGHWAY, AND THEY ARE COMPLETELY NOT ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT. THERE HAVE BEEN INCIDENTS IN HAIKU AND THERE'S NO SHOULDERS AND IT RAINS THERE. WHEN THE CARS TRY TO STOP FOR THE BIKES THEY LITERALLY SLIDE BECAUSE EVEN IF THEIR BRAKES WORK, THE ROADS ARE WET AND MOLDY AND NEARLY IMPOSSIBLY TO AVOID A BIKER ON THE SIDE OF THE ROAD WHEN YOU ARE COMING AROUND A CORNER. I DO AGREE THAT DRIVERS NEED TO ADHERE TO THE RULES OF THE ROAD. YOU KNOW, THESE COLLISIONS COULD BE AVOIDED IF WE COULD DRIVER THE SPEED LIMITS POSTED ON MAUI AND ALSO, THESE BIKE TOURS NEED TO BE REGULATED. THERE SHOULDN'T BE MANDATORY INFORMATION GIVEN OUT AT EVERY BIKE TOUR BUSINESS, WHERE THE PEOPLE ARE NOT ONLY SIGNING A WAIVER, BUT THEY ARE

BEING EDUCATED. SO THAT IS MY TESTIMONY FOR TODAY.\r\n\r\nTHANK YOU.
THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR WORK. >> DO YOU HAVE ANOTHER ONE? MEMBERS,
QUESTIONS ON THIS ONE? IF NOT, CAN YOU GO ON TO THE NEXT ONE? SHE DID
TWO. ALL RIGHT.\r\n\r\nANY QUESTIONS ON ANY OF HER TESTIMONY? NO
QUESTIONS. THANK YOU VERY MUCH. LET'S HAVE THE NEXT TESTIFIER. >> I DO
NOT SEE ANYBODY SIGNED UP TO TESTIFY FOR COMMITTEE REPORTS. >> ANY
OBJECTIONS TO CLOSING TESTIMONY ON COMMITTEE REPORTS AND ACCEPTING
WRITTEN TESTIMONY? >> NO OBJECTIONS.\r\n\r\n>> SO ORDERED. THIS IS A
RECORDING. ALL RIGHT, LET'S GO ON TO THE FIRST ONE, MADAM CLERK. SO WE
CAN TAKE A BREAK. >> CHAIR, PROCEEDING WITH COMMITTEE REPORTS, YOU HAVE
BEFORE YOU FROM YOUR AFFORDABLE HOUSING COMMITTEE, COMMITTEE REPORT 22-97
RECOMMENDING THE FOLLOWING: 1, THAT RESOLUTION 22-193, CD 1, ENTITLED,
APPROVING WITH MODIFICATIONS THE INDEPENDENT DEVELOPMENT OF THE KUIKAHI
VILLAGE WORKFORCE HOUSING PROJECT UNDER CHAPTER 2.97 MAUI COUNTY CODE" BE
ADOPTED. 2, THAT RESOLUTION 22-192 ENTITLED, "APPROVING THE INDEPENDENT
DEVELOPMENT OF THE KUIKAHI VILLAGE WORKFORCE HOUSING PROJECT UNDER
CHAPTER 2.97 MAUI COUNTY CODE" BE FILED AND 3, ENTITLED, " DISAPPROVING
THE INDEPENDENT DEVELOPMENT OF THE KUIKAHI VILLAGE WORKFORCE HOUSING
PROJECT" BE FILED. >> COUNCIL MEMBER MOLINA.\r\n\r\n>> MAHALO, CHAIR. ON
BEHALF OF THE COMMITTEE CHAIR GABE JOHNSON, I MOVE TO RECOMMEND THE
ADOPTION IN COMMITTEE REPORT 22-97. >> SECOND. >> MOVED BY MEMBER MOLINA
AND SECONDED BY MEMBER SUGIMURA TO APPROVE THE RECOMMENDATIONS IN
COMMITTEE 22-97. DISCUSSION? MR. MOLINA. >> THANK YOU VERY MUCH, MADAM
CHAIR. THE AFFORDABLE HOUSING COMMITTEE MET ON SEPTEMBER 1ST, 6TH AND 13
OF 2022, TO DISCUSS THE KUIKAHI VILLAGE WORKFORCE HOUSING DIRECT BY THE
DEVELOPER BUILDERS.\r\n\r\nUNDER CHAPTER 2.97 THE COUNCIL MUST APPROVE
WITH MODIFICATIONS OR DISAPPROVE THE PROPOSED PROJECT WITHIN 60 DAYS
AFTER SUBMITTAL AND THE DEADLINE IS OCTOBER 14TH AND TODAY IS OUR
OPPORTUNITY TO PASS THIS PROJECT WITH MODIFICATIONS. PROJECT IS LOCATED
ON 14.97 ACRES IN WAILUKU. IT WILL CONSIST OF 202 MULTI-FAMILY DUPLEX
TOWNHOME, LIVE WORK STUDIO AND SINGLE-FAMILY UNITS OFFERED TO SALE FOR
QUALIFIED HOUSEHOLDS EARNING UP TO 140% AREA MEDIAN INCOME AND DISCUSSED
EXEMPTIONS RELATED TO LAND USE, ZONING AND CONSTRUCTION AND DESIGN
STANDARDS AND FAST-TRACK PERMITTING. THE COMMITTEE ALSO DISCUSSED
CONCERNS RELATING TO RESERVOIR NO. 10, WHICH BORDERS THE PROJECT'S SITE
TO THE NORTH. THE RESERVOIR RECEIVED A NOTICE OF DEFICIENCY FROM DNLR IN
SEPTEMBER OF 2021. THE DEVELOPER AGREED TO WORK WITH COUNSELOR COLLAPSE
COUNSEL ON INDEMNIFICATION TO ENSURE THAT THE RESERVOIR IS IN GOOD
STANDING BEFORE ANY UNITS ARE OCCUPIED. THE COMMITTEE CONSIDERED
RESTRICTING ANIMALS FOR WILDLIFE PRESERVATION AND REQUIRING UNIVERSITIES
TO BE OWNER OCCUPY MERCHANDISE PERPETUITY AND GIVING PREFERENCES TO LONG-
TERM RESIDENTS OF THE COUNTY.\r\n\r\nYOUR COMMITTEE ALSO NOTED THAT BILL
127 (2022) ACCOMPANYING THE PROJECT APPLICATION AND PROPOSED CHANGING THE
STATE LAND USE DESIGNATION FROM AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT TO URBAN DISTRICT,
SO THAT THE PROJECT MAY PROCEED. THE COMMITTEE AGREED AS A LAND USE
ORDINANCE, BILL 127 WOULD HAVE TO GO TO THE MAUI PLANNING COMMISSION
UNDER MAUI COUNTY CHARTER AND REFERRED VIA RESOLUTION 22-217 AT THE
SEPTEMBER 27TH COUNCIL MEETING, AND IN THE ENDURE COMMITTEE VOTED 9-0 TO
RECOMMEND ADOPTION, APPROVING THE PROJECT WITH MODIFICATIONS AND THE
FILING OF RESOLUTIONS 22-192, AND 22-194. RESPECTFULLY REQUEST MEMBERS A
SUPPORT OF THIS MOTION. THANK YOU. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION? MR. MOLINA. >>
THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR.\r\n\r\nI WOULD LIKE TO PROPOSE AN AMENDMENT AS
SUGGESTED BY MR. CARNICELLI AND ALSO LIKE TO GET SOME ADDITIONAL
CLARIFICATION FROM OUR CORPORATION COUNSEL ON THIS AS WELL, BEFORE MAKING

THIS MOTION. SO I WANT TO MAKE SURE IT'S WORDED APPROPRIATELY. SINCE THIS AMENDMENT WAS JUST SORT OF DROPPED IN MY LAP THIS MORNING. SO JUST TO MAKE SURE, I WANT TO GET CLARIFICATION FROM OUR CORPORATION COUNSEL. >> LET ME CHECK IF CORPORATION COUNSEL IS ON THE LINE? CAN WE REQUEST THAT DEPUTY CORPORATION COUNSEL MIMI DES JARDINS BE ON THE LINE WITH US TODAY?\r\n\r\nARE YOU THERE? OKAY, I SEE YOU. THANK YOU. THANK YOU FOR BEING SO PROMPT. MR. MOLINA. >> MADAM CHAIR, I YIELD THE FLOOR TO CORPORATION COUNSEL TO PROVIDE CLARITY ON THIS SUGGESTED AMENDMENT.\r\n\r\n>> OKAY. CORPORATION COUNSEL. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. I HAD WORKED OUT SOME LANGUAGE WITH PUBLIC WORKS, AND WATER AND MR. CARNICELLI PREVIOUSLY. BUT I HAVE CHECKED WITH MR. MOLINA IN PUBLIC WORKS, AND HE BELIEVES THAT AMENDING "CONSTRUCT" IN THOSE TWO PLACES AND SUBSTITUTING WITH THE WORD "COMPLY WITH" WILL MAKE IT CLEARER THAT THERE ARE PROVISIONS IN THE CODE, WHERE THESE DEFERRALS WOULD NOT BE TRIGGERED, SUCH AS A PUBLIC CO-SPONSORED SUBDIVISION, AND THE INTENT WOULD NOT BE FOR THEM TO HAVE TO CONSTRUCT THE DEFERRED SUBDIVISION REQUIREMENTS IN THOSE INSTANCES.\r\n\r\nSO HE DOES AGREE THIS LANGUAGE WOULD MAKE THAT PARAGRAPH CLEARER AND DOES SUPPORT. >> MEMBER MOLINA. >> OKAY. WITH THAT SAID, THEN I WILL GO WITH THE CORPORATION COUNSEL'S RECOMMENDATIONS TO DELETE THE WORD "CONSTRUCT." AND INSERT THE WORD "COMPLY WITH" IN THE APPROPRIATE SECTIONS. >> THE TWO PLACES. >> SECOND. >> MOVED AND SECONDED TO MAKE THIS AMENDMENT.\r\n\r\nANY MORE DISCUSSION, MR. MOLINA. >> NO FURTHER DISCUSSION, MADAM CHAIR. >> ANY OTHER COMMENTS OR DISCUSSION? VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. I DID ALSO PUT IT -- THE LANGUAGE IN THE CHAT.\r\n\r\nSO IT'S EASIER TO SEE WHERE THE TWO PLACES ARE IN SECTION N OF THE EXEMPTIONS IN THE RESOLUTION. I'M SUPPORTIVE OF THIS AMENDMENT IN THE TWO PLACES, BECAUSE DIRECTOR MOLINA IS SUPPORTIVE OF IT, AND EXPLAINED WHY HE IS SUPPORTIVE OF IT. AND THAT THESE ARE DEFERRAL AGREEMENTS THAT ARE BEING RECORDED BY THE DEPARTMENT. MAHALO, CHAIR. >> THANK YOU. ANY MORE DISCUSSION? ALL IN FAVOR OF THE AMENDMENT, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE?\r\n\r\n>> AYE. >> EIGHT AYES, ONE EXCUSED. MOTION CARRIES. ANY MORE AMENDMENTS? OTHERWISE, THE MAIN MOTION AS AMENDED. ANY MORE DISCUSSION? ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE MAIN MOTION AS AMENDED, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE?\r\n\r\n>> AYE. >> EIGHT AYES, ONE EXCUSED. MOTION CARRIES. MEMBERS, ARE YOU WANTING TO TAKE A BREAK? >> YES. >> WELL, UP TO YOU. WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE TO DO?\r\n\r\nTEN MINUTES? TEN MINUTES. SO LET'S TAKE IT AT 11:11. MEETING IN RECESS. BACK AT 11:11. [GAVEL] [GAVEL] >> WILL THE COUNCIL MEETING OF OCTOBER 7TH, PLEASE RECONVENE. MEMBERS, ARE YOU READY TO GO TO THE NEXT ITEM? MADAM CLERK. >> CONTINUING WITH AGENDA ITEM SECTION J, ITEM COMMITTEE REPORT 22-98 RECOMMENDING THE RESOLUTION 22-206 ENTITLED, " AUTHORIZING PROCEEDINGS MANY EMINENT DOMAIN FOR THE ACQUISITION OF APPROXIMATELY 257 ACRES AT MA'ALAEA, MAUI, HAWAI'I FOR PRESERVATION" BE PASSED ON FIRST READING AND ORDERED TO PRINT.\r\n\r\n>> MEMBER KING. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. I WAS JUST SENDING YOU A TEXT TO LET YOU KNOW YOUR VIDEO IS OFF. >> OKAY. THANKS. >> SORRY ABOUT THAT. THANK YOU, CHAIR.\r\n\r\nI MOVE TO ADOPT THE RECOMMENDATIONS IN COMMITTEE REPORT 22-98. >> SECOND SOMEBODY MAKE A SECOND. >> SECOND. >> MEMBER SINENCI SECONDS THE MOTION TO APPROVE THE RECOMMENDATIONS IN COMMITTEE REPORT 22-98 CUSHION MEMBER KING. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR YOUR CLIMATE ACTION, RESILIENCE, AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE MET ON SEPTEMBER 14TH, 2022 AND VOTED 6-0 TO RECOMMEND PASSAGE OF RESOLUTION 22-206 ON FIRST READING, AND TO AUTHORIZE EMINENT DOMAIN PROCEEDINGS FOR THE ACQUISITION OF REAL ESTATE PROPERTY COMPRISED OF 257 PLUS ACRES IN MA'ALAEA, MAUI, HAWAI'I FOR PRESERVATION. ON MAY 10, PETER MARTIN OF WEST

MAUI LAND PURCHASED ALL 257 ACRES AND MIGHT ADD THIS IS WHILE THE COUNTY WAS IN ACTIVE NEGOTIATIONS TO PURCHASE THIS LAND. I DID NOT HEAR FROM MR. MARTIN.\r\n\r\nTHEY DID NOT SEEK ANY KIND OF MEETING AT THAT TIME. MR. MARTIN HAS INDICATED TO THE TRUST FOR PUBLIC LAND, WHO WAS DOING THE NEGOTIATING IS HE NOT INTERESTED IN SELLING THE ENTIRE PARCEL FOR PURPOSE OF PRESERVATION AND PASSED THIS WILL PROVIDE ANOTHER TOOL FOR THE ADMINISTRATION TO USE TO PURSUE OWNERSHIP OF THE PROPERTY, SOMETHING THAT THIS COUNCIL AND OTHER COUNCILS HAVE LONG BEEN DESIRING TO DO. I RESPECTFULLY ASK FOR COUNCIL'S SUPPORT OF YOUR COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATION AND THANK EVERYONE FOR THEIR PARTICIPATION IN THE DISCUSSION. THANK YOU. >> FURTHER DISCUSSION? MEMBER SINENCI.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU, CHAIR. I JUST WANTED TO PERSONALLY MAHALO MS. LYNN BRITTON AND THE MA'ALAEA COMMUNITY, AS WELL AS THE KIHEI COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION FOR YEARS' OF STEWARDSHIP OF THIS PARTICULAR SITE. DECADES OF THIS DISCUSSION GOING ON, AND ALSO, AS STEWARDS OF THE POHAKEA WATERSHED. TO SUPPORT AND MAHALO ALL OF THE DECADES' OF DISCUSSION. MAHALO. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION?\r\n\r\nALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE MOTION, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> ROLL CALL. MADAM CLERK, ROLL CALL. >> COMMITTEE REPORT 22-98 COUNCIL MEMBER SHANE SINENCI? >> AYE. >> COUNCIL MEMBER MIKE MOLINA?\r\n\r\n>> AYE. >> COUNCIL MEMBER KELLY T. KING? >> AYE. >> COUNCIL MEMBER GABE JOHNSON. >> EXCUSED. >> COUNCIL MEMBER TAMARA PALTIN? >> AYE.\r\n\r\n>> COUNCIL MEMBER YUKI LEI SUGIMURA. >> NO. >> COUNCIL PRO TEM TASHA KAMA. >> NO. >> COUNCIL VICE-CHAIR KEANI RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ? >> AYE. >> AND CHAIR ALICE LEGISLATION LEE.\r\n\r\n>> AYE. >> THAT IS SIX AYES, TWO NOS AND ONE EXCUSED. MOTION CARRIES. >> THANK YOU, MEMBERS. >> NEXT ITEM. >> FROM YOUR GOVERNMENT RELATIONS, ETHICS, AND TRANSPARENCY COMMITTEE, COMMITTEE REPORT 22-99, RECOMMENDING THAT RESOLUTION 22-63, CD 1, ENTITLED, "APPROVING A MEMBER TO THE MAUI REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY" BE ADOPTED. >> MEMBER MOLINA.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU VERY MUCH, MADAM CHAIR. MOVE TO ADOPT THE RECOMMENDATIONS IN COMMITTEE REPORT 22-99. >> SECOND. >> MOVED BY MEMBER MOLINA, SECONDED BY MEMBER SUGIMURA TO APPROVE THE RECOMMENDATIONS IN COMMITTEE REPORT 22-99. DISCUSSION, MEMBER MOLINA. >> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR. YOUR GOVERNMENT RELATIONS, ETHICS, AND TRANSPARENCY COMMITTEE -- [INAUDIBLE] >> SOMEBODY IS ON THE LINE. PLEASE MUTE YOURSELF. PROCEED, MR.\r\n\r\nMOLINA. >> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR. YOUR GOVERNMENT RELATIONS, ETHICS, AND TRANSPARENCY COMMITTEE MET ON SEPTEMBER 13TH, 2022, AND DISCUSSED THE NOMINATION OF PATRICK DAVID KEKOA IHU TO THE MAUI REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY FOR A TERM EXPIRING MARCH 31ST, 2027. THE COMMITTEE INTERVIEWED THE NOMINEE, THE FOUNDER OF THE PROPERTIES, LLC. AND REAL ESTATE PRINCIPAL BROKER AND MR. IHU SAID BEING BORN AND RAISED IN THE TOWN AND WITNESSING THE TRANSITION OF THE AREA, PROVIDING HIM WITH RESPONSIBILITY TO MAINTAIN THE HISTORY AND CULTURE OF WAILUKU AND SAID HE WOULD RECUSE HIMSELF, IF NECESSARY, IF ISSUES BEFORE THE MRA CON NICKED WITH HIS REAL ESTATE WORK. SINCE HE DOES NOT PLAN ON INVESTING IN THE WAILUKU REDEVELOPMENT AREA, HE DOES NOT ANTICIPATE ANY CONCERNS AND FOR EXHIBIT B TO THE RESOLUTION BE REVISED ACCORDINGLY. AREA YOUR COMMITTEE VOTED 9-0 TO RECOMMEND ADOPTION OF THE COMMITTEE REPORT AND ASK FOR MEMBERS A FULL SUPPORT.\r\n\r\nMAHALO, MADAM CHAIR. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION? IF NOT, ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE MOTION, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> EIGHT AYES, ZERO NOS, ONE EXCUSED MOTION CARRIES MADAM CLERK. >> COMMITTEE REPORT 22-100, RECOMMENDING THAT RESOLUTION 22-104 ENTITLED, "AUTHORIZING SETTLEMENT OF JAMIE BECRAFT V. COUNTY OF MAUI DISABILITY COMPENSATION DIVISION, CASE NO. 7-09-00849" BE ADOPTED.\r\n\r\n>> MEMBER MOLINA. >> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR. MOVE TO

ADOPT THE RECOMMENDATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT 22-100. >> SECOND. >> MOVED BY MEMBER MOLINA, SECONDED BY MEMBER SUGIMURA TO APPROVE COMMITTEE REPORT 22-100. AND ITS RECOMMENDATIONS. DISCUSSION, MEMBER MOLINA. >> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR, YOUR GOVERNMENT RELATIONS, ETHICS, AND TRANSPARENCY COMMITTEE MET ON SEPTEMBER 13TH, 2022, AND RECEIVED AN OVERVIEW OF THE CLAIM IN OPEN SESSION BY CORP. COUNSEL.\r\n\r\nTHE CLAIM ALLEGED WORK-RELATED INJURIES MR. BECRAFT CLAIMED FROM BEING ASSAULTED. AT THE REQUEST OF THE DEPUTY CORPORATION COUNSEL, YOUR COMMITTEE HELD AN EXECUTIVE SESSION MEETING TO DISCUSS CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION RELATED TO THE CLAIM. PURPOSE OF THE PROPOSED RESOLUTION IS TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF CORPORATION COUNSEL TO SETTLE THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION CLAIM UNDER TERMS SET FORTH IN THE EXECUTIVE SESSION MEETING. YOUR COMMITTEE VOTED 7-0 TO RECOMMEND ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION 22-104. I ASK FOR THE MEMBERS' SUPPORT OF THIS MOTION. MAHALO. >> THANK YOU.\r\n\r\nANY MORE DISCUSSION? IF NOT, ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE MOTION, PLEASE RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> >> EIGHT AYES, ONE EXCUSED, MOTION CARRIES MADAM CLERK COMMITTEE REPORT 22-101, RECOMMENDING THE FALLING COL 1, THAT BILL 145 (2022) ENTITLED, "TO AMEND MAUI COUNTY CODE RELATING TO BICYCLE TOUR BUSINESSES" BE PASSED ON FIRST READING AND ORDERED TO PRINT. AND 2, THAT COUNTY COMMUNICATION 21-453 BE FILED. >> MEMBER MOLINA. >> THANK YOU, MEMBER CHAIR, MOVE TO ADOPT THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF COMMITTEE REPORT 22-94. >> SECOND.\r\n\r\n>> MOVED BY MEMBER MOLINA AND SECONDED BY MEMBER KING TO APPROVE COMMITTEE REPORT 22-101. DISCUSSION, MEMBER MOLINA. >> THANK YOU VERY MUCH MADAM CHAIR, MEMBERS, PLEASE BEAR WITH ME, MIGHT BE A LITTLE MORE LONG WINDED LANG USUAL. THE GREAT COMMITTEE MET ON THESE DATES -- AND JUNE 14TH, 2022, AND AUGUST 16TH, 2022, AND SEPTEMBER 8TH, 2022 TO DISCUSS THE LEGISLATION TO ADDRESS BICYCLE TOUR PUBLIC SAFETY AND RELATED LITIGATION CONCERNS. THE COMMITTEE ESSENTIALLY DISCUSSED COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-453 UNDER WHICH I TRANSMITTED THE PURPOSE OF THE PROPOSED RESOLUTION IS TO URGE THE MAYOR TO ADDRESS BICYCLE TOUR PUBLIC SAFETY AND RELATED LITIGATION CONCERNS ON MAUI ISLAND. GIVEN THE WEIGHT OF THE MANNER I FELT MORE STRINGENT ACTION SHOULD BE TAKEN AND INTRODUCED A BILL TO AMEND CHAPTER 5.22 MAUI COUNTY CODE TO ESTABLISH LIMITS AND RESTRICTIONS FOR COMMERCIAL BIKE TOUR BUSINESSES, AND TO ADDRESS PUBLIC SAFETY, TRAFFIC, ILLEGAL PARKING AND RELATED LITIGATION CONCERNS ON MAUI ISLAND. AS DISPLAYED BY THE LONG LIST OF MEETING DATES IN WHICH WE MET ON THIS ITEM, OUR COMMITTEE DISCUSSED A PROPOSED BILL AND INTRODUCED REVISIONS ALONG THE WAY, AS WE BASED ON FEEDBACK RECEIVED AND DISCUSSIONS WITH THE KULA COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION AND BIKE TOUR COMPANIES IMPACT BY THE BILL. BY THE WAY, I WANT TO THANK THE KULA COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION FOR THEIR CONTRIBUTIONS TO THIS, AS WELL AS COUNCIL MEMBER SUGIMURA.\r\n\r\nYOUR COMMITTEE RECEIVED ORAL AND WRITTEN TESTIMONY IN SUPPORT OF ADDRESSING BIKE TOUR PUBLIC SAFETY AND RELATED LITIGATION CONCERNS,, AS WELL AS INPUT FROM CORPORATION COUNSEL, FINANCE, PARKS AND RECREATION, PLANNING, POLICE, PROSECUTING ATTORNEY AND PUBLIC WORKS, ALL WHO SUPPORTED THE INTENT OF THE BILL AND PROVIDED FEEDBACK ON WAYS TO STRENGTHEN THE BILL'S LANGUAGE AND ADDRESS RESPECTIVE CONCERNS RELATING TO THIS INDUSTRY. REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE COMMERCIAL BIKE TOUR OPERATIONS EXPRESSED CONDITION THAT REGULATIONS IMPOSED ON GUIDED COMMERCIAL BIKE TOURS COULD DECREASE CLIENTELE AND ALSO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF VISITORS BIKING ON BUSY OR DANGEROUS ROADS WITHOUT A GUIDE OR VISITORS BIKING WITH ILLEGAL AND UNPERMITTED BUSINESSES. CHAPTER 5.22.020 OF THE MAUI COUNTY CODE ALSO PROHIBITS BUSINESSES OR PERSONS FROM CONDUCTING COMMERCIAL BIKE TOURS ON COUNTY AND STATE PROPERTIES WITHOUT

FIRST OBTAINING A BIKE TOUR BUSINESS PERMIT IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 5.22 IN ADDITION, IT ANY OTHER REQUIREMENT OF STATE LAW. TO FURTHER ADDRESS THESE CONCERNS, YOUR COMMITTEE ADDED ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR BUSINESS -- FOR INDIVIDUALS APPLING FOR PERMIT AND ADDED STRICTER PENALTIES ARE TO ANY PERSON WHO VIOLATES THE REQUIREMENTS AND PROHIBITIONS IN EXISTING SECTIONS OF THE CODE. YOUR COMMITTEE ALSO AMENDED THE PROPOSED BILL BY ADDING THE SPECIFICATIONS FOR COMMERCIAL BIKE TOURS OPERATING IN MAKAWAO, PUKALANI, KAHULUI AND HAIKU PLANNED COMMUNITY AREAS SUCH AS RESTRICTING BIKE TOURS TO OPERATE ONLY FROM SUNRISE TO SUNSET ON HALE'AKALA ROAD AND SPECIFIC MILE MARKERS AND ADDED SPECIFIC DAYS AND TIMES THAT BIKE TOURS ON BALDWIN AND RIDING DURING DAYLIGHT AND AREAS WITH LESS TRAFFIC, INCREASES AWARENESS AND RESPECT FOR CULTURALLY SIGNIFICANT HOLIDAYS, AND DECREASES THE OPPORTUNITY FOR TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS AND BACKUPS BECAUSE BICYCLISTS WOULD BE RIDING OUTSIDE PEAK SCHOOL AND WORK TRAFFIC HOURS. YOUR COMMITTEE ALSO EXTENDED THE ORDINANCE EFFECTIVE DATE TO PROVIDE AMPLE TIME FOR OPERATORS TO PROPERLY COMPLY WITH THE BILL. AND IN ADDITION ALL IN ALL, YOUR COMMITTEE'S PRIORITY WAS THE SAFETY AND WELL-BEING OF MAUI COUNTY RESIDENTS AND VISITORS.\r\n\r\nWHEN ADDRESSING CONCERNS FROM BOTH BIKE TOUR COMPANIES AND TESTIFIERS REQUESTING STRICTER LAWS ON BIKE TOURS AND BIKE TOUR COMPANIES AND VOTED 9-0 TO RECOMMEND PASSAGE THE BILL ON FIRST READING AND FILING OF COUNTY COMMUNICATION 153. MAHALO FOR YOUR INDULGENCE AND MADAM CHAIR. I NEED A DRINK OF WATER AFTER THIS. THANK YOU. >> THIS WAS A FEAT ALREADY. ANY MORE DISCUSSION? >> MADAM CHAIR, WHILE IN DISCUSSION, I WOULD LIKE TO PROPOSE AN AMENDMENT. >> ALL RIGHT.\r\n\r\n>> AS MENTIONED FROM MR. MAYER, IF I COULD JUST -- INFORMATION HERE, I GOT A TON OF NOTES HERE. MADAM CHAIR, COULD WE JUST TAKE A -- I'M SORRY, GO AHEAD. I'M READY NOW. I WOULD LIKE TO MAKE A MOTION TO CHANGING THE LANGUAGE FROM MILE-MARKER 0.0 TO MILE-MARKER -- AS TO READ NOW FROM MILE-MARKER 3.0 TO MILE-MARKER 9.5. THIS ACHIEVES THE GOAL OF THE BILL TO BEGIN BIKE TOURS BELOW THE ENTRANCE OF THE NATIONAL PARK AND ENDING THEM ABOVE THE RESIDENTIAL AREA ON CRATER ROAD. THAT WOULD BE MY PROPOSED AMENDMENT. >>

SECOND.\r\n\r\n>> MOVED BY MEMBER MOLINA, SECONDED BY VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ TO MAKE THOSE CHANGES. ANY DISCUSSION, MR. MOLINA. >> MADAM CHAIR, I WILL YIELD THE FLOOR TO ANY MEMBERS TO MAKE DISCUSSION. >> VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. WHEN WE WERE IN COMMITTEE, I BELIEVE THAT WAS SOME OF THE AMENDMENTS THAT -- SOME OF THAT LANGUAGE WAS IN THE AMENDMENTS THAT I MADE IN COMMITTEE.\r\n\r\nAND SO I JUST WANTED TO CLEAR STAFF'S NAME BECAUSE I KNOW IT WAS BROUGHT UP THAT STAFF DID THIS. IT WAS NOT STAFF. IT WAS ME. I PUT THIS LANGUAGE IN AT THE BEHEST OF COMMUNITY MEMBER, THINKING THAT IT WOULD BETTER CLARIFY THE SPACE IN WHICH WE WERE SPEAKING OF. I FULLY SUPPORT THE AMENDMENT, BECAUSE THAT WAS UNINTENTIONAL. SO WE'RE JUST CLEANING IT UP HERE. MAHALO, CHAIR.\r\n\r\n>> ANY MORE DISCUSSION? ON THE AMENDMENT? ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE AMENDMENT, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> EIGHT AYES, ONE EXCUSED. MOTION CARRIES. AND THEN THE MAIN MOTION AS AMENDED, OR DO YOU HAVE ANOTHER AMENDMENT.\r\n\r\n>> NO, MADAM CHAIR, JUST WANTED TO EXPRESS MY THANKS TO MR. PEREZ AND TO THE BIKE TOUR INDUSTRY, WHO SERVED AS A RESOURCE. FOR THE FIRST TIME, NOW WE REALLY HAVE SOME TRUE REGULATIONS ON THIS INDUSTRY. THEY MAY NOT BE WHAT EVERYBODY WANTS , BUT IT'S A START YOU AND AS ONE TESTIFIER SAID IT'S A COMPROMISE. I APPRECIATE ALL OUR COMMUNITY MEMBERS WHO GOT INTO THE MATTER, MAYBE PRIOR TO US TAKING ACTION TO ONLINE SURVEYS AND WHAT NOT. IT'S MUCH APPRECIATED. AND CERTAINLY, THIS MAY NOT CLOSE THE DOOR.\r\n\r\nTHIS

PROPOSED BILL, IF PASSED, THE ENACTMENT DAY IS FEBRUARY OF NEXT YEAR. CERTAINLY, IF THINGS DON'T WORK OUT WITH THE PROPOSED CURRENT REGULATIONS A FUTURE COUNCIL CAN MAKE SOME ADJUSTMENTS AS WELL. IF IT NEEDS ELIMINATION, SO BE IT. AT THIS POINT, THIS IS A GOOD START. AND I WANT TO THANK EVERYONE INVOLVED. I'M HOPING THAT THE CONCERNS THAT HAVE BEEN EXPRESSED BY THE PUBLIC WILL BE ADDRESSED BY THE INDUSTRY, AND WE'LL MOVE FORWARD FROM THERE. THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU, MR. MOLINA. VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. I WANT TO COMMEND MEMBER MOLINA FOR HIS HARD WORK ON THIS IN WORKING WITH THE COMMUNITY, ALL OF THE PARTIES INVOLVED, ALL THOSE THAT WOULD BE AFFECTED AND TO REALLY LISTENING TO THOSE WHO ARE REALLY CONCERNED ABOUT THE SAFETY OF THOSE PARTICIPATING IN THE BIKE TOURS. SO I THINK THIS DID CONSIST OF A LOT OF COMPROMISES, AND I DID RECEIVE SEVERAL EMAILS, AND WE DID GET TESTIFIER FROM PA'IA THIS MORNING ABOUT THE SECTION THAT ALLOWS FOR BIKE TOURS TO GO DOWN BALDWIN AVENUE. WHILE WE WERE IN COMMITTEE, WE HEARD FROM SOME OF THE BIKE TOURS THAT THEY MAY NOT END UP GOING DOWN BALDWIN AVENUE ANY MORE, BECAUSE THEY WOULD BE CONFINED TO THE AREA ABOVE THE 3 MILE-MARKER BEFORE THAT -- BEFORE THIS PROPOSAL, HOW THEY OPERATED WAS THEY CAME DOWN INTO MAKAWAO TOWN.\r\n\r\nTHEY WOULD STOP AT THE SHOPS, AND THE RESTAURANTS THERE. AND THEN THEY WOULD CONTINUE DOWN BALDWIN AVENUE. SO IF THEY ARE -- WITH THIS PROPOSAL, THEY WOULD BE ABOVE THE 3 MILE-MARKER. AND THEY MAY NOT END UP GOING DOWN BALDWIN AVENUE ANYWAY. SO I'M OPEN TO REVISITING THAT LATER, AFTER THIS LEGISLATION PASSES, AND WE SEE THE TRANSITION FROM WHAT -- HOW IT'S CURRENTLY OPERATING TO WHAT IT WILL BE AFTER THIS BECOMES LAW. ON BEHALF OF THE MEMBER MOLINA, I'M HAPPY TO CONTINUE WORKING WITH HIS COMMUNITY ON THIS. MAHALO, CHAIR.\r\n\r\n>> ANYONE ELSE? PRO TEM KAMA. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. I WOULD TO THANK NOT JUST MR. MOLINA, BUT HIS COMMITTEE THAT WORKED TIRELESSLY, OVER AND OVER AND OVER, TRYING TO LISTEN TO THE COMMUNITY, TRYING TO LISTEN TO OUR OWN HEARTS AND MINDS IN TERMS OF WE COME TO THE CONCLUSIONS THAT WE ALL DO. BUT JUST THE IDEA THAT COMPROMISES ARE SOMETIMES NOT EASY TO DO, BUT ARE SOMETIMES THE BEST THING TO DO. SO THAT EVERYBODY HAS A WIN-WIN.\r\n\r\nWHAT I LIKED ABOUT THIS, YOU CAN ALWAYS COME BACK AGAIN, YOU KNOW? IT DOESN'T TAKE EFFECT UNTIL NEXT YEAR. BUT LET'S SEE WHAT HAPPENS BETWEEN NOW AND THEN? LET'S SEE WHAT HAPPENS ONCE THE REGULATIONS ARE IN PLACE. AND THEN IF IT WORKS, IT'S GREAT AND IF NOT, WE CAN ALWAYS CHANGE OR AMEND THAT. WE'RE THE POLICY MAKERS AND WE CAN DO THAT. I LIKE HAVING THE WIN-WIN, AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE.\r\n\r\nTHANK YOU, CHAIR. >> THANK YOU. ANY MORE DISCUSSION? MEMBER KING. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. I SUPPORT THIS BILL, AND I THINK WE HAVE DONE AN EXTRAORDINARY AMOUNT OF WORK ON THIS BETWEEN COMMITTEE AND COUNCIL. WHEN YOU PASS IMPACTFUL BILLS, YOU CAN'T MAKE EVERYBODY HAPPY.\r\n\r\nYOU KNOW, I THINK THE FACT THAT WE DON'T HAVE THE INDUSTRY HERE TODAY, I THINK THEY HEARD LOUD AND CLEAR, AND I THINK -- I WANT TO COMMEND THEM FOR AGREEING TO MAKE SOME OF THE COMPROMISES THAT THEY ARE GOING TO HAVE TO MAKE. I THINK FOR SOME PEOPLE IN THE COMMUNITY WE DIDN'T GO FAR ENOUGH, BUT IT'S A START. YOU KNOW, PUSHING IT BACK AND FORTH AND LOOKING FOR A PERFECT WITHOUT GETTING AN ACTUAL BILL PASSED THAT IS GOING TO START REGULATING THIS INDUSTRY WOULD HAVE BEEN DETRIMENTAL TO THE COMMUNITY, I FEEL. I THINK IT'S REALLY IMPORTANT THAT WE START THE REGULATIONS AND AS WE FEEL OUR WAY THROUGH, LIKE COUNCIL MEMBER MOLINA SAID, THAT FUTURE COUNCILS MAY BE ABLE TO TWEAK THIS BILL. I PERSONALLY HAVE BEEN ON A BIKE TOUR. I PERSONALLY KNOW PEOPLE THAT HAVE HAD AND GOTTEN OUT OF THIS BUSINESS AND PERSONALLY WITNESSED THE -- NOT WITNESSED SEEING THEM, BUT HEARING ABOUT THEM AND

SEEING WHAT THE LAWSUITS THAT RESULTED. SO IT WAS TIME TO REGULATE THIS INDUSTRY, AND I WANT TO THANK COUNCIL MEMBER MOLINA FOR GETTING THIS BILL TO THIS -- WELL, I GUESS WE'RE ALMOST AT THE FINISH LINE.\r\n\r\nWHOLE-HEARTEDLY SUPPORT IT. THANK YOU. >> THANK YOU. ANYBODY ELSE? MEMBER SUGIMURA. >> THANK YOU. THANK YOU, MR.\r\n\r\nMOLINA. YOU CERTAINLY DID WORK ON THIS. I APPRECIATE THAT, AND NOT RUSH IT THROUGH. BECAUSE I THINK A LOT OF THE CONCERNS WERE ADDRESSED THROUGH THIS BILL. I WILL THANK YOU, BECAUSE YOU HAVE ADDRESSED KULA'S CONCERNS, BUT IT SOUNDS LIKE THERE'S SOME UNANSWERED, OR CONCERNS THAT CAME UP -- I THINK DURING COMMITTEE, AND AGAIN TODAY, ABOUT PA'IA MAKAWAO HAVING CONCERNS. I KNOW WHEN WE PASSED THIS OUT OF COMMITTEE AND WE ASKED AND YOU WERE FINE WITH THIS. AT THAT POINT PASSED THE BILL AS IT IS AND THANK YOU FOR ADDRESSING MY COMMUNITY'S CONCERNS.\r\n\r\nI WILL, IF I'M LUCKY TO BE RE-ELECTED AGAIN, I WILL TAKE THIS BILL UP FOR MORE DISCUSSION, TO ADDRESS SOME OF THE CONCERNS BROUGHT UP TODAY. I THINK I SPOKE TO MR. MOLINA ABOUT THIS. AND WE'LL SEE, AS THE MEMBERS ARE SAYING, WHEN THIS BILL PASSES, LET'S SEE WHAT THE IMPACT IS? AND SAFETY AND ROAD SAFETY, AND LIABILITY -- AND I WONDER IF WE NEED TO GO FURTHER? SO I'M GOING TO SUPPORT THIS BILL, BECAUSE IT AFFECTS MY COMMUNITY. I APPRECIATE THAT AS IT GOT FOCUSED ON IT AND I APPRECIATE THE EFFORTS, BECAUSE I THINK YOU MADE THE KULA COMMUNITY HAPPY WITH THE NUMBER OF RESIDENTS BEING AFFECTED ON CRATER ROAD WITH VIDEOS AND MR.\r\n\r\nPEREZ AND MR. MAYER, WE HAD THE BIKE COMPANIES COME AND TALK TO THE KULA COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION. I MEAN, JUST LOTS DONE. BUT THERE'S MORE TO DO. SO I SUPPORT THIS, AND I LOOK FORWARD TO DISCUSSING IT FURTHER AT THE APPROPRIATE TIME. THANK YOU. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION?\r\n\r\nIF NOT, I JUST WANT TO SAY THAT I, TOO, AM VERY GRATEFUL, MR. MOLINA, FOR ALL OF YOUR HARD WORK. BECAUSE IT MUST HAVE BEEN FRUSTRATING HAVING TO RECOMMIT THIS ITEM SEVERAL TIMES, AND YOU DID IT, AND YOU DISPLAYED WHAT YOU CALL YEOMAN'S WORK. I DON'T KNOW WHAT A YEOMAN DOES, BUT IT MUST BE SOMETHING GOOD. ALL RIGHT. MEMBERS, READY TO VOTE ON THE MAIN MOTION AS AMENDED? ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE MOTION, PLEASE RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE?\r\n\r\n>> AYE. >> EIGHT AYES, ONE EXCUSED MOTION CARRIES. THANK YOU. >> MAHALO, MEMBERS. >> MADAM CLERK. >> CHAIR, CONTINUING WITH YOUR INFRASTRUCTURE AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE, COMMITTEE REPORT 22-102 RECOMMENDING THAT BILL 119, CD 1 (2022) ENTITLED, "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 3.44.015 MAUI COUNTY CODE RELATING TO CONVEYANCE OF EASEMENTS TO THE COUNTY OF MAUI "BE PASSED ON FIRST READING AND ORDERED TO PRINT. >> MEMBER SUGIMURA.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU. I MOVE TO ADOPT THE RECOMMENDATIONS IN COMMITTEE REPORT 22-102. >> SECOND. >> MOVED BY MEMBER SUGIMURA. SECONDED BY PRO TEM KAMA TO APPROVE THE RECOMMENDATIONS IN COMMITTEE REPORT 22-102. DISCUSSION, MEMBER SUGIMURA. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. YOUR INFRASTRUCTURE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE MET AUGUST 15, 2022 AND SEPTEMBER 12TH, 2022 TO DISCUSS A PROPOSED BILL ENTITLED, "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 3.44.015 MAUI COUNTY CODE RELATING TO CONVEYANCE OF EASEMENTS TO THE COUNTY OF MAUI." YOUR COMMITTEE NOTES THAT THE CURRENT EASEMENT REVIEW PROCESS DIRECTLY IMPACTS THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS' ABILITY TO PERFORM TIMELY REVIEWS FOR HOUSING PROJECTS IF THE DIRECTOR CONTINUES TO PERFORM EASEMENT REVIEWS. THE COUNTY SURVEYOR WHO WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR EASEMENT REVIEWS HIRED IN 2019, YOUR COMMITTEE NOTES WHILE THREE PARTIES SURVEYORS PROVIDE SUPPORT FOR THE EASEMENT REVIEW PROCESS, BECAUSE THEY ARE ADDITIONALLY USED FOR SUBDIVISION AND LAND ACQUISITION REVIEWS, THEY DO NOT HAVE THE CAPACITY TO EXPAND THEIR SERVICES.\r\n\r\nYOUR COMMITTEE ALSO NOTES THAT PROJECTS MOST IMPACTED BY BILL 119, ARE BUILDING PERMITS

AND SUBDIVISION APPROVALS, BUT ALL TYPES OF PROJECTS INCLUDING PRIVATE DEVELOPMENT CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECT WOULD BE EXPECTED AND VOTED 7-0 TO RECOMMEND PASSAGE OF THE BILL AND I RESPECTFULLY ASK FOR THE COMMITTEE'S SUPPORT OF MY MOTION. THANK YOU. THANK YOU, CHAIR. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION? IF NOT, ALL THOSE IN FAVOR, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> EIGHT AS, ONE EXCUSED MOTION PASSES, MADAM CLERK.\r\n\r\n>> ALSO FROM YOUR INFRASTRUCTURE AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE, COMMITTEE REPORT 22-103 RECOMMENDING ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION 22-207, CD 1 FOR DAIRY ROAD PARCELS IN KAHULUI, MAUI UNDER 3.44.015 MAUI COUNTY" "BE ADOPTED. >> MEMBER SUGIMURA. >> THANK YOU. I MOVE TO ADOPT THE RECOMMENDATIONS IN COMMITTEE REPORT 22-103. >> SECOND. >> MOVED BY MEMBER SUGIMURA. SECONDED BY PRO TEM KAMA TO APPROVE THE COMMITTEE REPORT 22-103 AND ITS RECOMMENDATIONS. DISCUSSION IN MEMBER SUGIMURA.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU, CHAIR. YOUR INFRASTRUCTURE/TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE MET ON SEPTEMBER 12TH, 2022 TO DISCUSS A PROPOSED RESOLUTION ENTITLED, "ACCEPTING DEDICATION OF ROADWAY LOTS FOR THE DAIRY ROAD PARCELS SITUATED IN KAHULUI, MAUI, HAWAI'I PURSUANT TO MAUI COUNTY CODE." YOUR COMMITTEE NOTES THE RESOLUTION 22-207 MUST BE APPROVED IN CONJUNCTION WITH RESOLUTION NO. 22-208, WHICH WILL BE TAKEN UP NEXT AS A PACKAGE OF ACCEPTANCE. THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS SUPPORTED THE COUNTY'S OVERSIGHT OF THE ROADWAYS EVEN THOUGH THEY DO NOT CURRENTLY MEET COUNTY STANDARDS AND ESTIMATED ROADWAY IMPROVEMENTS WILL COST THE COUNTY APPROXIMATELY \$3 MILLION. YOUR COMMITTEE DESCRIBED FLOODING ISSUES, WITH THE ROADWAY LOTS, AND NOTED THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS CONDUCTED A PRELIMINARY INSPECTION OF THE DRAIN LINES AND CONFIRMED THAT THEY ARE IN ACCEPTABLE CONDITION. OUR COMMITTEE ALSO NOTED DAIRY ROAD IS IDENTIFIED IN THE HALE MAI MAUI LONG-RANGE TRANSPORTATION PLAN 2040 FOR INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS, AND POSSIBLE COMPLETE STREETS PROJECT. YOUR COMMITTEE VOTED 5-0 TO RECOMMEND ADOPTION OF THE RESOLUTION 22-207, CD 1, AND I RESPECTFULLY ASK FOR THE MEMBERS' SUPPORT OF THE MOTION.\r\n\r\n>> ANY MORE DISCUSSION? IF NOT, ALL THOSE IN FAVOR, OF THE MOTION, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> WHERE IS MR. SINENCI? OH, I SEE HIM. OKAY.\r\n\r\nEIGHT AYES, ONE EXCUSED. MOTION CARRIES. THANK YOU. MADAM CLERK. >> FINALLY FROM YOUR INFRASTRUCTURE AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE, COMMITTEE REPORT 22-104 RECOMMENDING THAT THE INFRASTRUCTURE AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE BE DISCHARGED FROM FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION 22-208 ENTITLED, ACCEPTING DEDICATION OF VARIOUS PARKS FROM ALEXANDER & BALDWIN, LLC. AND A&B PROPERTIES HAWAI'I, LLC. SITUATED IN VARIOUS LOCATIONS ON MAUI, HAWAI'I PURSUANT TO SECTION 3.44.015 MAUI COUNTY CODE." >> MEMBER SUGIMURA.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU. I MOVE TO ADOPT THE RECOMMENDATIONS IN COMMITTEE REPORT 22-104. >> SECOND. >> MOVED BY MEMBER SUGIMURA. SECONDED BY PRO TEM KAMA TO APPROVE COMMITTEE REPORT 22-104 AND ITS RECOMMENDATIONS. DISCUSSION, MEMBER SUGIMURA. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. YOUR INFRASTRUCTURE AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE MET ON SEPTEMBER 12TH, 2022 TO DISCUSS A PROPOSED RESOLUTION ENTITLED, "ACCEPTING DEDICATION OF VARIOUS PARKS FROM ALEXANDER & BALDWIN, LLC., AND A&B PROPERTIES HAWAI'I, LLC.." SITUATED IN VARIOUS LOCATIONS ON MAUI, HAWAI'I PURSUANT TO SECTION 3.44.015 MAUI COUNTY CODE.\r\n\r\nYOUR COMMITTEE NOTED THAT THE PURPOSE OF THE RESOLUTION IS TO ACCEPT DEDICATION OF SEVEN PARKS LOCATED IN MAUI, HAWAI'I. YOUR COMMITTEE NOTED THAT RESOLUTION 22-208 MUST BE APPROVED IN CONJUNCTION WITH RESOLUTIONS 22-207 AS A PACKAGE OF ACCEPTANCE. YOUR COMMITTEE NOTED THAT AS A RESULT OF FURTHER DISCUSSION WITH A&B, A PORTION OF THE LOT A-1 BABY BEACH WILL BE DONATED TO THE MAUI COUNTRY CLUB AS AN EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT AND THE REMAINING 23

ACRES WILL BE DEDICATED TO THE COUNTY AND PLACED IN A LAND TRUST. THE SUBDIVISION OF THE PROPERTY IS IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 18.04.020G MAUI COUNTY CODE. A REPRESENTATIVE FROM A&B STATED THAT THEY DO NOT SUPPORT RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT ON THE ACREAGE BEING DONATED TO THE MAUI COUNTRY CLUB. THE PLANNING DIRECTOR CLARIFIED THAT THIS ACREAGE IS SPLIT-ZONED, HALF OF WHICH IS ZONED RESIDENTIAL, AND THE OTHER ZONED INTERIM. DEVELOPMENT ON THE PROPERTY WOULD REQUIRE A SPECIAL MANAGEMENT AREA PERMIT, IF EXEMPTIONS ARE ALLOWED, THAT ARE CONSISTENT WITH ZONING AND COMMUNITY PLAN AREA. A REPRESENTATIVE FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAI'I SEA GRANT COLLEGE PROGRAM EXPLAINED THE IMPORTANCE OF KEEPING THE PROPERTY AS A NATURAL BUFFER TO PROTECT INFRASTRUCTURE FROM COASTAL HAZARDS.

THE COMMITTEE ALSO NOTED THAT BABY BEACH IS DESIGNATED OPEN SPACE PARK AS IDENTIFIED IN THE MAUI ISLAND PLAN. THE DIRECTOR OF PARKS AND RECREATION EXPLAINED THAT COUNTY CURRENTLY MANAGES AND MAINTAINS BALDWIN BEACH PARK, RAINBOW PARK AND OTHER PARK THROUGH A LEASE WITH A&B AND REMAINING DONATED PARKS NOT CURRENTLY MANAGED OR MAINTAINED BY THE COUNTY WILL STILL NEED TO BE ASSESSED AND BUDGET -- AND BUDGET AMENDMENT TO ADDRESS MAINTENANCE COSTS FOR THESE PARKS WOULD ALSO BE NEEDED. YOUR COMMITTEE AGREED TO DISCHARGE THE INFRASTRUCTURE AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE FROM FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION 22-208 WITH THE UNDERSTANDING THAT THE ADMINISTRATION WOULD TRANSMIT A REVISED RESOLUTION INCORPORATING REVISIONS TO LOT A-1, INCORPORATING -- INCLUDING A NEW MAP AND PROPERTY DESCRIPTION. YOUR COMMITTEE VOTED 5-0 TO RECOMMEND DISCHARGE OF RESOLUTION 22-208. AND AFTER THIS BODY VOTES ON THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE COMMITTEE, I WILL HAVE FURTHER MOTIONS RELATED TO THIS LEGISLATION. AND I RESPECTFULLY ASK FOR THE MEMBERS' SUPPORT OF MY MOTION. I WANTED TO GIVE A SPECIAL MAHALO TO KEANI RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ AS WORKING ON THIS IN THE I.T. COMMITTEE AND HOW YOU HELPED ME, RIGHT ON, ON THE DISCHARGE. THANK YOU.

THANK YOU, CHAIR. >> ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION? IF NOT, ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE MOTION, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> EIGHT AYES, ONE EXCUSED MOTION CARRIES MEMBER SUGIMURA. >> I MOVE TO ADOPT RESOLUTION 22- -- >> POINT OF ORDER? >> WAS THERE A MOTION?

I THOUGHT THE MOTION WAS TO APPROVE COMMITTEE REPORT 22-104. >> YES. >> ARE WE AMENDING THE MAIN MOTION? A SUBSTITUTE? >> I THOUGHT IT GETS REPLACED WITH -- BECAUSE IT WAS DISCHARGED. >> HOLD ON, DAVID, CAN YOU WALK US THROUGH THIS? >> MADAM CHAIR? QUICK POINT OF ORDER.

MAYBE CAN WE CALL FOR A RECESS TO WORK THE DETAILS OUT AND COME BACK AT YOUR CALLING? >> IT SHOULDN'T TAKE LONG. DAVID. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR LEE. SO THE COMMITTEE REPORT RECOMMENDED THAT THE COMMITTEE BE DISCHARGED FROM FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF THE RESOLUTION. SO APPROVAL OF THAT RECOMMENDATION PUTS THE RESOLUTION BEFORE THE BODY. AND THEN ANY MOTIONS RELATING TO THE RESOLUTION WOULD BE IN ORDER FROM THIS POINT FORWARD.

SO WE VOTED ON IT. WE APPROVED THE RECOMMENDATION OF COMMITTEE REPORT 22-104. AND NOW YOU ARE GOING TO MAKE YOUR MOTION TO SUBSTITUTE; RIGHT? >> RIGHT. DAVID? >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. I THINK THE MAIN MOTION WOULD BE IN ORDER FIRST, A MOTION TO ADOPT THE RESOLUTION AND ANY AMENDMENTS WOULD BE IN ORDER AT THAT POINT. >> OKAY.

DID YOU HEAR THAT, MEMBER SUGIMURA? >> CAN I ASK MR. RAATZ? >> GO AHEAD. >> MR. RAATZ, THE ASF THAT I HAVE PREPARED IS BASICALLY MOVE RESOLUTION 22-208 WITH THE RESOLUTION ATTACHED TO COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-248, AND FILE COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-248. >> SECOND. >> RIGHT?

YES, THAT IS CORRECT. AFTER THE MAIN MOTION TO RECOMMEND ADOPTION OF THE RESOLUTION IS PUT BEFORE THE BODY. >> SO THE RESOLUTION THAT THE MAIN MOTION IS RESOLUTION 22-08. >> 22-208. >> I'M SORRY, 22-208. OKAY. >> ARE YOU -- >>

I MOVE TO ADOPT RESOLUTION 22-208. >> SECOND. >> THEN I HAVE THE ASF. >> OKAY. HERE IT COMES.\r\n\r\nIT'S THE WHOLE BILL. >> NOW WE SHOULD TAKE A RECESS. >> WE SHOULD GO TO LUNCH. >> NO OBJECTIONS. >> TO THE LUNCH? >> THIS IS A LOT OF INFORMATION. THIS IS JUST CHANGING -- -- IT'S JUST A SUBSTITUTE.\r\n\r\n>> INSTEAD OF ONE TMKS, IT'S TWO TMKS. >> IF I COULD, CHAIR? >> HOW LONG IS THIS GOING TO TAKE US TO POUR THROUGH THIS? MEMBER SUGIMURA? >> IF I COULD, THIS WAS DISCUSSED IN COMMITTEE. AND THIS IS THE SUBSTITUTION, OR THE CORRECTION OF TMK BASED UPON THE AGREEMENT WITH MAUI COUNTRY CLUB AND THE COUNTY OF MAUI, AND AS YOU KNOW, >> YOU KNOW WHAT? NOW THAT WE HAVE THIS INFORMATION, CAN YOU REPEAT YOUR MOTION?\r\n\r\n>> OKAY. SO IF YOU LOOK AT THE ASF, I MOVE TO SUBSTITUTE RESOLUTION 22-208 WITH THE RESOLUTION ATTACHED IN COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-248 AND TO FILE COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-248. >> SECOND. >> ALL RIGHT, DISCUSSION? >> THANK YOU. SO THE SUBSTANTIVE AMENDMENT INCORPORATED A NEW PROPERTY DESCRIPTION, AND A NEW MAP OF LOT A-1, IDENTIFIED AS A PORTION OF TMK (2)3-8-008:072, CONTAINING AND AREA OF 23.24 ACRES MORE OR LESS AS DESCRIBED IN THE MAP ATTACHED AS EXHIBIT 1. AS DISCUSSED IN THE INFRASTRUCTURE AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE MEETING ON SEPTEMBER 12, 202, DONATED TO MAUI COUNTRY CLUB AND REMAINING ACREAGE WILL BE DONATED TO THE COUNTY. THE PROPOSED FD 1 VERSION OF RESOLUTION 22-208 REFLECTS THIS. SO PROPOSED FD 1 REVISIONS RESOLUTION 208 IS ATTACHED.\r\n\r\nSO THE DISCUSSION IS MEMORIALIZED. >> ANY DISCUSSION? VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. I JUST WANTED TO CLARIFY THE PROCEDURE THAT WE JUST HAD A MOTION TO CHARGE, AND THEN WE CALLED FOR THE VOTE. AND IT WAS UNANIMOUS TO DISCHARGE. AND THEN WE HAVE A MAIN MOTION TO ADOPT RESOLUTION 22-208 WITH MOTION TO AMEND A SUBSTITUTION OF WHAT WE JUST RECEIVED.\r\n\r\nIS THAT WHAT IS ON THE FLOOR? >> I DON'T RECALL THE MOTION TO DISCHARGE. >> WE DIDN'T HAVE TO, BECAUSE REMEMBER WE TOOK CARE OF IT IN COMMITTEE. THE MOST UNUSUAL THING WE DID. >> IT WAS UNUSUAL. >> MEMBER KING. >> BECAUSE THE COMMITTEE REPORT WAS ASKED FOR THE DISCHARGE.\r\n\r\nSO WHEN WE APPROVED THE COMMITTEE REPORT, WE APPROVED THE DISCHARGE. THAT IS WHAT WAS ASKED FOR IN THE COMMITTEE REPORT. SO WE DID THE DISCHARGE THROUGH THE COMMITTEE REPORT APPROVAL AND THERE WAS A MOTION TO APPROVE -- >> THERE WAS NO SPECIAL MOTION ON THE FLOOR FOR THAT. >> WELL, THE MOTION WAS TO -- >> APPROVE THE COMMITTEE REPORT. >> AND WE APPROVED THAT. SO THAT WAS THE DISCHARGE. >> OKAY.\r\n\r\nTHANKS FOR THE CLARIFICATION. BACK TO YOU, MEMBER SUGIMURA. ANYTHING ELSE? >> THAT IS BASICALLY IT AS FAR AS THIS ASF. >> SO NOW WE HAVE THE SUBSTITUTION BEFORE US. >> YES. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION?\r\n\r\nVICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> GO AHEAD, VICE-CHAIR. >> I WAS JUST GOING TO SPEAK IN STRONG SUPPORT OF THE MOTION. AND SO AS WE DISCUSSED IN COMMITTEE, I CAN'T REMEMBER THE EXACT NUMBER, BUT IT'S MORE LAND THAN WHAT WAS ORIGINALLY IN RESOLUTION 208. SO I'M SUPPORTIVE OF THAT, AND I WANTED TO THANK THE MAYOR AND THE ADMINISTRATION, MEMBER MOLINA, AND ALL OF THE LONG-TIME ADVOCATES, FORMER COUNCIL MEMBER NISHIKI, - WHO ELSE? LUCIENNE. A LOT OF COMMUNITY ADVOCATES WHO HAVE BEEN ADVOCATING FOR THIS EFFORT TO PROTECT AND PRESERVE OUR SHORELINES, AND MAHALO TO A&B FOR WORKING WITH THE COUNTY ON ACCOMPLISHING THIS. I THINK THIS IS HUGE.\r\n\r\nMAHALO, CHAIR. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION? MR. RAATZ. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. JUST A FINAL PIECE TO THE PROCEDURAL PUZZLE AS TO ENSURE THAT THE COUNCIL DID CALL UP COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-248; WHICH WAS ON THE AGENDA EARLIER, BUT WAS POSTPONED TO BE TAKEN UP IN CONJUNCTION WITH THIS RESOLUTION. THANK YOU, CHAIR.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU. YOU DID READ THAT, DIDN'T YOU? IT SAYS RIGHT THERE, MOVE TO SUBSTITUTE RESOLUTION 22-208 WITH RESOLUTION

ATTACHED TO COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-248 AND TO FILE COUNTY COMMUNICATION 22-248. THAT IS THE CLARIFICATION THAT YOU WANTED, MR. RAATZ? >> YES, THANK YOU, CHAIR. >> OKAY. ANYTHING ELSE?\r\n\r\nMEMBER SUGIMURA. >> THANK YOU VERY MUCH, CHAIR. SO I, TOO, WANT TO EXPRESS OUR APPRECIATION. I THINK THIS IS SOMETHING THAT THE COMMUNITY, AND OUR RESIDENTS WILL NOW ENJOY IN PERPETUITY, THESE SEVEN PARKS. WE ALL HAVE STORIES GROWING UP AND USING THEM. BUT I ALSO WANT TO MAKE SPECIAL NOTE ON THE DAIRY ROAD PORTION, BECAUSE THAT DIRECTLY IMPACTS MY COMMITTEE INFRASTRUCTURE PUBLIC WORKS AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT ACTUALLY, IN TERMS OF INFRASTRUCTURE. I LOOK FORWARD TO WORKING ON THIS AS WE TRY TO MAKE IMPROVEMENTS.\r\n\r\nI THINK DIRECTOR MOLINA ESTIMATED LIKE MAYBE \$3 MILLION AN EARLY ESTIMATE OF IMPROVEMENTS WE WOULD NEED. I WANT TO ADD IN COMMUNICATION WITH ED SNIFFEN, WHICH IS WHO HE IS THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF STATE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, I TALKED TO HIM ABOUT THIS AT THE EDDIE TAM -- ELMER CARVALHO ROAD DEDICATION LAST FRIDAY. WE TALKED ABOUT HOW THE STATE BASICALLY TOOK CARE OF THIS RECORD BECAUSE IT WAS THE OLD AIRPORT ACCESS ROAD. THEY TOOK SPECIAL CARE OF THAT PARTICULAR ROAD, WHICH WE'RE NOW TAKING OVER. SO IT'S NOT AS IN DISASTROUS CONDITION. I LOOK FORWARD TO WORKING WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, AND THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT AS WE IMPROVE THIS ROAD TO BE A COMPLETE STREET ROAD. THANK YOU.\r\n\r\n>> ANYBODY ELSE? ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE MOTION, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> EIGHT AYES, ONE EXCUSED, MOTION CARRIES. DOES THAT TAKE CARE OF EVERYTHING, DAVID? >> YES, THANK YOU, CHAIR. >> OKAY.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU EVERYBODY. >> MOTION TO AMEND FOR THE SUBSTITUTION, NOW WE'RE ON THE MAIN MOTION AS AMENDED. >> DAVID? >> WELL, I'LL DEFER TO THE CLERK ON THE MOTIONS. THANK YOU, CHAIR. >> OKAY. THE MAIN MOTION AS AMENDED.\r\n\r\nMAIN MOTION AS AMENDED, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> EIGHT AYES, ONE EXCUSED. MOTION CARRIES. VERY GOOD. NOW WE TOOK CARE OF COMMITTEE REPORTS. SO RATHER THAN PROCEEDING WITH RESOLUTIONS, HOW ABOUT WE TAKE A ONE-HOUR LUNCH BREAK?\r\n\r\nAND THEN -- >> CHAIR, WOULD YOU CONSIDER AN HOUR-AND-A-HALF? >> HOUR-AND-A-HALF, OKAY? ONLY IF YOU PROMISE TO BEHAVE AS YOU HAVE BEEN, BECAUSE WE HAVE MADE SOME REALLY GOOD TIME TODAY. AND IT'S BECAUSE WE'VE KEPT OUR COMMENTS TO A MINIMUM, AND THAT HAS REALLY HELPED. THE TESTIMONY HAS BEEN RIGHT ON-TARGET, TOO. SO LET'S SAY 1:30. THIS MEETING IS IN RECESS UNTIL 1:30. [GAVEL] [GAVEL] WILL THE COUNCIL MEETING OF OCTOBER 7TH, PLEASE RECONVENE AND MADAM CLERK, SHALL BE START WITH RESOLUTION TESTIMONY. >> YES, CHAIR, PROCEEDING WITH TESTIMONY ON RESOLUTIONS.\r\n\r\nTHE FIRST PERSON TO TESTIFY IS PAUL THOMASON, FOLLOW BY JENNIFER BAUMSTARK. >> HOW MANY DO WE HAVE ALL TOGETHER. >> 14, BUT A COUPLE OF THE NAMES HAVE ALREADY TESTIFIED. >> OKAY. THE FIRST NAME AGAIN? >> PAUL THOMASON. >> PAUL THOMASON.\r\n\r\nOKAY. >> IF YOU COULD MENTION YOUR NAME AND THE ITEM YOU ARE TESTIFYING ON, PLEASE. >> YES. >> MY NAME IS PAUL TOO THOMASON AND THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR FOR THE CHILDREN'S JUSTICE CENTER AND HERE TO SPEAK ON BEHALF OF THE RESOLUTION 22-228. SURVIVORS OF SEXUAL VIOLENCE IS DEMANDING AND DRAINING WORK THAT COMES WITH A PERSONAL COST FOR SERVICE PROVIDERS AND THE SEXUAL ASSAULT NURSE EXAMINERS ALSO KNOWN AS SANE NURSES. PERSONALLY AS A LONG-TIME ADVOCATE VICTIMS BY SEXUAL ABUSE AND PHYSICAL AND EMOTIONAL ABUSE, I KNOW TOLL, THE EMOTIONAL TOLL KNOWN AS SECONDARY TRAUMA STRESS, STS, HAS HAD ON ME. THERE ARE DAYS I SIT IN MY OFFICE AND CRY, DUE TO SOME OF THE HORRIFIC THINGS HAPPENING TO OUR KEIKI ON MAUI AND I'M NOT ONE OF THE FIRST-RESPONDERS. STS, WHO HAVE TO HEAR ABOUT OR RESPOND TO ANOTHER'S TRAUMA RATHER THAN BEING VICTIMS THEMSELVES.\r\n\r\nSECONDARY TRAUMA HAS

BEEN WELL-DOCUMENTED IN THOSE WHO WORK WITH SEXUAL ASSAULT SURVIVORS, ESPECIALLY THE NURSES ON THE FRONT LINE, DIRECTLY RESPONDING AFTER THE ASSAULT HAS TAKEN PLACE. NUMEROUS STUDIES HAVE FOUND THAT NURSES WHO CARE FOR RAPE VICTIMS REPORTED CHANGES IN THEIR OWN DAILY BEHAVIORS AND ALSO FOUND THE SAME NURSES HAVE A VARIETY OF EMOTIONAL RESPONSES INCLUDING ANGER, NIGHTMARES, FEAR, SADNESS, HELPLESSNESS, ANXIETY AND DIFFICULTY FOCUSING. STS CREATES HIGH-RISK OF BURNOUT IN OUR PROVIDERS NATIONWIDE. THESE BURNOUTS CONSIST OF EMOTIONAL EXHAUSTION, DEPERSONALIZATION AND REDUCED SENSE OF PERSONAL ACCOMPLISHMENT. IN COMPARING BURNOUT ACROSS VARIOUS TYPES OF NURSES THE HIGHEST RATES OF BURNOUT HAVE BEEN FOUND IN THE EMERGENCY ROOMS AND SANE NURSES. COMPARED TO NURSES WHO ARE WORKING WITH OTHER POPULATIONS IN THEIR PROFESSIONS. THIS JOB TAKES A SPECIAL PERSON TO DO IT AND THE MAJORITY OF PEOPLE WOULD NOT ONLY NOT BE ABLE TO DO IT, BUT WOULD NOT CHOOSE TO DO IT.\r\n\r\nTHERE ARE ALSO REWARDING PARTS OF THIS TYPE OF WORK, IN KNOWING THAT YOU ARE THERE TO BE SOMEONE AFTER A TRAUMATIC EVENT HAPPENED TO THEM, THEY BECOME A SAFETY NET FOR THEM, A SENSE OF SECURITY MAY BE FOR THE FIRST TIME EVER IN THE CHILD'S LIFE. AND YOU ARE ABLE TO BE PART OF A MUST NEEDED HEALING PROCESS FOR THOSE INDIVIDUALS AND I HAVE WATCHED THE STAFF RESPOND TO EACH AND EVERY CHILD, THEY ENCOUNTER WITH DIGNITY, EMPATHY AND COMPASSION. WHEN I COME TO SPEAK, I ALWAYS RESEARCH WHAT I'M TALKING ABOUT. WHAT I FOUND WAS THAT THE AVERAGE SANE NURSE STAYS IN THE PROFESSION 1-2 YEARS. JENNIFER, WHO IS ONE OF THEM, IS GOING ON TEN YEARS NOW. SO IF THESE INDIVIDUALS ARE BRINGING VALUE TO OUR COMMUNITY, WHICH THEY ARE, IT SHOULD NOT BE DIFFICULT TO SHOW THEM THAT WE SEE THE VALUE IN THEM. MOST PEOPLE IN THIS WORK DON'T EXPECT RIDICULOUS BONUSES OR RAISES, BUT JUST WANT TO BE PAID WHAT THEY ARE WORTH AND BY NOT DOING SO, WHAT MESSAGE ARE WE SENDING TO THEM?\r\n\r\nSO I'M HUMBL Y ASKING THE COUNCIL REVIEWING 22-228, TO NOT ONLY SEE THE HUMAN VALUE THAT THEY HAVE FOR THE VICTIMS AND OUR COMMUNITIES, AND TO UNDERSTAND THAT WE NEED TO BE IN LINE WITH OTHER GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES IN PROVIDING A COMPARABLE COMPENSATION FOR OUR SANE NURSES, THAT THEY SO RIGHTFULLY DESERVE. I JUST WANT TO ADD ONE QUICK THING, BECAUSE I DIDN'T USE UP ALL MY TIME. THESE FRONT-LINE WORKERS HAVE A HORRIFIC JOB AND THEY REACH OUT TO COMMUNITY TO MAKE THE ENVIRONMENT THAT THE CHILD COMES IN, CAN YOU PLEASE BRING IN STUFFED ANIMALS? CAN WE HAVE EXTRA CLOTHES? THEY GO ABOVE AND BEYOND. SO I GREATLY APPRECIATE IF YOU WOULD INCREASE THE INCREASE IN THEIR COMPENSATION. THANK YOU.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU. ANY QUESTIONS, MEMBERS? MEMBER SUGIMURA HAS A QUESTION. >> I WANT TO THANK YOU FOR SITTING HERE ALL DAY. YOU HAVE BEEN HERE EVEN BEFORE THE RESOLUTIONS WERE READ. SO THANK YOU FOR BEING PATIENT. >> I WENT TO WORK AT 4:00 A.M. AND I SAID, YOU KNOW?\r\n\r\nTHIS IS THE PERFECT EXCUSE FOR ME TO SIT DOWN AND DO NOTHING. IT WAS A GOOD BREAK. THANK YOU. >> THANK YOU. >> MEMBER PALTIN. >> I JUST WANTED TO CLARIFY, IS THIS TIME-SENSITIVE? >> YES.\r\n\r\n>> OKAY. >> SO YOU WANT US TO PASS IT TODAY? >> THERE'S SOME COUNTIES IN THE STATE OF HAWAII THAT LITERALLY HAVE NO SANE NURSES BECAUSE THEY ARE NOT BEING COMPENSATED. HATS OFF TO THE STAFF HERE, THEY HAVE BEEN DOING THIS FOR YEARS, AND I'M TELLING YOU, AS SOMEONE THAT IS AN ADVOCATE AND WORKS WITH CHILDREN, A LOT OF THIS IS COMING FROM THEIR HEART. IT'S NOT THE MONEY, BUT YOU ARE NOT GOING TO BE ABLE TO MAINTAIN ANY TYPE OF QUALITY PEOPLE, IF THERE ISN'T AN INCREASE IN THEIR COMPENSATION. >> JUST TO CLARIFY, YOU WOULD LIKE US TO PASS THIS TODAY. >> I WOULD LOVE YOU TO PASS THIS TODAY.\r\n\r\nTHEY HAVE BEEN WAITING A LONG, LONG TIME. >> OKAY. THANK YOU. >> THANK YOU. >> ANY MORE QUESTIONS? VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ.

>> MAHALO, CHAIR.\r\n\r\nMAHALO. HOW MANY NURSES ARE WE DOWN TO? >> TWO. SOME ISLANDS HAVE NONE. SO WHAT IS HAPPENING THEY ARE ACTUALLY PAYING OVERTIME FOR OTHER PEOPLE TO COME IN AND SUBSTITUTE. SO IT'S ACTUALLY COSTING THEM MORE, THEN IF WE WERE FAIR IN THE BEGINNING, AND BEING ABLE JUST TO MAINTAIN THE STAFF. >> MAHALO FOR THAT INFORMATION.\r\n\r\nMAHALO, CHAIR. >> ANYONE ELSE? IF NOT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH. NEXT TESTIFIER. >> MY APOLOGIES, CHAIR, I DIDN'T SEE MIKE MORAN'S NAME IN FRONT OF JENNIFER'S. SO MIKE MORAN WOULD BE THE NEXT TESTIFIER, AND WOULD BE FOLLOWED BY JENNIFER BAUMSTARK. >> HI MIKE. CAN'T HEAR YOU.\r\n\r\nCAN'T HEAR YOU. >> THANK YOU. GOOD AFTERNOON, CHAIR. I'LL BE BACK LATER, AND HOPEFULLY, I WON'T BE SAYING GOOD EVENING, CHAIR. SO I WILL TRY TO DO MY PART. WE HAVE FOUR RESOLUTIONS THAT WE WANTED TO COMMENT ON. THE FIRST ONE IS 22-191. ON THE MAUI PLANNING COMMISSION APPOINTMENTS.\r\n\r\nWE HAVE COMMENDED THIS COUNCIL BEFORE ON YOUR DUE DILIGENCE IN TRYING TO GET SOME KIND OF BALANCE IN THE MAUI PLANNING COMMISSION. THAT IS YOUR JOB, EVEN THOUGH IT'S A DIFFICULT TASK, WHEN PEOPLE SAY, WELL THE MAYOR APPOINTS THEM AND THE COUNCIL APPROVES IT. YOU KNOW, IT SAYS THE GAME SHOW IS KIND OF FUN WHEN THEY SAY, OKAY, DO YOU WANT TO TAKE DOOR NO. 1 OR GUESS WHAT IS BEHIND DOOR NO. 2 OR 3? THAT MIGHT BE FINE FOR A GAME SHOW, BUT NOT A GOOD WAY TO RUN THE GOVERNMENT AND GIVEN THE CHOICE YOU WANT THIS UP-AND-DOWN AND YOU DON'T KNOW WHAT THE OTHER CHOICES ARE, YOU MAKE YOUR BEST JUDGMENT ON IT. WE COMMEND THE COUNCIL FOR DOING THE BEST YOU CAN, AND TRYING NO THE TO REALLY STRAY FROM THE AGENDA. BUT I THINK MANY OF US SAW THE OPINION PIECE IN THE PAPER THIS MORNING, ATTACKING FOR DOING THE JOB.\r\n\r\nWE CAN SAY AS THE ASSOCIATION, WE TRULY APPRECIATE VOLUNTEERS WHO STEP UP. BUT YOU HAVE TO MAKE THAT DECISION, WHICH ARE GOING TO BE THE BEST VOLUNTEERS? SO WE FELT IT WAS KIND OF DISRESPECTFUL TO ATTACK OUR ELECTED OFFICIALS FOR DOING THEIR JOB, AND WE JUST COMMEND YOU FOR DOING IT. AND HOPE YOU CAN JUST CONTINUE TO MAKE THE BEST CHOICES YOU CAN. THAT IS ON 191. MOVING ON TO 227. TRYING TO RECTIFY THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE STATE LEG, WHICH IS HAMPERING THIS COMMITTEE, AS YOU PROCEED ALONG. SO WE'RE IN FULL SUPPORT OF THAT, THAT YOU CAN TRY AND BRING THIS BACK TO MORE EFFICIENT SYSTEM. SO WE JUST CONTINUE TO SUPPORT THAT ACTION IN 227. MOVING ONTO 22-231. APPOINTMENT TO THE SOUTH MAUI ADVISORY COMMITTEE.\r\n\r\nWE ARE IN FULL SUPPORT OF THAT, AND WE HAVE A NEED. MY, MYSELF AND A FEW OTHERS SIT ON THAT SOUTH MAUI ADVISORY COMMITTEE, AND WE DID LOSE A FEW PEOPLE. SO WE ARE IN SUPPORT OF THIS CANDIDATE COMING UP. THAT ALSO TIES IN WITH THE PRIOR TESTIMONY THAT THOSE OF YOU WHO DON'T FOLLOW TOO CLOSE THE PLANNING COMMISSION DENIED THE SOUTH MAUI ADVISORY COMMITTEE TWO TIMES IN A ROW, THE ABILITY TO GET INPUT ON DEVELOPMENTS IN SOUTH MAUI. SO IT'S KIND OF - - WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF CREATING THIS COMMITTEE THAT YOU FOLKS WORKED ON FOR YEARS AND SOME OF US VOLUNTEERS ON FOR YEARS THAT WE DON'T EVEN GET THE OPPORTUNITY TO OFFER ADVICE. IT WOULD BE NICE TO HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY. THEN THE LAST ONE IS 234. AND THIS IS ANOTHER ATTEMPT BY THE COUNCIL TO STREAMLINE THE SYSTEM, MAKE IT A BIT MORE EFFICIENT AS BEST YOU CAN.\r\n\r\nSO THESE MEETINGS DON'T GO ANY LONGER THAN NECESSARY, AND CAN BE MORE EFFICIENT. SO WE APPLAUD YOU FOR TRYING TO TAKE THIS ACTION, AND WE'RE IN FULL SUPPORT OF THAT ONE AS WELL. OKAY. THAT IS OUR FOUR ITEMS FOR TODAY. AND THANK YOU FOR THE OPPORTUNITY. >> THANK YOU, MIKE. QUESTIONS?\r\n\r\nMEMBERS? IF NOT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH. MAY WE HAVE THE NEXT TESTIFIER. LET THE RECORD SHOW MEMBER KING HAS JOINED US. >> I HAVE BEEN TRYING TO GET LOGGED ON. >> CHAIR, OUR NEXT TESTIFIER IS JENNIFER BAUMSTARK, TO BE FOLLOWED BY J.D. WYATT. >> HELLO, CAN YOU HEAR

ME?\r\n\r\n>> YES. >> HI. SO I'M JENNIFER BAUMSTARK, AND I'M TESTIFYING FOR 22-228. MY ROLE IS THE MEDICAL DIRECTOR FOR THE SEXUAL ASSAULT EXAMINERS HERE IN MAUI COUNTY. WHEN I ORIGINALLY STARTED TALKING TO ABOUT RAISING THE PAY WE HAD THREE PEOPLE TAKING CALL, BUT NOW ONE OF OUR -- NOW WE'RE DOWN TO TWO. AND I JUST WAS SO TOUCHED BY WHAT PAUL SAID, AND IT'S TRUE. THE TRAUMA THAT WE EXPERIENCE, IT'S REAL. IT'S HARD.\r\n\r\nBUT MYSELF, AND HEATHER ARE THE TWO EXAMINERS THAT ARE CURRENTLY COVERING THREE ISLANDS. WE ARE COMMITTED TO DOING THIS UNTIL WE FIND MORE PEOPLE TO HELP US. AT ONE POINT WE HAD UP TO FIVE EXAMINERS, BUT NOW IT'S JUST HER AND I. THE INCREASE IN THE PAY IS GOING TO MAKE IT A SUSTAINABLE PROGRAM. I CURRENTLY HAVE THREE PEOPLE INTERESTED IN TRAINING. UNFORTUNATELY, THE OTHER PEOPLE THAT HAVE BEEN TRAINED UP, IT'S NOT SUSTAINABLE -- IT WASN'T SUSTAINABLE FOR THEM TO CONTINUE AND THAT IS THE REASON WHY THEY QUIT TAKING CALL WITH US. SO IT WOULD BE A MUCH EASIER FOR US TO ONCE WE FIND PEOPLE THAT ARE WILLING TO DO THE JOB, WHICH IS LIKE PAUL SAID, NOT EVERYBODY CAN DO THIS. SO I'M HOPING THAT IF I CAN BRING IN MORE PEOPLE, THAT THEY WOULD STAY, IF WE CAN INCREASE THE CALL PAY.\r\n\r\nAS MENTIONED BEFORE, MAUI COUNTY IS ONE OF THE ISLANDS THAT DOESN'T HAVE A NEED RIGHT NOW FOR -- BECAUSE WE DO HAVE TWO PEOPLE DOING IT AND OTHERS DON'T HAVE ANYBODY DOING IT. I JUST REALLY APPRECIATE THE OPPORTUNITY TO TESTIFY FOR THIS, AND I'M HAPPY TO ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS. >> ALL RIGHT, QUESTIONS, MEMBERS? NO QUESTIONS. THANK YOU VERY MUCH. NEXT. >> OUR NEXT TESTIFIER IS J.D. WYATT FOLLOWED BY BARRY SOLOMON.\r\n\r\n>> ALOHA CHAIR LEE. I'M TRYING TO GET MY VIDEO ON. IT IS NOT TAKING. IS MY AUDIO WORKING? >> PERFECTLY. >> OKAY. I APOLOGIZE FOR THAT.\r\n\r\nMAYBE I WILL JUST GO FORTH. MAHALO, CHAIR LEE AND COUNCIL MEMBERS, I'M J.D. WIIT THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AT KA LIMA O MAUI AND I WANT TO THANK YOU ALL FOR WHAT YOU DOING AND FOR HEARING MY TESTIMONY TODAY. AT KALIMBA O MAUI AS YOU ARE AWARE WE HAVE CUSTODIAL AND GROUNDS CONTRACTS WITH THE COUNTY OF MAUI. AND WE'RE SEEKING A CONTRACT AMENDMENT OF ROUGHLY \$10,354.29 PER MONTH TO ACCOUNT FOR THE MINIMUM WAGE INCREASE FROM \$10.10 TO \$12 AN HOUR. FOR MANY ORGANIZATIONS, AND COMPANIES, I DON'T KNOW IF MINIMUM WAGE IS NO LONGER AN ISSUE FOR THEIR RECRUITING? THE WAGES HAVE DRASTICALLY WENT UP -- MEMBERS OF OUR CREWS THAT WORK IN CUSTODIAL AND GROUNDS AND WE HAVE ANOTHER TEN WITH ADULTS WITH DISABILITIES THAT MAKE MINIMUM WAGE AND THOSE ARE SOME OF OUR INTERNAL PROGRAMS, LAUNDRY ACTIVITIES AND SHREDDING SERVICES. SO WE'RE JUST LOOKING SIMPLY LOOKING FOR THE GOOD OF THE MINIMUM WAGE FROM OCTOBER 1ST THROUGH THE FISCAL YEAR END OF JUNE 30TH.\r\n\r\nAND THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THAT INCLUDING, I CAN ITEMIZE ABOUT \$82,000 IN ACTUAL WAGES BASED ON THE EMPLOYEES. THERE IS AN ADDITIONAL \$42,660 OF WORKERS' COMP BASED ON THAT AND PAYROLL TAX EXPENSES AND TOTAL \$93,188.60 WHERE MY MONTHLY NUMBER COMES FROM FOR NINE MONTHS. WE REALLY WOULD APPRECIATE THE SUPPORT OF THE COUNCIL. MY CREWS ARE SOME OF THE MOST RELIABLE, WONDERFUL PEOPLE THAT YOU COULD EVER RUN INTO AND WORK WITH. AND YOU KNOW, KA LIMA O MAUI HELD A C-14 CERTIFICATE AND NOW THOSE ARE NO LONGER ENFORCED. WE NEVER PAID SUBMINIMUM WAGE AND CERTAINLY OUR STAFF DESERVES THAT INCREASE AS WELL. WE DIDN'T HAVE IT IN OUR INITIAL PROPOSAL TO THE COUNTY WHEN I RECOGNIZED THAT WE NEEDED TO ADD THAT, IT WAS ALREADY APPROVED.\r\n\r\nSO THAT IS WHY I'M COMING BEFORE THE COUNTY AND ASKING FOR YOUR SUPPORT FOR RESOLUTION 22-229. >> THANK YOU. MEMBERS, QUESTIONS? MEMBER SUGIMURA AND THEN PRO TEM KAMA. >> THANK YOU. SO THANK YOU FOR YOUR TESTIMONY. IS THIS AN URGENCY FOR THIS AS YOU ARE TALKING ABOUT CURRENT WAGES? I KNOW THAT THE MINIMUM WAGE INCREASED.\r\n\r\n>> SO EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1ST, THERE IS

A SENSE OF URGENCY THOUGH WE WON'T BE INTO THE MAJORITY OF THE OCTOBER PAY PERIOD UNTIL OUR NEXT PAY PERIOD. SO IF THE COUNCIL NEEDS TIME TO DISCUSS THAT OR GET ANY FURTHER INFORMATION FROM ME, I WOULD BE HAPPY TO PROVIDE THE DETAILED BREAK DOWN. I SENT THAT TO THE DIRECTOR OF PARKS AND REC WITH THE BREAKDOWN OF WHAT I'M REQUESTING. IT WOULD BE REALLY FANTASTIC, IF THERE WAS AN APPROVAL FOR THAT TO TAKE PLACE SOMETIME IN THIS MONTH, WHILE WE'RE IN THE INCREASE MONTH. >> THANK YOU. >> THANK YOU. >> PRO TEM KAMA.\r\n\r\n>> MEMBER SUGIMURA ASKED MY QUESTION. I GOT THE ANSWER. THANK YOU. >> OKAY. ANYONE ELSE? IF NOT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH. AND MADAM CLERK, MAY WE HAVE THE NEXT TESTIFIER, PLEASE.\r\n\r\n>> OUR NEXT TESTIFIER IS BARRY SOLOMON, TO BE FOLLOWED BY LUCIENNE DE NAIE. >> BARRY SOLOMON. >> THE NEXT ONE. >> LUCIENNE DE NAIE. >> HELLO. >> HELLO AGAIN. >> HELLO AGAIN.\r\n\r\nIT MUST BE AFTERNOON. I'M LUCIENNE DE NAIE AND TESTIFYING ON BEHALF OF MYSELF. I'M TESTIFYING ABOUT TWO PROSPECTIVE APPOINTMENTS TO THE BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS FOR MAUI COUNTY. I MEAN, I HAVE TO ECHO MIKE MORAN. IT'S LIKE, GOSH, IT'S REALLY HARD TO JUST SIT THIS AND KNOW WHAT DECISION IS BEST, WHEN YOU DON'T KNOW WHAT YOUR CHOICES WERE? YOU KNOW? IT'S LIKE, WE DON'T APPOINT OUR COMMUNITY ADVISORY BOARDS FOR OUR COMMUNITY PLANS THAT WAY.\r\n\r\nWE DON'T APPOINT OTHER IMPORTANT ADVISORY GROUPS THAT WAY. BUT UNFORTUNATELY, DUE TO OUR CHARTER, OUR BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS ARE JUST APPOINTED BY THIS SORT OF SECRET PROCESS. SO HOPEFULLY, THE CHARTER AMENDMENT THAT CREATES A BLUE-RIBBON COMMITTEE WILL PAST, AND WILL AT LEAST HAVE A GROUP OF PEOPLE REALLY OUT ACTIVELY LOOKING FOR QUALIFIED PEOPLE, ET CETERA, ET CETERA. BUT BACK TO THESE TWO AGENDA ITEMS. AGENDA ITEM 191 IS FOR THE PLANNING COMMISSION. MR. ROD ANTONE, AND YOU KNOW, ROD DOES SERVE ON THE ADVISORY BOARD TO THE PLANNING COMMISSION FROM PA'IA-HAIKU.\r\n\r\nSO I GUESS HE WANTS TO GO WHERE THE ACTION IS, AND TIRED OF OUR SLEEPY LITTLE ADVISORY BOARD ALREADY AFTER ONE MEETING. GOSH, YOU KNOW, ROD IS A GREAT GUY. I JUST THINK THAT HIS VIEWPOINT ARE PROBABLY PRETTY WELL-REPRESENTED ON THE PLANNING COMMISSION. THERE'S A LOT OF PEOPLE ON THE COMMISSION THAT JUST FEEL THAT THE ECONOMY TRUMPS EVERYTHING, AND IF SOMEONE JUST MENTIONS THERE'S JOBS, OR THERE'S AFFORDABLE HOUSING, OR WHATEVER, YOU DON'T HAVE TO REALLY QUESTION TOO MUCH, YOU KNOW? YOU NEED TO DO A LITTLE BIT OF QUESTIONING AND DO SOME DUE DILIGENCE, BUT BASICALLY YOU CAN JUST VOTE YES. THE COMMISSION IS EMPOWERED TO ACTUALLY ASK THE TOUGH QUESTIONS, AND PUT TOUGH CONDITIONS ON PROJECTS THAT ARE GOING TO NEED TO BE MITIGATED. YOU KNOW, I WOULD SURE LIKE TO KNOW WHO ELSE WAS APPOINTED, AS A PERSON WHO HAS APPLIED FOR THE PLANNING COMMISSION MANY TIMES IN THE PAST, YOU KNOW?\r\n\r\nNO ONE EVER CALLS. I KNOW OTHER QUALIFIED PEOPLE WHO HAVE APPLIED AND THEY ARE NEVER CALLED. SO ARE THESE POLITICAL APPOINTMENTS OR REALLY HIGH-QUALITY APPOINTMENTS? BECAUSE SOMEONE IS ON FOR FIVE YEARS. IT'S NOT LIKE OH, WELL, THEY DO A BAD JOB, THEY'LL EXPIRE IN A YEAR. SO TO TAKE THAT INTO ACCOUNT. AS FAR AS THE APPOINTMENT TO THE WATER BOARD, YES, IT'S A VERY ADVISORY BOARD.\r\n\r\nBUT SHOOT, ONCE AGAIN, IT'S MY UNDERSTANDING THAT WE HAD A HIGHLY-QUALIFIED PERSON PUT IN AN APPLICATION, AND THAT IS LUCILA KANALUA, HER FIRST NAME IS VERONICA, HER OFFICIAL NAME. WHEN I JUST RECENTLY TOOK THE BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS TRAINING FROM THE CENTER FOR HAWAIIAN LAW EXCELLENCE AT UH, SHE WAS ONE OF THE TRAINERS. WOULDN'T IT BE GREAT TO HAVE SOMEONE ON A BOARD OR COMMISSION THAT ACTUALLY HAD THAT BACKGROUND? WHO IS YOUNG, YOU KNOW? COULD GIVE SERVICE TO OUR COMMUNITY FOR A LONGER TIME, AND WHO IS A FEMALE, A SMART LADY. SO YOU GUYS DON'T EVEN KNOW THAT YOU HAVE THAT CHOICE; THAT THERE WAS ANOTHER HIGHLY-QUALIFIED PERSON WHO WAS WILLING TO

SERVE WITH GREAT BACKGROUND ON WATER, UNDERSTANDS WATER VERY WELL. LOCAL MAUI GIRL, VERY RESPECTED FAMILY; HER DAD, KYLE IS THE PO'O OF THE COUNCIL.\r\n\r\nWE DON'T GET PEOPLE LIKE THIS WHO ARE WILLING TO PUT THEIR NAME FORWARD EVERY DAY. WE SHOULD GIVE THEM A CHANCE. SO THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION. >> THANK YOU. DID YOU HAVE ANOTHER ONE? >> NO, THOSE WERE THE TWO ITEMS. I BELIEVE I'M SIGNED UP FOR THAT ARE UNDER THIS, UNLESS I'M CONFUSED LIKE EVERYBODY ELSE.\r\n\r\n>> MEMBERS, ANY QUESTIONS? IF NOT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH. >> THANK YOU. >> I'M SORRY, SHANE HAD HIS HAND UP MR. SINENCI. >> THANK YOU. I JUST HAD A CLARIFYING QUESTION FOR YOU, MS.\r\n\r\nDE NAIE. YOU MENTIONED MR. ANTONE IS SERVING ON WHICH BOARD? >> THE ADVISORY BOARD FROM PA'IA-HAIKU TO THE MAUI PLANNING COMMISSION. HE IS THE VICE-CHAIR. I'M THE CHAIR. HE IS THE VICE-CHAIR.\r\n\r\nHE WAS JUST APPOINTED VICE-CHAIR ABOUT, I DON'T KNOW, A MONTH -AND-A-HALF AGO OR LIKE I SAY, MAYBE HE IS ATTRACTED BY THE BRIGHT LIGHTS OF THE BIG PLANNING COMMISSION. >> THANK YOU. >> BYE-BYE. >> ANY OTHER QUESTIONS? IF NOT, THANK YOU. MADAM CLERK. >> CHAIR, OUR NEXT TESTIFIER IS MR.\r\n\r\nSHERMAN, FOLLOWED BY CAITLIN GILLESPIE. >> THANK YOU COUNCIL FOR YOUR TIME. BRAD SHERMAN AND OFFERING TESTIMONY IN SUPPORT OF RESOLUTION NO. 22-233 REITERATING SUPPORT TO THE VITAL ROLE OF THE FREE PRESS AND COUNTY WORKERS EMPLOYED AT THE LOCAL DAILY NEWSPAPER. WE'RE TALKING OF COURSE ABOUT THE MAUI NEWS, AND THIS RESOLUTION FRANKLY COULD NOT COME AT A MORE APPROPRIATE TIME. MAUI NEWS FOR 17 YEARS WAS THE PLACE WHERE I WORKED AND LIVED AND OF COURSE, A COMMUNITY INSTITUTION AND THE PEOPLE WHO REPORT THE NEWS AND INTERACT WITH READERS AND SUBSCRIBERS, AND THEY MAINTAIN AND GROW THAT INSTITUTION. THE PAPER AND THE PEOPLE ARE VITAL FOR EVERYONE WHO CALLS MAUI COUNTY HOME.\r\n\r\nALL OF THAT WE WILL BE PUT IN JEOPARDY PROPOSED BY THE CHANGES BY MAUI NEWS EXECUTIVE. WE'LL HEAR ABOUT THE COMPANY THAT OWNS THE PAPER, BUT WHO OWNS THE BUSINESS IS NOT THE SAME AS WHO THE PAPER BELONGS TO. THE MAUI NEWS BELONGS NOT ONLY TO THEM, BUT IT BELONGS TO THE PEOPLE MANY MAUI COUNTY. IT'S IN ESSENCE A COMMUNITY TRUST. OGDEN COMES WITH A CONTRACT BARGAINING TABLE AND PROPOSED REDUCTIONS. BY DEFINITION, THAT WOULD MEAN PEOPLE WOULD BE LESS ABLE TO DO THEIR WORK, REPORTERS WHO WRITE LESS AND PHOTOGRAPHERS TAKE FEWER PICTURES -- A TIME WE NEED MORE ENGAGEMENT AND MORE INFORMATION. WHEN MAUI COUNTY NEEDS MORE THERE WILL BE LESS.\r\n\r\nAND OGDEN'S PROPOSALS WOULD NOT ONLY DO THAT, REDUCE THE QUANTITY OF WHAT MAUI COUNTY WOULD RECEIVE, BUT THEIR PROPOSAL WOULD ALSO IMPACT QUALITY. THE MAINLAND LAWYERS THAT OGDEN IS USING FOR CONTRACT BARGAINING HAVE PROPOSED ALLOWING ANY WORK TO BE OUTSOURCED ANYWHERE. THE MAINLAND OVERSEAS, TO PLACES WITH NO FAMILIARITY OR UNDERSTANDING OF MAUI COUNTY. THE RESULT OF THAT COULD BEGIN WITH THINGS AS EYE-ROLLING AS PUNS ABOUT SURFING AND BEACHES, ET CETERA. AND IT CAN MOVE INTO SPELLING ERRORS AND IT COULD BECOME BIGGER FACTUAL MISTAKES AND CULTURAL MISUNDERSTANDINGS AND CULTURAL ERRORS AND THINGS IS NOT WHAT WORKERS ASPIRE TO AND NOT THE AWARD-WINNING JOURNALISM THAT MAUI COUNTY HAS RECEIVED FOR DECADES, AND DESERVES FOR DECADES AND GENERATIONS TO COME. IT'S NOT ENOUGH. THE PROPOSALS THAT WE'RE TALKING ABOUT WILL NOT SERVE ANYONE.\r\n\r\nTHEY ARE MISTAKES. AND THAT IS WHY THIS RESOLUTION THAT SUPPORTS PEOPLE, AND THAT MEANS BOTH MAUI NEWS WORKERS AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS EVERYWHERE, THIS RESOLUTION THAT WANTS TO DEFEND A STRONG NEWSPAPER FOR MAUI COUNTY IS SO WORTHY OF PASSAGE. I URGE YOU TO GIVE IT YOUR SUPPORT. >> THANK YOU. MEMBERS, QUESTIONS? MEMBER PALTIN. >> IS THIS TIME-SENSITIVE?\r\n\r\nCAN YOU VERIFY MEMBER PALTIN, I COULDN'T HEAR THE FIRST-HALF OF WHAT YOU SAID. >> I THOUGHT YOU HAD MENTIONED THE TIME-SENSITIVITY AND I WAS

WONDERING IF YOU COULD CLARIFY? IS IT YOUR INTENTION TO HAVE THIS PASSED TODAY? >> THAT WOULD BE OUTSTANDING IF YOU COULD PASS TODAY. I UNDERSTAND THERE'S A PROCESS. THE CONTRACT BARGAINING IS UNDERWAY AND THESE PROPOSALS ON THE TABLE NOW AND THAT IS AN IMMEDIATE CONCERN TO BE SURE FOR EVERYBODY. >> OKAY.\r\n\r\nTHANK YOU FOR CLARIFYING. >> ANY MORE QUESTIONS? IF NOT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH, MR. SHERMAN. >> THANK YOU. >> MADAM CLERK. >> OUR NEXT TESTIFIER IS KATLIN GILLESPIE.\r\n\r\n>> I'M A NEWS FIELD STAFF REPRESENTATIVE FOR THE PACIFIC MEDIA WORKERS GUILD LOCAL 39521 REPRESENTING WORKERS AT THE MAUI NEWS. I'M ACTUALLY JOINING YOU TODAY FROM SEATTLE AND I'M ALSO HEAR TO TESTIFY IN SUPPORT OF THE RESOLUTION. I WANT TO THANK THE COUNCIL FOR ITS CONTINUED INTEREST IN THESE NEGOTIATIONS. AND I'M SORRY WE'RE NOT HERE CELEBRATING A STRONG -- [INAUDIBLE] ON BEHALF OF OGDEN NEWSPAPERS AND JOURNALISTS ADVERTISING REPRESENTATIVES AND OTHERS WHO KEEP THIS AWARD-WINNING NEWSPAPER RUNNING. UNFORTUNATELY, THE UNION WORKERS OF THE PUBLICATION FACE SIGNIFICANT THREATS TO THEIR LIVELIHOOD AND SURVIVAL OF THE NEWSPAPER ITSELF. THE WEST VIRGINIA BAIRD COMPANY THAT OWNS MAUI NEWS PROPOSING LANGUAGE TO ALLOW SWEEPING ABILITY TO OUTSOURCE WORK AND ALREADY STRAINED WORKERS TO TAKE ON DUTIES OUTSIDE OF THEIR JOB DESCRIPTION TO ALLOW THE COMPANY TO CUT HOURS AND BY EXTENSION WAGES BY 20-25% IN ANY GIVEN WEEK OF THESE PROPOSALS ARE UNACCEPTABLE AND ADDING INSULT TO INJURY, THE COMPANY REFUSES TO BE ACCOUNTABLE TO THE WORKERS. COMPANY ATTORNEYS REFUSED IN A SESSION LAST MONTH TO ANSWER OUR BASIC QUESTIONS ABOUT THE LANGUAGE, AND LEFT THE TABLE ENTIRELY WHEN WORKERS TRIED TO CALL IN AND OBSERVE OUR SESSION.\r\n\r\n\r\nPRIOR TO MY WORK FOR THE NEWS GUILD, I SPENT TEN YEARS AS A REPORTER ON THE WEST COAST. I'M FAMILIAR -- >> KATELYN? YOU'RE BREAKING UP. YOUR VOICE IS BREAKING UP. >> I HAVE SEEN THE IMPACT THAT OUTSOURCING -- >> YOUR VOICE IS BREAKING UP. >> IS THAT A LITTLE BETTER? >> IF YOU COULD TURN YOUR VIDEO OFF, MAYBE WE CAN HEAR YOU BETTER?\r\n\r\n\r\n>> HELLO. >> YES. >> IS THAT A LITTLE BETTER? >> IT SOUNDS A LITTLE BETTER. PROCEED. BETTER. >> PROCEED, I HAVE SEEN IN MY CAREER THAT OUTSOURCING LIKE WHAT THE MAUI NEWS WANTS TO PURSUE LEADS TO BURNED-OUT REPORTERS, CULTURALLY INSENSITIVE ERRORS THAT COULD NOT POSSIBLY PROVIDE THE LEVEL OF COVERAGE IN THIS COMMUNITY.\r\n\r\n\r\nWORKERS OF THE MAUI NEWS WITH YOUR SUPPORT AND THE SUPPORT OF THE COMMUNITY ARE UNITED IN THEIR FIGHT FOR A CONTRACT PRESERVING LIVING WAGES, ADEQUATE STAFFING WORKPLACE SECURITY AND MORE AND WHILE THESE FIGHTS ARE NOBLE IN AND OF ITSELF IN AND OF THEMSELVES THIS IS MORE ABOUT THAT ONE IS UNDER THREAT AND SURVIVAL OF FUNCTIONING DEMOCRACY HANGS IN THE BALANCE AND THAT IS WHAT REPRESENTATIVES OF THE MAUI NEWS IS FIGHTING FOR AND WHAT THIS COMMUNITY IS FIGHTING FOR. THIS COMMUNITY IS WHAT WORKERS ARE FIGHTING FOR. SO THANK YOU AGAIN FOR YOUR INTEREST AND SUPPORT AND I'M SURE YOU WILL HEAR MORE IN THE COMING WEEK. IN THE MEANTIME, I'M HAPPY TO ANSWER ANY IMMEDIATE QUESTIONS. >> THANK YOU. MEMBERS, QUESTIONS? MEMBER KING.\r\n\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU. MS. GILLESPIE, THANKS FOR YOUR TESTIMONY. THIS ISN'T JUST BE A BRAND-NEW CONCERN, CAN IT? >> SO WE HAVE BEEN IN NEGOTIATIONS THERE AT THE MAUI NEWS FOR A COUPLE OF YEARS NOW. YOU GUYS PASSED A RESOLUTION, THIS COUNCIL PASSED A RESOLUTION TWO YEARS AGO WITH MANY OF THESE SIMILAR OUTSOURCING PROPOSALS IN MIND. NEGOTIATIONS THERE STAGNATED AND DUE TO CHALLENGES CONNECTED WITH THE PANDEMIC.\r\n\r\n\r\nSO YOU'RE RIGHT, THESE ARE NOT NEW CONCERNS. >> THANK YOU. THANK YOU, CHAIR. >> ANY MORE QUESTIONS, MEMBERS? IF NOT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH MAY WE HAVE THE NEXT TESTIFIER. >> OUR NEXT TESTIFIER IS JACKLYN CROCKETT, FOLLOWED BY SHAY CHAN-HODGES. >> GOOD AFTERNOON CHAIR AND COUNCIL MEMBERS, I'M THE

PROGRAM DIRECTOR FOR THE CHILDREN'S JUSTICE CENTER ON MAUI.\r\n\r\nI AM TESTIFYING TODAY IN SUPPORT OF RESOLUTION 22-228. OUR CENTER UTILIZES THE SEXUAL ASSAULT NURSE EXAMINERS, SANE, FOR THE CHILDREN, WHO WE SERVE AT THE CHILDREN'S JUSTICE CENTER. ALL CHILDREN WHO ARE SUSPECTED VICTIMS OF CHILD SEXUAL ABUSE ARE ENTITLED TO A MEDIC EXAMINATION BY A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER, WITH SPECIALIZED TRAINING, AND EXPERTISE. THE MEDICAL EXAMS ARE PERFORMED BY ONLY TWO SANES HERE IN MAUI COUNTY. AND THAT IS HEATHER AND DR. BAUMSTARK, WHO TRAVEL TO LANA'I AND MOLOKA'I TO PERFORM THESE SPECIALIZED MEDICAL EXAMS. THEY HAVE ENCOURAGED SPECIALIZED TRAINING AND MANY YEARS' OF EXPERTISE. BEFORE THE END OF THIS YEAR, WE WILL BE CO-LOCATING WITH THE COUNTY, AND AT OUR NEW LOCATION, WE HAVE A SPECIALIZED MEDICAL ROOM SPECIFICALLY FOR THE CHILDREN TO BE EXAMINED NON-ACUTE EXAMS AND CONDUCTED AT THIS NEW LOCATION.\r\n\r\nTHEY HAVE WELL-DESERVED TO RECEIVE AN INCREASE IN PAY AS THEY ARE CLEARLY DEDICATED TO THIS WORK. I HAVE BEEN IN IT FIELD FOR OVER 20 YEARS IN THE SOCIAL WORK FIELD, AND TO EVERYONE'S CREDIT, OUR TEAM IN PARTICULAR SEES THE DEDICATION OF THESE TWO SANES AND WITHOUT THEM, AS I MENTIONED EARLIER, OUR CHILDREN WOULD NOT HAVE THAT MEDICAL EVALUATION THAT THEY ARE AFFORDED, AND NEEDED. SO I AM REQUESTING THAT THIS BE PASSED TODAY. I THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME. >> THANK YOU. MEMBERS, QUESTIONS? IF NOT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH.\r\n\r\nMAY WE HAVE THE NEXT TESTIFIER, PLEASE. >> OUR NEXT TESTIFIER IS SHAY CHAN-HODGES FOLLOWED BY FAITH CHASE. >> ALOHA COUNCIL MEMBERS. I'M SHAY CHAN-HODGES AND A FORMER MEMBER VICE-CHAIR AND CHAIR OF THE BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY. I'M TESTIFYING TO EXPRESS CONCERNS ABOUT THE CURRENT NOMINEE. THE 2018 SENT A LETTER REGARDING GENDER DIVERSIFY, EMPHASIZING THE IMPORTANCE OF SEEKING BALANCE ON ALL BOARDS. WHEN MAYOR VICTORINO TOOK OFFICE, WE SENT THE SAME LETTER TO HIM AND THEN EA -- MADE SURE OUR BOARD WAS BALANCED AND WE APPRECIATED THAT.\r\n\r\nHOWEVER, THERE ARE FIVE MEN AND ONLY THREE MEN ON THE BWS AND IF DAVE JORGENSEN IS APPROVED -- I DON'T UNDERSTAND WHY ANY MALE NOMINEE WOULD BE CONSIDERED AT THIS TIME. I SEE NO JUSTIFICATION FOR A WATER BOARD PRIMARILY MADE UP OF MEN. WE HAVE MORE THAN ENOUGH QUALIFIED WOMEN IN OUR COMMUNITY TO FILL THE SEATS AND UNFORTUNATELY AS LUCIENNE DESCRIBED MANY OF THOSE HAVE APPLIED TO BE ON THE BWS, BUT NOT NOMINATED AND THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN HAVE SET THE STANDARD WITH HIGH-LEVEL OF EXPERTISE AND DEMONSTRATED COMMITMENT TO STEWARDSHIP OF OUR WATER AND COMMUNITY AND RESIDENTS. IN THESE CONTESTED-CASES THE BOARD IS OFTEN THE LAST RESORT FOR RESIDENTS BEFORE THEY FILE EXPENSIVE LAWSUITS. THIS PROCESS REQUIRES A WILLINGNESS TO BOTH LISTEN TO THE LITTLE GUY IN THE WORDS OF CURRENT BOARD MEMBER DEAN FRAMPTON AND HOLD THE STAFF ACCOUNTABLE. I DO HAVE CONCERNS ABOUT MR. JORGENSEN'S FIT FOR THIS ROLE.\r\n\r\nA COUPLE OF YEARS AGO COUNCIL MEMBER KAMA'S OFFICE CONTACTED ME AND MY HUSBAND TO SEE IF WE COULD HELP A MAUI RESIDENT BEING PHO CLOSED ON AND WE LEARNED MR. JORGENSEN SERVED AS A COURT APPOINTED COMMISSIONER, A JOB I BELIEVE PAYS FOR FORECLOSURE AND IT SPEAKS TO THESE RESIDENTS WILL GET A FAIR HEARING. I'M ALSO UNCLEAR HOW THIS AND HIS OTHER EXPERIENCE CONTRIBUTES TO THE BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY. I BELIEVE THAT EVERY NOMINEE SHOULD HAVE DEMONSTRATED SKILLS AND AREAS SUCH AS WATER LAW, ENGINEERING, CULTURAL PRACTICES OR SOCIAL JUSTICE TO NAME JUST A FEW. AGAIN, WE HAVE SO MANY QUALIFIED WOMEN, WHO WOULD LIKE TO SERVE ON THIS BOARD. AS LUCIENNE SAID, LUCIA IS A WATER ATTORNEY WHO WILL PROVIDE REALLY, REALLY NEEDED EXPERTISE. I KNOW SHE APPLIED.\r\n\r\nI DO NOT UNDERSTAND WHY SHE WAS NOT NOMINATED AND THE FACT SHE WASN'T SENDS A VERY DISCOURAGING MESSAGE TO WOMEN AND OTHER RESIDENTS IN OUR COMMUNITY. I ASK YOU TO REJECT DAVE JORGENSEN AND ASK THE MAYOR TO NOMINATE ONE OF THE

QUALIFIED WOMEN TO THE BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY, BECAUSE WE REALLY NEED THEM. MAHALO. >> QUESTIONS? MEMBER KING. >> THANK YOU FOR BEING HERE, SHAY. THE PERSON THAT YOU SAID THAT YOU ASKED US TO IS A CURRENT APPLICANT.\r\n\r\n>> SHE IS AND WE REACHED OUT TO HER AND SHE IS. >> THANK YOU. >> THANK YOU, MAY WE HAVE THE NEXT TESTIFIER. >> OUR NEXT TESTIFIER IS FAITH CHASE, FOLLOWED BY ROBERT COLLIAS. [INAUDIBLE] >> FAITH, WE CAN'T HEAR YOU. DID YOU CHANGE YOUR LAST NAME? WE'LL COME BACK TO YOU, FAITH.\r\n\r\nWE CAN'T HEAR YOU AT ALL NOW. MAY WE HAVE THE NEXT TESTIFIER. [READING SPEAKERS' NAMES]. >> I THINK FAITH MIGHT BE ABLE TO COME BACK AFTER MR. COLLIAS. HELLO, MR. COLLIAS. >> GOOD AFTERNOON, COUNTY COUNCIL MEMBERS.\r\n\r\nI HAVE TO BE HONEST, I HAVE NEVER TESTIFIED IN THIS FORUM BEFORE. BUT HONESTLY, IN MY HEART OF HEARTS, I FEEL IT'S TIME TO SAVE OUR DAILY NEWSPAPER, THE MAUI NEWS. THE UNBELIEVABLE PUBLIC SUPPORT WE HAVE RECEIVED RECENTLY SHOWS US ALL AS MUCH. I HAVE BEEN A SPORTS WRITER FOR THE MAUI NEWS SINCE 1990, 95% OF MY TIME IS SPENT IN THE FIELD. I TALK WITH COMMUNITY MEMBERS DAILY. I HAPPEN TO HAVE BEEN NAMED THE NATIONAL SPORTS MEDIA ASSOCIATION SPORTS WRITER THE YEAR FOR THE STATE OF HAWAI'I IN 2021. TO DO THAT AGAINST BIGGER PUBLICATIONS AROUND THE STATE IS NOT AN EASY THING TO DO, BUT HONESTLY, I WOULDN'T HAVE HAD THAT AWARD OR HONOR WITHOUT THE OPPORTUNITY THAT I GET TO COVER OUR COUNTY FROM LANAI CITY TO HANA, TO OLINDA, TO WAILUKU, TO KAHULUI. FOR EXAMPLE, I WILL BE AT THE FOOTBALL GAME TONIGHT WITH MY COLLEAGUE MATTHEW THAYER, NOBODY COVERS MAUI COUNTY LIKE WE DO AND LOCAL JOURNALISTS AND LOCAL EMPLOYEES DOING LOCAL WORK IS ESSENTIAL FOR THAT TO CONTINUE.\r\n\r\nHONESTLY, A LOT OF OUR STUFF OF OUR WORK GETS CARRIED BY OTHER OUTLETS. FOR EXAMPLE, SCORINGLIVE.COM USES MY STATISTICS FROM FOOTBALL, EVERY SINGLE GAME FOR 20 GAMES THIS YEAR. SO IN MY OPINION, NOBODY COVERS MAUI COUNTY LIKE WE DO. NOBODY. AND YOU KNOW, AT ONE POINT, IN MY CAREER, WE HAD MORE THAN 20 JOURNALISTS IN THE NEWSROOM. WE HAD MORE THAN 100 OVERALL EMPLOYEES AT THE NEWSPAPER AT THAT SAME POINT. OGDEN NEWSPAPER BOUGHT US IN THE YEAR 2000 AND FOR 22 -- NEARLY 20 OF THE 22 YEARS THAT THEY HAVE OWNED US, WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO WORK OUT FAIR AND WORKABLE CONTRACTS.\r\n\r\nWE DO UNDERSTAND THE STATE OF NEWSPAPERS WORLDWIDE, HONESTLY. BUT THESE NEW PROPOSALS AND REDUCTIONS IN HOURS AUTOMATICALLY WOULD REQUIRE A DEDUCTION IN WORK, LESS COVERAGE FOR OUR COMMUNITY, OF COURSE, BUT ALSO LESS SERVICE FOR OUR COMMUNITY AS WELL. LIKE, RIGHT NOW, WE ALREADY FOR A LOT OF OUR RURAL ROUTES WE HAVE TO SEND NEWSPAPERS BY MAIL. THAT IS OBVIOUSLY -- BELL RINGING. THAT IS OBVIOUSLY NOT GREAT, BUT ANYWAY, I THINK THAT MEANS MY TIME IS UP. I THANK YOU FROM THE BOTTOM OF MY HEART FOR LETTING ME TALK, AND TRULY APPRECIATE THE OPPORTUNITY. >> THANK YOU, MR.\r\n\r\nCOLLIAS. MEMBERS, DO YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS? IF NOT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH. MAY WE HAVE THE NEXT TESTIFIER, PLEASE. >> CIRCLE BACK AROUND TO FAITH CHASE. >> ALOHA CHAIR LEE. MY APOLOGIES, I'M ON A DIFFERENT IMPROVED DEVICE.\r\n\r\nALOHA, COUNCIL. I WOULD LIKE TO SPEAK -- I SPOKE IN COMMITTEE AS WELL, BUT I WOULD LIKE TO SPEAK AGAIN AGAINST THE ROD ANTONIO APPOINTMENT TO THE PLANNING COMMISSION. WHILE HE APPEARS TO BE AN INCREDIBLY HARD WORKER, I FEEL LIKE HE HAS TOO MANY IRONS IN THE FIRE, AND THEY ARE STRIKINGLY CONFLICTING. SO THAT IS MY SHORT REPORT. I ALSO ABSOLUTELY OPPOSED AFTER LOOKING INTO -- BY THE ADVICE OF COUNSEL, AFTER LOOKING DEEPER INTO THE CANDIDATE DAVID JORGENSEN, I'M OPPOSED TO HIS APPOINTMENT TO THE BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY. I HAD NOT COUNTED HOW MANY WAINIHI ARE ON THE BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY AND THANK SHAY CHAN-HODGES FOR POINTING THAT OUT. ABSOLUTELY, THAT SHOULD BE REASON ENOUGH, ESPECIALLY WITH THE OTHER ITEMS THAT YOU HAVE ON

TODAY'S AGENDA THAT RELATE TO WOMEN.\r\n\r\nI THINK IT'S APROPOS. THANK YOU FOR PUTTING FORWARD THE HAWAI'I STATE ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES TESTIMONY PIECE. THAT WAS REALLY FRUSTRATING AND THAT DOESN'T SERVE THE PUBLIC IN MAKING WHATEVER ADJUSTMENTS TO MAKE SURE WE HAD REASONABLE TIME TO TESTIFY. AS FAR AS THE 22-232, SUSTAINABLE TOURISM PRACTICES AND CERTIFICATE. I DIDN'T TELL THE OFFICE STAFF I WOULD BE TESTIFYING ON THIS, BUT REALLY QUICKLY, THIS IS GREAT. MY FAMILY HAS BEEN WORKING IN THIS AREA MANY, MANY, MANY, MANY, MANY YEARS AND CAN'T HOLD ACCOUNTABLE OUR PREVIOUS ELECTED OFFICIALS THAT WE WORKED WITH IN THE BEGINNING, BECAUSE THEY ARE NOT AROUND ANY MORE. IN FACT, THEY ARE IN JAIL.\r\n\r\n\r\nSO THIS IS A HUGE PIECE. LET ME TELL THE PIECE THAT NEEDS TO BE THE FOLLOW THROUGH IS THAT YOU NEED TO SEND THIS INFORMATION AS IF IT'S A PRESS PACKET TO MAUI VISITORS BUREAU AND HAWAIIAN TOURISM AUTHORITY. BECAUSE THERE IS SOME SHADY THINGS GOING ON AND NOBODY IS ON THE RIGHT PAGE ABOUT SUSTAINABLE TOURISM. IT DOESN'T JUST MEAN ENVIRONMENTAL, BUT ATTITUDE AND PRACTICES TOO. THANK YOU. I REALLY WANT TO IMPRESS THE FREE PRESS 233. YOU KNOW, YOU AS A GOVERNMENT ARE REQUIRED TO POST NOTICES OF YOUR MEETINGS AND LEGALITIES AND LEGAL NOTICES IN THE CLASSIFIED SECTION OF A PAID NEWSPAPER AND ONCE YOU ARE GETTING OUTSOURCED STORIS FROM VIRGINIA OR WHEREVER OGDEN THINKS THAT THEY ARE GOING TO HIRE SOURCED COPY, YOU ARE GOING TO LOSE THE INTEREST OF YOUR PUBLIC AND YOU ARE NO LONGER REACHING YOUR LOCAL POPULATION. SO I SAY THAT IN MOST SERIOUS MANNER.\r\n\r\n\r\nI KNOW THERE'S A LOT OF DIFFERENT SENTIMENTAL FACTORS ABOUT HAVING A LOCAL PAPER. I WORKED AT THE MAUI NEWS EIGHT YEARS AND IS WAS ABLE TO PULL MYSELF OUT OF POVERTY WITH A SINGLE MOM WITH THREE DAUGHTERS, THAT WAS AN EXTENDED FAMILY, ALL THESE PEOPLE ARE THE FABRIC OF OUR COMMUNITY THAT WORK THERE. AND THEY DON'T NEED TO STRUGGLE ANY FURTHER. WE ALL KNOW WHAT THE CLIMATE OF THE WORKFORCE IS. JUST THAT ONE PIECE ABOUT FILING LEGALS IN THE CLASSIFIED SECTION IS A PRETTY BIG ONE, BECAUSE YOU WOULD HAVE TO RELOOK AT THOSE LAWS IF YOU ARE NOT REACHING THE PUBLIC. IT NEEDS TO BE A PAID SUBSCRIPTION NEWSPAPER. SO WE HAVE THE SMALLER NEWSPAPERS THAT ARE HANA NEWS AND MAUI TIME AND THEY ARE GENERALLY FREE AND THAT IS GREAT.\r\n\r\n\r\nTHIS IS YOUR ONE PAPER THAT IS PAID SUBSCRIPTION, THAT REACHES THAT POPULATION. AND THE STATE WOULD ALSO HAVE TO ADJUST ACCORDINGLY, IF YOU ARE NOT REACHING THE PUBLIC, BECAUSE IT'S NOT PUBLIC NEWS. SO PLEASE MAKE WISE DECISIONS TODAY AND SUPPORT THE WORKING FOLK. I REALLY APPRECIATE YOUR TIME. THANK YOU. >> THANK YOU, FAITH. QUESTIONS, MEMBERS?\r\n\r\n\r\nIF NOT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH. MAY WE HAVE THE NEXT TESTIFIER, PLEASE. >> OUR NEXT TESTIFIER IS MATTHEW THAYER, FOLLOWED BY TERA APO. >> ALOHA COUNCIL MEMBERS. MY NAME IS MATTHEW THAYER AND SPEAKING IN SUPPORT OF RESOLUTION 22-233. THANK YOU FOR CONSIDERING THE CHALLENGES FACED BY THE MAUI NEWS AND ITS WORKERS. IT'S REALLY APPRECIATED. DURING MY 42 YEARS WORKING AS A PHOTO JOURNALIST AT THE MAUI NEWS, MY TIME IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS WAS SPENT ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE CAMERA AND ALL OF YOU WOULD PREFER TO BE COVERING NEWS RATHER THAN BEING PART OF IT.\r\n\r\n\r\nIN THIS INSTANCE, STANDING ON THE SIDELINE WOULD NOT SUFFICE. WE HAVE HAD SOME TOUGH NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE COMPANY, BUT IT WAS THE FEELINGS THAT THEY WERE NEGOTIATING IN GOOD FAITH. OUR UNION WORKED TO HELP THE PAPER BY AGREEING TO PAY CUTS AND STAFF CUT AND THE CURRENT TACTICS HAS HIRED MAINLAND NEGOTIATORS AND PROPOSALS PUT FORTH IS DESIGNED TO BREAK OUR UNION AND FOREVER DIMINISH THE WAY THIS NEWSPAPER COVERS THIS ISLAND AND ITS PEOPLE. I'M PROUD OF THE PEOPLE I WORK WITH AND GREAT YOUNG REPORTERS AND OTHERS FROM THE PRESSMAN, ET CETERA WE'RE A TEAM. WHILE THE NEWSPAPER IS NOT AS THICK AS IT USED TO BE

AND WHILE THE NEWSROOM STAFF HAS SHRUNK TO NEARLY A THIRD OF WHAT IT USED TO BE, WE'RE DOING OUR BEST. THAT WE MAKE A FAIR WAGE AND IT'S NOT FARMED OUT TO THE MAINLAND. THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME AND SUPPORT.\r\n\r\nTRULY MISS SEEING YOU FOLKS IN-PERSON AND LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU AGAIN SOON. ALOHA. >> THANK YOU, MATT. MEMBERS, QUESTIONS? IF NOT, WE DO HAVE A QUESTION FROM MEMBER MOLINA. >> THANK YOU VERY MUCH, MADAM CHAIR. ALOHA, MR.\r\n\r\nTHAYER, ALWAYS GOOD TO SEE YOU, 42 YEARS AT THE MAUI NEWS. YOU HAVE CERTAINLY BEEN AN INDIVIDUAL THAT CAN ENDURE A LOT, BEING A CLEVELAND BROWNS FAN FOR ALL THESE YEARS, HATS OFF TO YOU. [LAUGHTER]. >> HAD TO GET THAT IN. >> 42 YEARS AT THE MAUI NEWS, CAN YOU CITE AN EXAMPLE OF HOW WORKER CONDITIONS HAVE JUST DETERIORATED TO THIS POINT? YOU HAVE SEEN A LOT AND NOW THIS NEW OWNERSHIP, DOESN'T SOUND VERY PROMISING. CAN YOU JUST CITE AN EXAMPLE OF HOW BAD CONDITIONS ARE NOW? >> WELL, YOU KNOW, I MEAN, WE HAVE A LOT OF PRIDE IN THE PRODUCT AND WHAT WE DO.\r\n\r\nWE CAN ALL REMEMBER BACK TO THE DAYS WHEN YOU HAD TO HAVE LONG ARMS TO READ THE PAPER, BECAUSE IT WAS SO BIG AND SO FULL OF NEWS. AND I WOULD SAY, SEEING IT SHRINK HAS BEEN REALLY HARD. SEEING THE NEWS HOLE. WE UNDERSTAND THAT THE ADVERTISING DOLLAR HAS BEEN -- THE PIE HAS BEEN SLICED THINNER AND THINNER FOR THE DIFFERENT AREAS. YOU KNOW, HOW TO SAY THINGS ARE BAD? WE STILL ARE GETTING PAID, AND WE'RE STILL DOING JOBS THAT WE LOVE. BUT WE REALIZE WE'RE STANDING ON THE EDGE OF THE CLIFF, AND IT'S CRUMBLING.\r\n\r\nAND HOW, IF WE'RE GOING TO CONTINUE TO BE ABLE TO DO THIS, I THINK IT'S MORE THAT WE FEAR WHAT WE'RE NOT GOING TO BE ABLE TO DO AND WHAT THIS PAPER IS GOING TO BECOME. I LOVE THE PAPER THAT I WORK FOR. IT'S GOING TO BE TOUGH. >> THE PAPER HAS BEEN AN INSTITUTION FOR MAUI COUNTY AND THANK YOU FOR COMING OUT TO TESTIFY. APPRECIATE YOUR THOUGHTS AND ALL YOUR WORK, MATT. ALOHA. >> THANK YOU, MIKE.\r\n\r\nAPPRECIATE IT. >> ANY MORE QUESTIONS, MEMBERS? IF NOT, THANK YOU AGAIN, MATT. GOOD SEEING YOU. >> ALOHA, FOLKS. >> CHAIR, OUR NEXT TESTIFIER IS TERRA APO, FOLLOWED BY CHRIS SUGIDONO. >> HI CHAIR LEE AND MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL.\r\n\r\n>> HELLO. >> I'M TESTIFYING ON RESOLUTION 22-204. IN REGARDS TO THE MAYOR'S APPOINTEE FOR THE BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY, I STRONGLY ENCOURAGE YOU TO CONSIDER THE APPLICATION OF ANOTHER HIGHLY QUALIFIED CANDIDATE, WHO ALSO APPLIED FOR A SEAT ON THE BOARD, IF YOU TAKE A LOOK AT HER RESUME, YOU WILL SEE SHE HAS EXTENSIVE KNOWLEDGE AND EXPERIENCE WITH PARTICULARLY WATER LAW AND POLICY, WATER CHALLENGES IN HAWAI'I, THE PUBLIC TRUST, AS WELL AS NATIVE HAWAIIAN LAW. SHE IS A GRADUATE OF THE WILLIAM RICHARDSON SCHOOL OF LAW, ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATIVE HAWAIIAN LAW. AND SHE IS CURRENTLY A POST J.D. LEGAL FELLOW AT THE CENTER FOR EXCELLENCE IN NATIVE HAWAIIAN LAW. SOME OF HER CURRENT WORK FOCUSES ON, AND I QUOTE "PROVIDING GOVERNMENT ENTITIES WITH FACTUAL AND LEGAL RESEARCH AND OTHER SUPPORT ON A RANGE OF ISSUES, INCLUDING NATIVE HAWAIIAN TRADITIONAL AND CUSTOMARY PRACTICES, INITIATIVES AND POLICIES IMPACTING ACCESS TO FRESHWATER, AND WATER LEASES UNDER H.R.S. CHAPTER 171." JUST LAST YEAR SHE CO-TAUGHT AN EMERGING HAWAI'I WATER LAW ISSUES CLASS WITH KAPU SPROUT. WHAT AN ASSET SHE WOULD BE IN HELPING THE BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY NAVIGATE THEIR FIDUCIARY OBLIGATIONS AND UNDERSTAND AND ABIDE BY THE LAW THAT GOVERNS ITS OPERATIONS AND DUTIES AND ALSO CULTURAL RIGHTS AND NATIVE HAWAIIAN LAW. IF APPROVED, THE MAYOR APPOINTEE WOULD BE THE SIXTH MALE ON A BOARD OF NINE.\r\n\r\nIT'S REALLY THE OPPOSITE OF GENDER BALANCE. SHE, ON THE OTHER HAND, HELPS THE BOARD ACHIEVE THIS GOAL. I THINK IT'S VERY IMPORTANT TO HAVE REPRESENTATION FROM OUR UPCOMING GENERATION TO REPRESENT A FULL RANGE OF IDEAS, INSIGHTS AND NEEDS OF OUR PEOPLE AND SYSTEMS FOR A CHANGING ENVIRONMENT, POPULATION,

AND CLIMATE. I REALLY THINK YOU CAN DO BETTER. HER RESUME SPEAKS FOR ITSELF AND I ENCOURAGE YOU TO REVIEW HER APPLICATION AND I WILL FIND EVIDENCE OF A VERY HARD-WORKING AND COMPETENT PERSON. THANK YOU FOR THE OPPORTUNITY TO TESTIFY. >> THANK YOU; QUESTIONS?\r\n\r\nIF NOT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH. NEXT. >> OUR NEXT TESTIFIER IS CHRIS SUGIDONO AND CHRIS IS THE LAST SIGNED UP AS OF RIGHT NOW. >> GOOD AFTERNOON, COUNCIL MEMBERS. MY FOOT IS DOING A LITTLE BETTER. I HAVE TO WEAR SHOES FOR SUPPORT. IT FEELS VERY WEIRD BEING HERE, BECAUSE I HAVE NEVER TESTIFIED FOR ANYTHING.\r\n\r\nSO I GUESS, GOOD THING I'M TESTIFYING IN SUPPORT OF RESOLUTION 22-233, I THINK IT IS. SO I CAN'T IMAGINE A MORE APPROPRIATE RESOLUTION TO TESTIFY FOR. I GUESS WHEN YOU THINK ABOUT THE MAUI NEWS, I WORKED THERE SIX YEARS AND THE FIRST JOB I TOOK OUT OF COLLEGE. AND REALLY KIND OF HELPED ME BECOME WHO I AM TODAY, I THINK. AND I THINK THE TWO ISSUES THAT THEY ARE FACING, AT LEAST THAT I'M HEARING, AND IT'S EVEN ISSUES THAT I THINK I EVEN DEALT WITH WHEN I WAS THERE IS THE REDUCTION OF THE NUMBER OF THINGS, REDUCING HOURS, REDUCING PAGES, REDUCING SIZE AND IT'S KIND OF CRAZY, AS MATT WAS SAYING ABOUT THE SIZE OF THE PAPER NOW, AND IT'S GRADUALLY GOTTEN SMALLER. AND THIS OUTSOURCING ISSUE, BECAUSE I KNOW THAT WAS TALKED ABOUT PREVIOUSLY. AND THE THING I THINK ABOUT THE MOST IS THAT I THINK MEMBER MOLINA HAD SPOKEN ABOUT MAUI NEWS BEING AN INSTITUTION, AND TO ME, IN A LOT OF WAYS THE PEOPLE THAT WORK THERE ARE INSTITUTIONS IN THEMSELVES IT FEELS LIKE.\r\n\r\nYOU KNOW, ROB HAD MENTIONED 1990 WORKING THERE, THAT IS WHEN I WAS BORN NOT TO MAKE HIM FEEL OLD AND LILA FUJIMOTO COVERING COURTS AND BASICALLY SHE COVERED EVERY MAJOR COURT STORY ON THIS ISLAND. YOU KNOW, MELISSA, BEING IN THE COUNTY COUNCIL, COVERING MAUI NEWS AND GOVERNMENT FOR AS LONG AS I CAN REMEMBER. YOU KNOW, TO ME, OUTSOURCING ANY OF THAT WORK, YOU LOSE ALL OF THAT INSTITUTIONAL KNOWLEDGE. JUST A GENUINE CULTURAL AWARENESS AND CARE FOR OUR COMMUNITY. SO ONE OTHER EXAMPLE I WAS GOING TO MENTION IS I CAN'T SAY HOW MANY TIMES WE HAVE WRITTEN STORIES, WHEN I WAS THERE, ABOUT WHETHER IT WAS -- I REMEMBER A STORY WHEN I DID A CHURCH, LIVING WAGE CHURCH WAS TRYING TO FUND THEIR PROPERTY AND SO WE ALWAYS LOOK FOR THESE TYPES OF STORIES TO HELP PUBLICIZE THEIR EFFORTS, WHETHER IT'S A RESTAURANT OPENING UP, OR SOME OF THE MOM-AND-POP SHOP OPENING AND THE VERY NEXT DAY, AFTER THE PAPERS COME OUT, THEY SELL OUT, OR THEY MEET THEIR FUNDRAISING GOAL. YOU KNOW, MAYBE THEY ARE ASKING THE COMMUNITY FOR SOME FUNDING TO DO SOME OF THAT. YOU KNOW, EMERGENCY WORK, TO GET SURGERIES AND THINGS.\r\n\r\nSO LIKE YOU ARE ON THE CALL, ON THE PHONE WITH THEM, THE NEXT DAY OR THEY SEND AN EMAIL AND THEY ARE IN TEARS EXPRESSING HOW GRATEFUL THEY ARE. SO TO ME, IF YOU OUTSOURCE THAT TYPE OF WORK, YOU LOSE THAT CONNECTION; RIGHT? SO JUST WANTED TO SAY A COUPLE OF WORDS AND SHOW MY SUPPORT FOR WHO I CONSIDER MY FAMILY AT MAUI NEWS. >> THANK YOU CHRIS, PRO TEM KAMA. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. THANK YOU FOR BEING HERE, CHRIS. YOU PROBABLY HAVE BEEN LISTENING TO ALL OF THE TESTIMONIES HERE.\r\n\r\nYOU KNOW, THE RESO SAYS THAT WE JUST WANT TO BE ABLE TO SUPPORT WHAT YOU FOLKS ARE TRYING TO DO, TOO. I'M HEARING WHAT EVERYBODY IS SAYING AND IT TOUCHES ME, BECAUSE MAUI NEWS IS AN INSTITUTION. WHAT MORE CAN WE DO? BECAUSE WE CAN TALK ABOUT IT. OGDEN HAS A CLEAR IDEA OF APPROPRIATE WAY OF DOING IT CULTURALLY. SO WE DON'T NEED CONVINCING, BUT THEY NEED CONVINCING. SO HOW DO WE CONVINC THEM >> I WAS KIND OF THINKING THAT.\r\n\r\nLEAST ONE THING THE SUCCESS OF THE NEWSPAPER ISN'T ONLY IT'S COVERAGE, BUT THERE IS A BUSINESS ASPECT TO IT. AND I THINK I DON'T KNOW HOW MUCH THE PEOPLE WORKING THERE ARE INVOLVED, OR HAVE A CHANCE TO KIND OF BE A PART OF THAT DISCUSSION OR PART OF THAT STRATEGY

FOR THE SUCCESS OF THE PAPER? BECAUSE IT'S NOT LIKE THIS ISSUE WITH WHAT NEWSPAPERS ARE FACING ISN'T SPECIFIC TO MAUI NEWS. IT'S NEWSPAPERS EVERYWHERE FACING THIS. I THINK HAVING, LIKE THESE DECISIONS ON A MORE LARGER CORPORATE-LEVEL, IF THEY ARE JUST BEING HANDLED BY THEM AND NOT THE PEOPLE THAT WORK THERE AND PRODUCE THE PRODUCT THAT YOU ARE PROVIDING. I THINK THEY NEED TO HAVE A GREATER ROLE, OR VOICE IN THAT PROCESS. THAT'S MY THOUGHTS.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU, CHRIS. THANK YOU, CHAIR. >> MEMBER PALTIN. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. THANK YOU, MR. SUGIDONO. I JUST WANTED TO THANK YOU, AND JUST MENTION THAT ALSO YOUR MAHANA RIDGE STORY, IF WE OUTSOURCE FOLKS THEY WON'T HIKE AND TAKE PICTURES AND WRITE THE STORY THEMSELVES AND LEAD TO A CLEANER BAY.\r\n\r\n\r\nSO THANK YOU FOR THAT ONE. >> I REMEMBER WALKING THE SITE WITH YOU, AND A COUPLE OF THE VOLUNTEERS. I JUST WANTED TO SAY ALSO THAT I CAN'T EXPRESS ENOUGH CREDIT TO YOU GUYS IN BEING ABLE TO DO THIS. BECAUSE SITTING IN THERE, MY CAREER AT MAUI NEWS, IT'S A LOT MORE DIFFICULT THAN PEOPLE REALIZE. SO I APPRECIATE YOUR WORK. >> MEMBER SUGIMURA. >> THANK YOU.\r\n\r\n\r\nTHANKS FOR BEING HERE, CHRIS. I JUST WANTED TO SAY THAT REALLY WHAT YOU ARE TALKING ABOUT IS YOU EMBRACED MY THOUGHT HOW IMPORTANT THE MAUI NEWS IS, BECAUSE YOU REPRESENT THE HEART AND SOUL OF THE COMMUNITY. AND THE AMOUNT OF IMPACT THAT YOU HAVE, JUST RECENTLY WENT TO A WAILUKU HONG WONG JI AND BROUGHT OUT MAUI NEWS FROM THE '60S, OR 70S AND READING IT AND LOOKING BACK IS WHAT YOU ALLOW THE COMMUNITY TO DO. AND FOR THE FUTURE. AND THERE'S A BRIDGE THAT I THINK IF WE DIDN'T HAVE THE MAUI NEWS, WOULD BE A HUGE LOSS. SO THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR ALL OF THE WORK YOU HAVE DONE AND THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR BEING HERE. I TOOK A PICTURE OF YOU TESTIFYING, SINCE IT'S YOUR FIRST TIME AND I WILL SEND IT TO YOU IN A TEXT MESSAGE.\r\n\r\n\r\nTHANK YOU >> THANK YOU. >> NOW WE KNOW WHERE YOU ARE GOING TO BE WHEN YOU COME BACK IN YOUR SECOND LIFE. REPORTER FOR THE MAUI NEWS. PRO TEM KAMA. >> THANK YOU. I'M NOT SURE, BUT YOU KNOW, WHEN I THINK ABOUT WHAT MIGHT HAPPEN IF WHAT WE WANT DOESN'T OCCUR, AND THIS OUTSOURCING OCCURS, WHAT HAPPENS TO ALL OF THE NEWSPAPERS THAT ARE ARCHIVED? BECAUSE THE ARCHIVES OF THE MAUI NEWS IS ACTUALLY MAUI'S HISTORY AND SO LOSE ALL OF THAT -- BECAUSE I'M NOT SURE IF THEY TREASURE THAT KIND OF HISTORY.\r\n\r\n\r\nI KNOW I WOULD TREASURE THAT. I HAVE NEWSPAPER ARTICLES THAT GO WAY BACK AND I HAVE LEARNED HOW TO PUT THEM ON THE COMPUTER, DIGITIZE THEM. BUT WHAT HAPPENS TO THOSE ARCHIVES? >> I THINK THEY HAVE COPIES AT THE LIBRARY. I KNOW I USED TO TAKE OUT THE MICROFICHE. I DON'T KNOW IF SOMEBODY -- THEY HAD DONE AN EFFORT TO KIND OF ARCHIVE THOSE. SO IT'S STILL IN DIGITAL FORMAT THAT PEOPLE CAN LOOK AT.\r\n\r\n\r\nIT'S ALWAYS REALLY EXCITING TO SEE THE OLD NEWSPAPERS AND THINGS. >> THANK YOU. THANK YOU, CHAIR. >> ANY MORE QUESTIONS, MEMBERS? IF NOT, THANK YOU, CHRIS. >> THANK YOU. >> NEXT TESTIFIER.\r\n\r\n\r\n>> OUR NEXT TESTIFIER IS ANDREW MARTIN. >> GOOD AFTERNOON, CHAIR, MEMBERS. NICE TO SEE YOU ALL. >> HELLO. >> SO I JUMPED ON REAL QUICK HERE AT THE END. I WASN'T SURE HOW MUCH LONGER IT WAS GOING TO TAKE TO GET TO RESO 22-228. I DO HAVE A MEETING AT 3:00 THAT I NEED TO BE IN. SO I APPRECIATE YOU GIVING ME THIS OPPORTUNITY.\r\n\r\n\r\nOBTAINING, WE'RE THANKFUL THAT YOU ARE WILLING TO HEAR THIS TODAY. WE'RE HOPEFUL THAT WE MIGHT HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO GET IT PASSED ON THE FLOOR. AS YOU HEARD FROM THE OTHER TESTIFIERS, YOU KNOW, WE'RE LOOKING TO USE THIS TRANSFER OF FUNDS SO THAT WE CAN INCREASE PAY FOR OUR ON-CALL SANE AND SAFES. YOU KNOW, THEY DO OBTAINING IMPORTANT WORK FOR THE COMMUNITY, SERVING VICTIMS AT A TIME WHEN THEY ARE AT THEIR MOST VULNERABLE AND THESE EXAMS HAPPEN IMMEDIATELY AFTER THEY HAVE BEEN SEXUALLY ASSAULTED. THEY DON'T DO THE WORK FOR THE

MONEY, BUT FOR THE COMMUNITY. YOU HAVE A SHORTAGE OF NURSES EVERYWHERE AND INFLATION GOING THROUGH THE ROOF, IT'S A REAL CHALLENGE TO ATTRACT AND MAINTAIN NURSES WHEN THE ON-CALL PAY IS \$6 AN HOUR OF YOU KNOW, I REALLY THANK DR. BAUMSTARK FOR REACHING OUT TO ME, AND LETTING ME KNOW ABOUT THIS SITUATION.\r\n\r\nI WILL BE PERFECTLY HONEST WITH YOU, I DON'T KNOW WHAT WE WERE PAYING THEM PER HOUR UNTIL SHE CALLED. I ASKED FOR AN INVOICE AND MY FIRST DEPUTY AND I WENT YOU GOT TO BE KIDDING ME? I DON'T THINK IT HAD BEEN ADJUSTED IN A DECADE AT LEAST, IF NOT MORE. I WOULD LOVE TO GET THEM UP TO COMPETITIVE RATES WITH OTHER AREAS, BUT I THINK THIS IS A REASONABLE FIRST STEP TO MAKE A MEANINGFUL IMPROVEMENT IN THIS ON-CALL PAY. I THINK IT WILL HELP US RETAIN OUR SANES, AND HOPEFULLY, THESE THREE SANES THAT WE HAVE COMING ON-BOARD, THAT GO THROUGH THIS RIGOROUS FROM GOING INTO THE PROGRAM AND THANK YOU FOR CONSIDERING IT. I DO THINK IT'S AN URGENT MATTER. SINCE I WROTE MY ORIGINAL JUSTIFICATION TO THE MAYOR'S OFFICE AS I'M SURE WAS POINTED OUT TO YOU ALREADY, WE LOST ONE OUR SANES.\r\n\r\nSO WE'RE DOWN TO TWO. AND EVEN THEY'RE ON A LIMITED SCHEDULE. SO THAT WE'RE NOT NECESSARILY ABLE TO COVER SEVEN DAYS A WEEK, 24 HOURS A DAY NOW. CERTAIN DAYS WE'RE SHORT. SO THANK YOU ALL. I'M HERE TO ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS THAT YOU MAY HAVE AND I REALLY APPRECIATE YOUR CONSIDERATION. >> THANK YOU.\r\n\r\nMEMBER KING AND VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ, AND PRO TEM KAMA. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. THANKS FOR BEING HERE, ANDREW. IT'S ASTOUNDING. JUST TO CLARIFY ON-CALL EMPLOYEES ARE NOT AFFORDED MINIMUM WAGE? BY STATE LAW? >> YOU KNOW, I'M NOT SURE.\r\n\r\nI WOULD HAVE TO LOOK THAT UP TO BE HONEST WITH YOU. I WILL TELL YOU THIS, EVEN AT \$6 AN HOUR, WE LEAD THE STATE. >> OH, MY GOODNESS. >> LET THAT SINK IN FOR A MINUTE. >> HOW CAN IT SINK IN? IT'S ATROCIOUS. >> YES.\r\n\r\n>> RIGHT NOW, WE ENTERED INTO \$12 MINIMUM WAGE PER THE LAST SESSION AND HOW COULD SOMEONE BE PAID \$6? EVEN IF THEY WERE WILLING TO TAKE IT, YOU KNOW? CAN YOU LET US KNOW WHAT THE STATE LAW UNLESS SOMEBODY ELSE KNOWS? >> I'M NOT EXPERT IN THIS AREA, BUT I THINK BECAUSE IT'S ON-CALL PAY; RIGHT? SO THEY ARE STANDBY. IT'S STANDBY PAY. I THINK THAT IS WHY THERE'S WIGGLE ROOM. >> A LOT OF OTHER DEPARTMENTS STANDBY FOLKS GET PAID MORE, BECAUSE THEY ARE STANDING BY.\r\n\r\n>> YES. >> THEY GET PAID TWICE OR THREE TIMES AS MUCH. THANK YOU FOR BRINGING THAT TO OUR ATTENTION. >> ABSOLUTELY. THANK YOU. >> VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> ALOHA, MR.\r\n\r\nMARTIN. MAHALO FOR YOUR TESTIMONY. >> ALOHA. >> ARE YOU PLANNING TO MAKE THE MOTION TO -- I'M PLANNING TO MAKE THE MOTION TO TAKE THIS AND THE FLOOR, MEMBERS. MY QUESTION IS REGARDING THE RESOLUTION. IT SAYS SEXUAL ASSAULT FORENSIC EXAMINERS AND IN TESTIMONY WE HAVE BEEN HEARING SEXUAL ASSAULT NURSE EXAMINERS. WOULD YOU QUICKLY SHARE WITH US THE DIFFERENCE?\r\n\r\n>> ABSOLUTELY. SEXUAL ASSAULT FORENSIC EXAMINERS IS A BROADER TERM AND INCLUDES SEXUAL ASSAULT NURSE EXAMINERS. ON THE OTHER ISLANDS AND EVEN PREVIOUSLY HERE ON MAUI, WE ACTUALLY HAD PHYSICIANS AS OUR EXAMINERS AS WELL. SO WE USE THE TERM "SEXUAL ASSAULT FORENSIC EXAMINERS," BECAUSE IT INCLUDES ALL THE EXAMINERS THAT CAN DO THIS TYPE OF WORK, INCLUDING PHYSICIANS. THE TERMS HAVE INTERCHANGEABLE, AND WE JUST USE THE BROADER TERM TO ENCOMPASS EVERYBODY. BUT IF YOU HEAR SANE OR SAFE, IT'S PEOPLE DOING THE EXACT SAME TYPE OF WORK. >> MAHALO, MR.\r\n\r\nMARTIN. MAHALO, CHAIR. >> PRO TEM KAMA. >> THANK YOU. THANK YOU AGAIN FOR BEING HERE, ANDREW. SO I WAS TRYING TO UNDERSTAND WHAT IT MEANT TO -- WHAT ON-CALL MEANT? BECAUSE IN MY HEAD, IT DOESN'T MAKE SENSE FOR SOMEBODY TO BE ON-CALL FOR \$6 AN HOUR, UNLESS JUST THE CALL IS \$6 AN HOUR?\r\n\r\nSO CAN YOU EXPLAIN THAT >> WHAT WE DO, WE PAY THEM AN HOURLY RATE. TYPICALLY OVER A 12-HOUR PERIOD TO BE AVAILABLE TO ANSWER A PHONE

CALL FROM THE MAUI POLICE DEPARTMENT THAT THERE IS A NEED TO COME TO THE MEDICAL FACILITY AND CONDUCT A SEXUAL ASSAULT EXAM. ON THEIR TIME OFF FROM THEIR REGULAR WORK, WHATEVER THEIR POSITION MAY BE, DURING THEIR TIME OFF, THEIR EVENINGS, THEIR WEEKENDS, THEIR HOLIDAYS, THEY ARE ON-CALL. WE PAY THEM TO BASICALLY ANSWER THAT PHONE WHENEVER THEY GET THE CALL FROM MPD AND RESPOND TO THE MEDICAL FACILITY IN ORDER TO CONDUCT AN EXAM. THE EXAM ITSELF IS PAID SEPARATELY. MPD HANDLES THAT PART. WE HANDLE THE ON-CALL PART.\r\n\r\n>> SO BASICALLY, THEY HAVE TO BE AT THEIR PHONE AND WHETHER OR NOT THEY GET A CALL THEY ARE PAID \$6 AN HOUR. >> YES. >> SHOULD THEY RESPOND TO A CALL, WHAT COULD KICK IS IN THE COST TO DO THE EXAM. >> THAT IS CORRECT. WE NEVER HAVE A PROBLEM WITH OUR NURSES NOT ANSWERING A CALL. THEY ALWAYS ANSWER THE CALL. >> THANK YOU.\r\n\r\n, THANK YOU, CHAIR. >> THANK YOU. >> ANYBODY ELSE? IF NOT, THANK YOU, ANDREW. APPRECIATE YOUR TESTIMONY, AND INFORMATION. >> THANK YOU VERY MUCH. I APPRECIATE ALL YOUR TIME.\r\n\r\n>> NEXT TESTIFIER. >> CHAIR, THERE ARE NO INDIVIDUALS CURRENTLY SIGNED UP TO TESTIFY ON THIS ITEM, RESOLUTIONS. IF ANYONE WANTS TO TESTIFY ON RESOLUTIONS, PLEASE IDENTIFY YOURSELF NOW. >> I SEE ONE. >> JC, ARE YOU GOING TO TESTIFY? >> THIS IS THE LAST CALL FOR TESTIMONY. >> 22-233 THE ONE ABOUT THE MAUI NEWS.\r\n\r\n>> YES. >> I SPOKE TO CHRIS, THE NEW EDITOR FOR THAT PAPER ABOUT THE USE OF THE WORD "HOMELESS." WHAT I WAS CALLING HIM ABOUT. HE WAS VERY POLITE, AND OPEN-MINDED AND FAIR SOUNDING. HE PROBABLY COULDN'T COMMENT ON THIS ONE, BECAUSE HE IS THE MANAGER THERE. BUT I WAS SURPRISED TO LEARN THAT THE PAPER WAS OWNED BY A WEST VIRGINIA COMPANY AND HAVING SPENT 25 YEARS OF MY LIFE IN VIRGINIA, I CAN TELL YOU THAT WEST VIRGINIA HAS A LOT OF FREEDOM-LOVING PEOPLE AND THEY LOVE THEIR GUNS. SO I'M WONDERING IF IT'S A RIGHT WING CONSERVATIVES HOLDING NRA MEMBERSHIP CARDS? ARE THEY ALL FROM THAT STATE?\r\n\r\nPROBABLY NOT ALL, BUT I THINK YOU KNOW THIS GUY CALLED MANCHIN. IT'S A NEW THING THIS YEAR, OR MAYBE I HAVEN'T LISTENED TO THE RADIO, BUT THEY SAY SPONSORED BY THE HAWAI'I REPUBLICAN PARTY. SO I'M WONDERING IF THIS NEWSPAPER THING IS IN A POLITICAL ATTEMPT TO CAPTURE OR CONTROL THE FEW ELECTORAL VOTES OF HAWAI'I? WEST VIRGINIA THEY ARE KIND OF LIKE DEMOCRATIC. THEY ARE CONSERVATIVE. I CAN'T EXPLAIN IT. THEY ARE DEMOCRATIC, LIKE MY COUNCIL MEMBER IN KIHEI. >> ANY QUESTIONS FOR JC?\r\n\r\nIF NOT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH. ANY MORE TESTIFIERS? >> LAST CALL FOR TESTIMONY ON RESOLUTIONS. >> CHAIR? >> YES. >> I THINK MR. ALBERT PEREZ JUST POPPED UP ON THE SCREEN.\r\n\r\n>> MR. PEREZ, GO AHEAD. >> I'M GOING TO DEVIATE FROM MY NORMAL TESTIMONY. I WANTED TO SPEAK PERSONALLY ABOUT A COUPLE OF THINGS. ONE IS THAT MAUI NEWS RELATED RESOLUTION, AND I DON'T KNOW IF IT'S A SOLUTION, BUT I DON'T GET THE SENSE THAT THESE CORPORATIONS ON THE MAINLAND REALLY CARE ABOUT LOCAL ISSUES, LOCAL TRADITIONS. IT SEEMS LIKE A DRASTIC STEP, BUT I WAS TRYING TO THINK OF WHAT WOULD CHANGE THEIR MIND? AND MAYBE IT JUST COMES DOWN TO MONEY?\r\n\r\nYOU KNOW? I THINK THE COUNTY HAS A CHOICE OF WHERE THEY PLACE THEIR PUBLIC NOTICES. AND IF IT CAME DOWN TO IT, IT WOULD PROBABLY HURT THE REMAINING EMPLOYEES AT THE MAUI NEWS IF THE COUNTY STARTED TO ADVERTISE IN A DIFFERENT PAPER, WHETHER IT'S MAUI TIMES OR WEST HAWAI'I TODAY, OR I MEAN, I SEE ADS IN THE MAUI NEWS FROM KAUA'I AND O'AHU AND EVERY PLACE ELSE. SOMEHOW IF THIS COUNCIL COULD JUST LET THEM KNOW THAT WE'RE VERY AWARE OF JUST HOW MUCH MONEY WE SPEND WITH THAT PAPER, MAYBE THEY WOULD THINK TWICE HOW THEY TREAT THE LOCAL EMPLOYEES? SO I DON'T KNOW IF THAT IS A SOLUTION -- IT JUST CROSSED MY MIND. THE OTHER THING I WANT TO TESTIFY ABOUT THAT I WASN'T PLANNING ON, BUT I'M LEARNING ABOUT 22-228. AND THIS IS A VERY

DIFFICULT SUBJECT ABOUT THE SANE OR SAFE WORKERS. IT'S AN URGENT MATTER.\r\n\r\nAND IT'S SHOCKING TO HEAR HOW LITTLE THESE ESSENTIAL WORKERS ARE PAID. I DIDN'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT THIS BEFORE TODAY, BUT IT'S OBVIOUS THAT ACTION NEEDS TO BE TAKEN RIGHT AWAY. SO PLEASE DO PASS THIS RESOLUTION ON THE FLOOR TODAY, SO THEY CAN GET SOME BETTER PAY. NOW I'LL MOVE TO WHAT I WAS PLANNING TO TESTIFY ABOUT, SO I SEE SOME RESOLUTIONS RELATED TO PUBLIC TESTIMONY. 22-227, 230 AND 234. AND IT'S NOT CLEAR TO ME, WHEN I SEE THE AGENDA, WHETHER THEY ARE SCHEDULED FOR ADOPTION, OR THEY ARE JUST GOING TO BE REFERRED TO COMMITTEE? SO MAYBE THAT COULD BE CLARIFIED ON FUTURE AGENDAS? BUT I JUST WANTED TO REITERATE THAT PEOPLE SHOULD HAVE THEIR CHOICE, TESTIFYING AT THE BEGINNING, OR BEFORE EACH ITEM, BUT NOT BOTH.\r\n\r\nAND I THANK MEMBERS SUGIMURA, AND LEE FOR PROPOSING CHANGES TO THE COUNCIL RULES THAT APPEAR TO ALLOW THAT. AND THEN FOR THE OTHER RESO I WANT TO TESTIFY ON, IT'S 22-232. URGING THE COUNTY OF MAUI AND TOURISM INDUSTRY TO ADOPT SUSTAINABLE TOURISM PRACTICE AND CERTIFICATION. . THERE'S MANY, MANY BUSINESSES THAT PURSUE THE ENERGY STAR CERTIFICATION FOR THEIR BUILDING. THERE ARE CERTIFICATIONS FOR REGENERATIVE AGRICULTURE THAT YOU CAN GET. I THINK THAT SUSTAINABLE TOURISM AND YES, EVEN REGENERATIVE TOURISM WOULD BE GOOD FOR THE INDUSTRY, GOOD FOR THE 'AINA AND GOOD FOR MAUI'S RESIDENTS. SO BECOMING A CERTIFIED SUSTAINABLE DESTINATION WOULD NOT ONLY BETTER OUR VISITOR INDUSTRY, BUT ATTRACT THE RIGHT KIND OF VISITOR AND I THINK WE ALL WOULD BE A LOT HAPPIER. I WILL STOP THERE.\r\n\r\nMAHALO. >> MEMBERS, ANY QUESTIONS? IF NOT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH. MAY WE HAVE THE NEXT TESTIFIER. >> THIS IS THE FINAL CALL FOR TESTIMONY ON RESOLUTIONS. ITEM K ON THE AGENDA. FINAL CALL.\r\n\r\n>> MEMBERS, IF THERE'S NO OBJECTIONS TO CLOSING PUBLIC TESTIMONY AND ACCEPTING WRITTEN TESTIMONY FOR RESOLUTIONS, ARE THERE ANY OBJECTIONS? >> NO OBJECTIONS. >> SO ORDERED. MADAM CLERK. >> CHAIR, PROCEEDING WITH RESOLUTIONS, YOU HAVE BEFORE YOU RESOLUTION 22-190 ENTITLED, "RELATING TO THE APPOINTMENT OF GERALD SHIZOU MATSUI TO THE FIRE AND PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION FOR THE COUNTY OF MAUI." >> MEMBER MOLINA. >> THANK YOU VERY MUCH, MADAM CHAIR. MOVE TO DISCHARGE THE GOVERNMENT RELATIONS, ETHICS, AND TRANSPARENCY COMMITTEE FROM FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION 22-190. >> SECOND.\r\n\r\n>> MOVED BY MEMBER MOLINA, SECONDED BY MEMBER SUGIMURA TO DISCHARGE THIS ITEM FROM THE COMMITTEE. ANY DISCUSSION? MEMBER MOLINA? >> YES, MADAM CHAIR, THE COUNCIL'S DEADLINE TO APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE THE NOMINEE IS OCTOBER 9, 2022, WHICH IS WHY WE IMMEDIATE TO BE ABLE TO CONSIDER THIS NOMINATION TO IN ORDER TO MEET THAT DEADLINE. THANK YOU. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION? IF NOT, ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE MOTION, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE?\r\n\r\n>> AYE. >> EIGHT AYES ONE EXCUSED MOTION CARRIES MR. MOLINA. >> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR, MOVE TO WAIVE THE REQUIREMENT OF COMMITTEE REFERRAL AND REPORT FOR RESOLUTION 22-190, IN ACCORDANCE WITH RULE 7G OF THE RULES OF THE COUNCIL. MOVED AND SECONDED. FURTHER DISCUSSION. >> MADAM CHAIR, SAME REASON AS FOR THE DISCHARGE.\r\n\r\n>> ANY OTHER DISCUSSION? IF NOT, ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE MOTION, PLEASE RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> ALL AYES, EIGHT AYES, ONE EXCUSED. MOTION CARRIES MR. MOLINA. >> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR, MOVE TO ADOPT RESOLUTION 22-190. >> MOVED BY MEMBER MOLINA AND SECONDED BY MEMBER SUGIMURA TO ADOPT RESOLUTION 22-190. DISCUSSION, MR.\r\n\r\nMOLINA. >> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR, WE DISCUSSED MR. MATSUI'S NOMINATION THIS PAST TUESDAY IN THE GREAT COMMITTEE MEETING AND RESOLUTIONS 22-190 IS TO APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE HIS NOMINATION THROUGH THE FIRE AND PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION. OR FOR TERM EXPIRING MARCH 31ST, 2026 TO FILL THE VACANCY DUE TO A RESIGNATION. YOUR COMMITTEE INTERVIEWED

MR. MATSUI, THE HEALTH SYSTEMS OFFICER AND PREVIOUSLY SERVED AS THE MAUI HEALTH SYSTEMS SAFETY ENVIRONMENT YAM CARE OFFICER, HAZMAT OFFICER AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT OFFICER DIRECTOR OF FACILITIES, AND A LOT OF OTHER STUFF. AND ALSO HE PREVIOUSLY WORKED FOR THE COUNTY OF MAUI AND CERTAINLY YOUR COMMITTEE WAS IMPRESSED WITH MR. MATSUI AND WITH THAT STATED I'M VERY CONFIDENT THAT MR. MATSUI WOULD BE A TREMENDOUS ASSET TO THIS COMMISSION, AND I WOULD LIKE TO THANK HIM FOR HIS WILLINGNESS TO SERVE AND ASK FOR THE MEMBERS' FULL SUPPORT OF HIS NOMINATION. THANK YOU. >> DO WE NEED A RECALL? ALL MANY FAVOR RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> EIGHT AYES, ONE EXCUSED ZERO NOS, MOTION CARRIES MADAM CLERK. >> RESOLUTION 22-191, ENTITLED, "RELATING TO THE PILOT OF ROD WADE ANTONE TO THE MAUI PLANNING COMMISSION." >> MEMBER MOLINA. >> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR. MOVE TO CHARGE THE GOVERNMENT RELATIONS, ETHICS, AND TRANSPARENCY COMMITTEE FROM FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION 22-191. >> SECOND. >> MOVED BY MEMBER MOLINA, SECONDED BY MEMBER SUGIMURA TO DISCHARGE THIS ITEM. ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION MR. MOLINA? >> YES, MADAM CHAIR. THE COUNCIL'S DEADLINE TO APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE THE NOMINEE IS OCTOBER 10M, 2022. SO WE NEED TO BE ABLE TO CONSIDER THE NOMINATION TODAY IN ORDER TO MEET THE DEADLINE. THANK YOU. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION ON THE DISCHARGE? IF NOT, ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE MOTION RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> EIGHT AYES, ONE EXCUSED. ZERO NOS, MOTION CARRIES. MADAM CHAIR, I MOVE TO WAIVE THE REQUIREMENT FOR COMMITTEE REFERRAL AND REPORT FOR RESOLUTION 22-191 IN ACCORDANCE WITH RULE 7G OF THE COUNCIL. >> MOVED BY MEMBER MOLINA AND SECONDED BY MEMBER SUGIMURA TO WAIVE THE RULES OF THE COUNCIL REGARDING THIS ITEM. MEMBER MOLINA. >> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR. I LIKE THE PREVIOUS MATTER THIS IS TIME-SENSITIVE, WHICH IS WHY WE NEED TO CONSIDER THIS MATTER TODAY. THANK YOU. >> ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE MOTION, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> EIGHT AYES, ONE EXCUSED, ZERO NOS, MOTION CARRIES. MEMBER MOLINA. >> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR, MOVE TO ADOPT RESOLUTION 22-191. >> SECOND. >> MOVED BY MEMBER MOLINA. SECONDED BY MEMBER SUGIMURA TO ADOPT RESOLUTION 22-191. DISCUSSION, MEMBER MOLINA. >> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR. WE INTERVIEWED MR. ANTONE TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4TH AND MR. ANTONE IS THE MAYOR'S NOMINATION TO THE MAUI PLANNING COMMISSION FOR A TERM EXPIRING MARCH 31ST, 2027 TO FILL A VACANCY DUE TO THE RESIGNATION OF WILLIAM GORDON GRIGG. MR. ANTONE IS CURRENTLY AN INDEPENDENT CONSULTANT AND WAS PREVIOUSLY EMPLOYED AS A REPORTER BY THE PACIFIC DISASTER CENTER, MAUI HOTEL AND LODGING ASSOCIATION AND MAUI COUNTY MAYOR'S OFFICE. MR. ANTONE STATED HIS PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE AS A REPORTER AND HIS WORK WITH THE COUNTY PROVIDE HIM WITH SOUND REASONING WHEN IT COMES TO DECISION-MAKING THAT AFFECTS THE PUBLIC AND NOTED THAT HE RELIES ON DATA AND STUDIES, RATHER THAN IMPASSIONED PLEAS FROM THE PUBLIC WHEN IT COMES TO DECISION-MAKING. I BELIEVE MR. ANTONE WILL BE A GOOD ADDITION TO THE PLANNING COMMISSION AND IF THERE'S ANY TYPES OF POTENTIAL CONFLICTS, HE WOULD CERTAINLY DO THE RIGHT THING AND POTENTIALLY RECUSE HIMSELF. SO I'M WILLING TO GIVE HIM AN OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE. THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR. >> FURTHER DISCUSSION? VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. I MOVE TO AMEND THE RESOLUTION BE IT RESOLVED WHERE IT READS THAT IT APPROVES THE [INAUDIBLE] [SPEAKER NOT UNDERSTOOD] FROM APPROVED TO DISAPPROVED. >> SECOND. >> IT'S BEEN MOVED BY VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ, SECONDED BY MEMBER PALTIN TO DISAPPROVE THIS NOMINEE. DISCUSSION, MEMBER VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. I THINK IT WAS STATED MANY TIMES IN TESTIMONY TODAY THAT MR. ANTONE IS A HARD WORKER, THAT HE IS A GREAT GUY, AND INTEREST THAT WAS SHARED IN

COMMITTEE AS WE DISCUSSED IT ARE VERY WELL-REPRESENTED ON THE CURRENT MAUI PLANNING COMMISSION, AND THAT IS CURRENTLY THE VICE-CHAIR OF THE PA'IA HAIKU ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO THE MAUI PLANNING COMMISSION.\r\n\r\nSO HE DOES HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO PROVIDE HIS INSIGHTS IN DECISION-MAKING POSITION AND I WANT TO EXTEND MY APPRECIATION TO MR. ANTONE FOR HIS CONTINUED SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY. AND IN THE BE IT RESOLVED, THE SECOND CLAUSE IS THAT THE COUNCIL EXPRESSES ITS GRATITUDE AND APPRECIATE TO MR. ANTONE FOR HIS WILLINGNESS TO BE CONSIDERED AND WOULD REMAIN IN THE RESOLUTION. MAHALO, CHAIR. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION? MEMBER SUGIMURA.\r\n\r\nAND MEMBER KING. >> THANK YOU. I'M GOING TO SPEAK IN OPPOSITION OF THE AMENDED RESOLUTION. I BELIEVE THAT MR. ANTONE BRINGS KNOWLEDGE AND EXPERIENCE AND THAT I BELIEVE IT WILL BE AN ADDED DEPTH TO THE MAUI PLANNING COMMISSION. I SUPPORT HIS NOMINATION. SO I'M SPEAKING AGAINST.\r\n\r\n>> MEMBER KING. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. I SPEAK IN SUPPORT OF THE AMENDMENT. I AGREE WITH VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ THAT WE HAVE A -- A LOT OF US HAVE A LOT OF RESPECT FOR MR. ANTONE AND KNOWN HIM A WHILE. I THINK THERE'S AN IMBALANCE IN THE PLANNING COMMISSION, AND THAT HIS VIEWS AND HIS POINT OF DIRECTION IS WELL-REPRESENTED. WE HAVE UNDERREPRESENTED ON THE ENVIRONMENTAL SIDE AND I WAS A LITTLE BIT DISAPPOINTED WHEN WE DID THE INTERVIEW THAT LISTENING TO PUBLIC INPUT AND I PRESSED MR.\r\n\r\nANTONE ON THAT, WHAT I HEARD WAS THE PUBLIC NEEDS TO BE EDUCATED, AND I THINK IT'S A TWO-WAY STREET. AND I THINK PLANNING COMMISSIONERS NEED TO LISTEN TO THE PUBLIC AND BE EDUCATED ON WHAT THE PUBLIC KNOWS, ESPECIALLY WHEN THEY ARE NOT IN THE DISTRICT THAT THEY HAVE EXTENSIVE KNOWLEDGE HAVE. I HAVE SEEN THAT HAPPEN IN A LOT IN THE SOUTH MAUI DISTRICT, AND I THINK WE NEED BETTER BALANCE ON THIS PLANNING COMMISSION, SINCE IT'S SUPPOSED TO REPRESENT THE ENTIRE ISLAND OF MAUI. IT'S NOTHING PERSONAL AGAINST MR. ANTONE. I LIKE HIM, AND HAVE A LOT OF RESPECT FOR HIM. I THINK WE NEED TO KNOW AS A COUNCIL, WHO ELSE HAS APPLIED FOR THE PLANNING COMMISSION?\r\n\r\nI WOULD LOVE TO SEE SOMEONE LIKE LUCIENNE DE NAIE BE APPOINTED TO THE PLANNING COMMISSION. I DON'T KNOW HOW MANY OTHER FOLKS LIKE HER HAVE APPLIED, BECAUSE WE DON'T GET THAT INFORMATION SENT TO US. WE NEED TO MAKE BROADER DECISIONS BASED ON COMPOSITION OF THIS COMMISSION, SINCE IT MAKES SUCH IMPORTANT DECISIONS FOR DEVELOPMENT ON ALL OUR ISLAND. THANK YOU. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION? MR. SINENCI AND PRO TEM KAMA.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU, CHAIR. I, TOO, HAD THE PRIVILEGE OF KNOWING MR. ANTONE AND I HAVE A LOT OF RESPECT FOR HIM. I'M GOING TO SUPPORT THE MOTION ON THE FLOOR, MAINLY BECAUSE I DON'T THINK IT'S GOOD PRACTICE TO HAVE CONSULTANTS TO BE SITTING ON THESE BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS, PARTICULARLY IF IT'S GOING TO BE INFLUENCED BY THEIR FUTURE CLIENTELE. >> PRO TEM KAMA. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. I'M GOING TO BE -- I HEARD THE DISCUSSION AND REALIZE MR.\r\n\r\nANTONE BRINGS A LOT OF HISTORICAL KNOWLEDGE WITH HIM, AND ALL OF OUR INTERESTS HERE ON THIS COUNCIL IS WIDE AND VARIED, BUT SOMETHING OF US LIKE SOME THINGS MORE THAN OTHERS. I REALLY LIKE HAWAIIAN HOMES AND THOSE ISSUES. NOT EVERYBODY ON THIS COUNCIL DOES. THEREFORE, THAT IS NOT MY MAIN INTEREST AND I HAVE ANOTHER INTERESTS. SO I WOULD LIKE TO ALLOW THE OPPORTUNITY -- HE DID COME TO US AND DID SAY, I DO WANT TO SERVE. HE DID ALSO TELL US THAT HE WAS SERVING [INAUDIBLE] I THINK I JUST WANT TO ALLOW HIM TO SHARE, AS MUCH AS WHAT HE HAS TO GIVE US. HE IS ONE OUT OF NINE PEOPLE ON THE BOARD.\r\n\r\nJUST LIKE ALL OF US NINE, WE'RE NOT ALWAYS GOING TO AGREE, BUT COLLECTIVELY, WE COME OUT WITH SOME PRETTY GOOD STUFF. NINE MEMBERS OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION WILL BE ABLE TO COME OUT WITH SOME REALLY GOOD STUFF, TOO. THANK YOU, CHAIR. >> FOR THE SECOND TIME, MEMBER SUGIMURA. >>

SECOND AND FINAL. SO KIND OF INTERESTING. LUCIENNE DE NAIE, WE DID APPOINT HER TO BE ON THE PLANNING COMMISSION.\r\n\r\nTHAT WAS ONE OF THE COMMENTS. OH, WATER BOARD. ANYWAY, I JUST WANT TO SAY THAT I BELIEVE THAT IF MR. ANTONE HAD A CONFLICT, LIKE ANYBODY ELSE, LIKE ANY ONE OF US, WE WOULD RECUSE OURSELVES. SO IF THE QUALITY OF THE PERSON, AND THEIR EXPERIENCE, AND HOW THEY CAN MAKE OVERALL DECISIONS, AND WE CAN'T HOPE THAT THEY FIT INTO BOXES OF WHAT THEY CAN AND CANNOT DO IN THEIR LIFETIME, BUT HOPE IT'S AN ACCUMULATION OF EXPERIENCE. SO I'M GOING TO SPEAK AGAINST THIS. I STAND CORRECTED ABOUT LUCIENNE DE NAIE.\r\n\r\nI THOUGHT IT WAS THE PLANNING COMMISSION, BUT WATER BOARD. SO CHANCES ARE GIVEN. THANK YOU. >> MEMBERS, ANY MORE DISCUSSION? IF NOT, ROLL CALL. >> RESOLUTION 22-191, COUNCIL MEMBER SHANE SINENCI? >> AYE.\r\n\r\n>> COUNCIL MEMBER MIKE MOLINA? >> WE CAN'T HEAR YOU. >> NO. >> COUNCIL MEMBER KELLY T. KING? >> AYE. >> COUNCIL MEMBER GABE JOHNSON. >> EXCUSED.\r\n\r\n>> NO, I'M SORRY, I'M HERE, CHAIR. >> HI. >> I VOTE NO. >> CHAIR, WOULD YOU MIND REPEATING THE MOTION FOR MEMBER JOHNSON? >> MEMBER JOHNSON, WE'RE VOTING ON >> I VOTE AYE. I BEG YOUR PARDON. >> HE CHANGED HIS VOTE, BECAUSE HE DIDN'T REALIZE WHERE IT WAS.\r\n\r\nNEXT PERSON. >> COUNCIL MEMBER TAMARA PALTIN? >> AYE. >> COUNCIL MEMBER YUKI LEI SUGIMURA? >> NO. >> COUNCIL MEMBER PRO TEM TASHA KAMA? >> NO.\r\n\r\n>> COUNCIL MEMBER VICE-CHAIR KEANI RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ? >> AYE. >> AND COUNCIL CHAIR ALICE L. LEE? >> NO. >> THAT IS FIVE AYES, FOUR NOS, MOTION CARRIES. >> OKAY. >> MADAM CLERK.\r\n\r\n>> HE JUST KIND OF POPPED UP, SO DO WE HAVE TO BRING HIM INTO OUR MEETING? >> HE DID VOTE. LET'S PROCEED; MADAM CLERK. >> MADAM CHAIR? SORRY, MADAM CHAIR. JUST A POINT OF ORDER. WITH MR.\r\n\r\nJOHNSON'S APPEARANCE, SHOULD WE RECOGNIZE HIM OFFICIALLY INTO THE MEETING AND WHERE HE IS AT FOR THE RECORD? >> MR. JOHNSON? >> YES CHAIR. >> COULD YOU TELL US WHERE YOU ARE, AND GIVE US -- >> YES, I'M ALONE IN NEW YORK STATE. THANK YOU. >> ALL RIGHT.\r\n\r\nSHALL WE PROCEED? >> RESOLUTION 22-204. >> THE MAIN MOTION -- THE MAIN MOTION AS AMENDED. ANY MORE DISCUSSION? ROLL CALL ON THIS AS WELL. >> RESO 22-191, MAIN MOTION AS AMENDED. COUNCIL MEMBER SHANE SINENCI? >> AYE.\r\n\r\n>> COUNCIL MEMBER MIKE MOLINA? >> NO. >> COUNCIL MEMBER KELLY KING? >> AYE. >> COUNCIL MEMBER GABE JOHNSON? >> AYE. >> COUNCIL MEMBER TAMARA PALTIN?\r\n\r\n>> AYE. >> COUNCIL MEMBER YUKI LEI SUGIMURA? >> NO. >> COUNCIL PRO TEM TASHA KAMA? >> NO >> COUNCIL VICE-CHAIR KEANI RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ? >> AYE. >> AND COUNCIL CHAIR ALICE L. LEE?\r\n\r\n>> NO. >> THAT IS FIVE AYES, FOUR NOS, MOTION CARRIES. >> NEXT. >> RESOLUTION 22-204, ENTITLED, RELATING TO THE APPOINTMENT OF DAVID MARSHALL JORGENSEN TO THE BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY FOR THE COUNTY OF MAUI." >> MEMBER MOLINA. >> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR. MOVE TO DISCHARGE THE COMMITTEE FROM FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF 22-204. MOVED AND SECONDED TO DISCHARGE THE COMMITTEE FROM THIS ITEM. MEMBER MOLINA.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR, THE COUNCIL'S DEADLINE IS OCTOBER 17, 2022 AND NEED TO CONSIDER THE NOMINATION TODAY IN ORDER TO MEET THAT DEADLINE. THANK YOU. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION? ALL IN FAVOR, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> ALL RIGHT, MEMBER JOHNSON? >> AYE.\r\n\r\n>> NINE AYES, ZERO NOS, MOTION CARRIES. MEMBER MOLINA. >> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR. MOVE TO WAIVE THE REQUIREMENT OF COMMITTEE REFERRAL AND REPORT FOR RESOLUTION 22-204 IN ACCORDANCE WITH RULE 7G OF THE RULES OF THE COUNCIL. >> MOVED AND SECONDED FOR WAIVER OF THE ITEM. DISCUSSION, MEMBER MOLINA. >> LIKE THE REASON GIVEN FOR THE DISCHARGE REQUEST, THIS IS A TIME- SENSITIVE MATTER.\r\n\r\nTHANK YOU. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION? ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE MOTION, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> MEMBER JOHNSON? >>

AYE. >> NINE AYES, ZERO NOS, MOTION CARRIES.\r\n\r\nMEMBER MOLINA. >> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR, MOVE TO ADOPT RESOLUTION 22-204. >> MOVED BY MEMBER MOLINA AND SECONDED BY MEMBER SUGIMURA TO -- I'M SORRY, WAS IT DISCHARGE? ADOPT THE RESOLUTION. 22-204. AND DISCUSSION? MEMBER MOLINA. >> THANK YOU VERY MUCH, MADAM CHAIR. WE ALSO INTERVIEWED MR.\r\n\r\nJORGENSEN TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4 AND MR. JORGENSEN IS THE MAYOR'S NOMINATION TO THE BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY FOR TERM EXPIRING MARCH 31ST, 2027 TO FILL A VACANCY DUE TO THE REMOVAL OF ANOTHER PERSON. HE IS AN ATTORNEY AND STATED HE WOULD LIKE TO SERVE ON THE BOARD TO INCREASE COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION ON NONPROFIT AND GOVERNMENT BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS AS HE FEELS IT'S ESSENTIAL TO MAKING AND HELPING KEEP MAUI MAUI. IN ADDITION TO HIS ADVOCACY WORK AS AN ATTORNEY, MR. JORGENSEN IS ALSO THE PRESIDENT OF KA LIMA O MAUI AND PAST PRESIDENT OF THE BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB AND SERVED ON THE COMMISSION. HE EXPRESSED IN THE LIQUOR CONTROL AND WOULD HAVE TO RECUSE HIMSELF DUE TO HIS WORK AND FEELS THAT THE BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY IS A BETTER FIT AND WOULD CONTINUE TO EDUCATE HIMSELF ON THE WATER ISSUES. I BELIEVE MR.\r\n\r\nJORGENSEN WOULD BE A GOOD ADDITION TO THE BOARD AND LIKE TO HANG IT HIM FOR HIS WILLINGNESS TO SERVE. CERTAINLY, IF WILL ARE CONFLICTS HE WILL DO THE RIGHT THING. IF CONFLICTS POTENTIALLY CONTINUE, HE WILL PROBABLY DO THE RIGHT THING AND RESIGN, IF THAT SHOULD OCCUR. ASK FOR THE MEMBERS' CONSIDERATION OF MR. JORGENSEN. >> MEMBER SUGIMURA, DISCUSSION? >> YOU KNOW WE HAD COMMITTEE DISCUSSION AND HE SAID IF THERE WAS A CONFLICT, HE WOULD RECUSE HIMSELF.\r\n\r\n\r\nSO I TRUST HIS JUDGMENT AND I SUPPORT MR. JORGENSEN. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION? VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. I MOVE TO AMEND THE BE IT RESOLVED CLAUSE 1 FROM APPROVED TO DISAPPROVED. >> SECOND.\r\n\r\n\r\n>> BY VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ, SECONDED BY MEMBER PALTIN TO AMEND THE MOTION TO DISAPPROVE THE NOMINEE. DISCUSSION? VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. WE HEARD OVERWHELMING TESTIMONY IN SUPPORT OF THE MOST QUALIFIED CANDIDATE THAT SUBMITTED AN APPLICATION FOR THE POSITION ON THE BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY. IN APT COMMITTEE YESTERDAY, WE HEARD A PRESENTATION FROM DR. SAWYER.\r\n\r\n\r\nTHAT LEVEL OF LEGAL ANALYSIS, AND EXPERIENCE THAT WE HEARD AT MORE PLAIN LANGUAGE FOR EVERYONE TO EASILY UNDERSTAND IS THE LEVEL OF WORK THAT MS. KANALUA IS CAPABLE OF IS. SHE IS AN EXPERT IN WATER LAW. IT'S WHAT SHE IS SPECIALIZES IN. AND I THINK THE COMMUNITY, THE COUNTY DESERVES THE MOST QUALIFIED APPLICANT TO SERVE ON OUR BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS. IT IS OF THE BEST INTEREST OF OUR COUNTY. IN COMMITTEE, WE DID TALK ABOUT THE DIFFERENT POTENTIAL CONFLICTS, AND I DID COMMEND MR.\r\n\r\n\r\nJORGENSEN FOR HIS ADVOCACY FOR HIS CLIENTS, IN REPRESENTING THE TIME SHARES, AND THE DIFFERENT HOTELS; OF WHICH, THE BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY HAS CURRENTLY ESTABLISHED A TIG TO CREATE A NEW CATEGORY THAT WOULD PROVIDE EQUITY IN WATER USE, AS DR. SAWYER TALKED ABOUT YESTERDAY IN THE APT COMMITTEE IS USING PRICING TO HELP REGULATE FOR CONSERVATION OF OUR PUBLIC TRUST RESOURCE. AND I AM NOT CONFIDENT THAT THIS NOMINEE WOULD BE ABLE TO TAKE A NEUTRAL POSITION ON THIS DISCUSSION THAT THE BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY IS UNANIMOUSLY SUPPORTING THE DIRECTION OF. I THINK IT'S LONG OVERDUE THAT THIS IS EXPLORED, AND I WOULD HATE FOR THIS EFFORT TO BE HAMPERED NOW THAT IT'S MOVING IN THIS DIRECTION. AGAIN, AS WE HEARD IN THE PRESENTATION YESTERDAY, THERE ARE PUBLIC TRUST PURPOSES, SOME OF WHICH ARE OF MUCH HIGHER PRIORITIES, AND THAT IS SOMETHING THAT MS. NAKANALUA UNDERSTANDS. SO I WILL MAKE A MOTION TO DISAPPROVE MR.\r\n\r\n\r\nJORGENSEN. MAHALO, CHAIR. >> MEMBERS, I WOULD LIKE TO REMIND YOU WE AGREED ON ONE MINUTE. SO PLEASE STAY WITHIN THAT ONE MINUTE FOR YOUR TURN. MEMBER

ETHICS, AND TRANSPARENCY COMMITTEE, RESOLUTION 22-225, ENTITLED, "APPOINTMENT TO THE MEMBER OF THE URBAN DESIGN REVIEW BOARD FOR THE COUNTY OF MAUI." >> ANY OBJECTIONS TO THIS REFERRAL? IF NOT, SO ORDERED. NEXT ITEM. >> NEXT ITEM, RESOLUTION 22-226, ENTITLED, "REMOVAL OF ROBERT HALE PAHIA FROM THE KULA AGRICULTURAL PARK COMMITTEE FOR THE COUNTY OF MAUI." >> MEMBER MOLINA.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR. I HAVE NO OBJECTION WITH THIS GOING TO COMMITTEE. >> ANY OBJECTIONS TO THIS REFERRAL, MEMBERS? >> NO OBJECTIONS. >> SO ORDERED. MADAM CLERK. >> ALSO RECOMMENDED FOR REFERRAL TO THE GOVERNMENT RELATIONS, ETHICS, AND TRANSPARENCY COMMITTEE RESOLUTION 22-227 ENTITLED, "APPROVING FOR INCLUSION IN THE 2023 HAWAI'I STATE ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES LEGISLATIVE PACKAGE A STATE BILL RELATING TO THE PUBLIC TESTIMONY AT OPEN MEETINGS." >> ANY OBJECTIONS TO THIS REFERRAL, MEMBERS?\r\n\r\n>> NO OBJECTIONS. >> SO ORDERED. THANK YOU. >> TO YOUR BUDGET, FINANCE, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE, RESOLUTION 22-228. >> EXCUSE ME, ONE SECOND. MADAM CLERK, YES? >> ON THE ITEM 22-227, I THOUGHT THAT HSAC IS VOTING ON THEIR PACKAGE THOUGH. IS IT MAKING THE DEADLINE?\r\n\r\n>> I PULLED THAT BACK, BECAUSE WE NEED TO DISCUSS THIS AT LENGTH IN COMMITTEE, AND THERE MAY BE OPTIONS. >> OKAY. >> WE MAY BE ABLE TO COMPLY. >> OKAY. THANK YOU FOR EXPLAINING. >> ALL RIGHT. MOVING ON TO THE BUDGET ITEMS.\r\n\r\n>> TO YOUR BUDGET, FINANCE, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE RESOLUTION 22-228, ENTITLED, "AUTHORIZING THE TRANSFER OF AN UNENCUMBERED APPROPRIATION BALANCE WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY, FISCAL YEAR 2023 BUDGET." >> PLEASE CALL UP THE NEXT ONE. >> RESOLUTION 22-229 ENTITLED, AUTHORIZING THE TRANSFER OF AN UNENCUMBERED APPROPRIATION BALANCE WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION FISCAL YEAR 2023 BUDGET. >> VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. ANY OBJECTIONS TO ME TAKING THOSE TWO UP AT THE SAME TIME? >> NO OBJECTIONS, CHAIR. >> NO OBJECTIONS; SO ORDERED.\r\n\r\n>> MAHALO, I MOVE TO WAIVE THE REQUIREMENT OF COMMITTEE REFERRAL AND REPORT IN ACCORDANCE WITH RULE 7G OF THE RULES OF COUNCIL. AS WELL AS RESOLUTION 22-229. >> SECOND. >> MOVED BY VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ, SECONDED BY WHO? ALL RIGHT, SECONDED BY MEMBER KELLY KING TO WAIVE THE RULES OF THE COUNCIL REGARDING RESOS 22-228, AND 22-229. ANY DISCUSSION ON THAT? VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ? >> MAHALO, CHAIR. MEMBERS, WHEN RESOLUTION 22-228 WAS SUBMITTED, THE COUNTY HAD THREE TRAINED SEXUAL ASSAULT FORENSIC EXAMINERS AND NOW DOWN TO TWO AND ONE IS THE CURRENTLY HOURLY RATE HAS NOT BEEN ADJUSTED IN OVER A DECADE.\r\n\r\nTAKING ACTION TODAY WILL ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT TO INCREASE ON-CALL PAY AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, AND RECRUIT AND RETAIN INDIVIDUALS FOR THESE IMPORTANT POSITIONS. AND THAT'S TIME-SENSITIVITY, BECAUSE I WISH WE LIVED IN A WORLD WHERE THIS WASN'T NECESSARY, BUT UNFORTUNATELY, WE DO. >> ALL THOSE IN FAVOR. >> FOR RESOLUTION 22-229. THERE HAS BEEN AN INCREASE THE CONTRACT AND TO INCREASE THE COSTS EXPEDITIOUSLY. MAHALO, CHAIR. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION? OTHERWISE, ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE MOTION ON THESE TWO RESOS, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE?\r\n\r\n>> AYE. >> MEMBER JOHNSON? HE WROTE IN THE CHAT HE HAD TO LEAVE. >> SO EIGHT AYES, ONE EXCUSED, NO-NOS, MOTION CARRIES. VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. I MOVE TO ADOPT RESOLUTION 22-228, AND RESOLUTION 22-229. >> MOVED BY VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ.\r\n\r\nSECONDED BY MEMBER SUGIMURA TO ADOPT RESOLUTIONS 22-228, AND RESOLUTION 22-229. DISCUSSION VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. MEMBERS, THE PURPOSE EVER OF THE RESOURCE IS TO AUTHORIZE THE TRANSFER OF UNENCUMBERED BALANCE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PROSECUTING ATTORNEY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$42,000 FROM CATEGORY A SALARIES TO CATEGORY B,

OPERATIONS AND EQUIPMENT TO INCREASE ON-CALL PAY FOR SEXUAL ASSAULT FORENSIC EXAMINERS. THE PROSECUTION OF SEXUAL ASSAULT CASES REQUIRES SPECIALIZED VIM-CENTERED APPROACH, WHICH INCLUDES PROVIDING 24/7 ACCESS TO FORENSIC MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS. SEXUAL ASSAULT FORENSIC EXAMINERS ARE ON-CALL 24 HOURS A DAY, SEVEN DAYS A WEEK, 365 DAY A YEAR AND PROVIDE AN IMPORTANT SERVICE TO OUR COMMUNITY. CURRENTLY ON-CALL NURSES ARE PAID AT A SHAMEFUL RATE OF \$6 AN HOUR. WHILE ON-CALL NURSES AND OTHER DISCIPLINES MUCH, AS MUCH AS \$25 AN HOUR.\r\n\r\nTHIS AMENDMENT WILL ENABLE THE DEPARTMENT TO INCREASE THE PAY OF THE EXAMINERS AND RECRUIT INDIVIDUALS. WE DO HAVE REPRESENTATIONS FROM THE ADMINISTRATION THAT ARE AVAILABLE TO ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS THAT MEMBERS HAVE, INCLUDING MEMBER KING'S EARLIER QUESTION ABOUT ON-CALL RATE THAT THE COUNTY PAYS. I RESPECTFULLY ASK FOR THE MEMBERS' SUPPORT OF THIS MOTION TO CORRECT THIS INSTITUTIONAL SEXISM. MAHALO, CHAIR. >> THANK YOU, MEMBER KING. DO YOU NEED THE INFORMATION NOW? >> NO.\r\n\r\n>> FOR THE VOTE? >> NO. >> OKAY. ALL RIGHT. ANY MORE DISCUSSION? ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE MOTION TO ADOPT THIS RESOLUTION RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE.\r\n\r\n>> MEMBER JOHNSON? >> I'M SORRY, CHAIR? I FORGET TO DO 229. >> OKAY. I THOUGHT I SAID BOTH. ALL RIGHT. >> REALLY QUICKLY. >> WE HAVE TO HEAR THE DISCUSSION ON AND MOTION ON 22-229. VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ.\r\n\r\n>> MAHALO, CHAIR. MY APOLOGIES JUST REALLY QUICKLY THE PURPOSE OF RESOLUTION 22-229 TO AUTHORIZE THE TRANSFER OF UNENCUMBERED APPROPRIATION BALANCE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION IN THE AMOUNT \$93,200 FROM CATEGORY A SALARIES TO CATEGORY B, OPERATIONS AND EQUIPMENT, FOR THE INCREASED COST OF THE CONTRACT WITH KA LIMA O MAUI DUE TO INCREASE IN THE PAY RATE AND AGAIN, WE HAVE REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE ADMINISTRATION IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS. MAHALO, CHAIR. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION, MEMBERS, ON THE SECOND RESOLUTION? IF NOT, ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE ADOPTING BOTH RESOLUTIONS RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> AYE.\r\n\r\n>> EIGHT AYES. >> HAS MR. JOHNSON LEFT THE CALL FOR THE DAY? OR JUST FOR THIS ITEM? I'M GOING TO KEEP CALLING HIS NAME THEN, BECAUSE I DON'T KNOW. >> CHAIR, HE WROTE INTO THE CHAT THAT "I HAVE TO LEAVE THE MEETING NOW." I GUESS IT'S THE MEETING. >> ALL RIGHT.\r\n\r\nEIGHT AYES, ONE EXCUSED. ZERO NOS, MOTION CARRIES. MADAM CLERK. >> TO YOUR GOVERNMENT RELATIONS, ETHICS, AND TRANSPARENCY COMMITTEE, RESOLUTION 22-2330 EP TITLED, "AMENDING THE RULES OF THE COUNCIL AND RESOLUTION 22-231 ENTITLED, "APPOINTMENT OF A MEMBER TO THE SOUTH MAUI ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO THE MAUI PLANNING COMMISSION FOR THE COUNTY OF MAUI." >> ANY OBJECTIONS, MEMBERS TO THESE REFERRALS? >> NO OBJECTIONS. >> NO OBJECTIONS -- YOU HAVE A QUESTION? >> CAN WE TAKE A QUICK BREAK?\r\n\r\n>> OKAY. CAN WE WAIT UNTIL WE TAKE THE VOTE FIRST ON THIS ONE? THEY ARE JUST REFERRALS, BUT WE CAN JUST COMPLETE THEM. >> NO OBJECTIONS. >> NO OBJECTIONS TO REFERRING THE ITEMS. VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR.\r\n\r\nFOR RESOLUTION 22-230 AMENDING THE RULES OF THE COUNCIL. THAT WAS INTRODUCED BY MEMBER SUGIMURA. IT'S A REAL SHORT AMENDMENT THAT PROPOSES TO REQUIRE TAKING TESTIMONY AT THE BEGINNING OF THE MEETING. IT WAS THE INTENTION TO BE SENT TO COMMITTEE, OR WE TAKE THAT UP NOW? I WOULD SUPPORT TAKING THAT UP NOW. >> HER INTENTION WAS TO SENT IT TO COMMITTEE. >> TO DISCUSS WITH CHAIR LEE'S BILL TO BE COMPREHENSIVE.\r\n\r\nBECAUSE YOURS WAS SENT TO THE GREAT COMMITTEE? >> YES. >> IT'S THE SAME SUBJECT. >> MAHALO, MEMBER SUGIMURA. >> CHAIR LEE'S PROPOSAL IS MUCH MORE EXTENSIVE. IT HAS A LOT MORE AMENDMENTS THAN YOURS DOES. YOURS IS JUST THAT ONE PART, WHICH IS TO TAKE TESTIMONY IN THE BEGINNING OF THE MEETING LIKE THE TESTIFIERS HAVE BEEN ASKING US.\r\n\r\n>> I THINK SHE KNOWS THAT. DIDN'T YOU ASK ME TO REFER

THIS TO THE GREAT COMMITTEE? OKAY. THAT IS HER PREFERENCE. >> I APPRECIATE THAT, KEANI. I THINK WE SHOULD TALK ABOUT IT IN GREAT COMMITTEE. >> MAHALO.\r\n\r\nIT BELONGS TO THE BODY NOW. SO IF THERE'S SUPPORT TO TAKE IT UP NOW, I SUPPORT TAKING IT NOW. I WOULD LIKE IT ADOPT IT NOW. I DON'T REALLY SEE A REASON TO WAIT. I MOVE TO ADOPT RESOLUTION 22-230. >> IS THERE A SECOND? >> SECOND. >> THERE IS NO SECOND?\r\n\r\nOKAY, MEMBER SINENCI. YOU HAVE THE FLOOR FOR DISCUSSION? >> MAHALO, CHAIR. MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC HAVE BEEN CONSISTENTLY ASKING US TO TAKE TESTIMONY AT THE BEGINNING OF THE MEETING ON ALL ITEMS. AND I DON'T SEE ANY REASON WE HAVE BEEN DISCUSSING THIS A LOT. SO I WON'T GO OVER A MINUTE, BECAUSE WE HAVE TALKED ABOUT IT A LOT FOR THE PAST FEW MONTHS. BUT I DON'T SEE ANY REASON TO WAIT.\r\n\r\nBECAUSE I SUPPORT DOING THAT NOW. MAHALO, CHAIR. >> ANYBODY ELSE? MEMBER SINENCI, WOULD YOU LIKE TO COMMENT? >> I THINK I'M SUPPORTING IT, CHAIR, BECAUSE EVERYBODY WHO HAS COME TO THE CHAMBER, INSTEAD OF THEM HAVING TO WAIT UNTIL THE ITEM COMES UP. I LIKE THAT WE'VE HAVING THE MEETINGS IN THE CHAMBER AND THAT THEY CAN GO AHEAD AND TESTIFY, AND THEN GO TO WORK AFTERWARDS. >> OKAY.\r\n\r\nANYBODY ELSE? ROLL CALL. THIS IS GOING TO BE DISCUSSED IN DETAIL IN THE GREAT COMMITTEE. >> ROLL CALL COUNCIL MEMBER SHANE SINENCI? >> AYE. >> COUNCIL MEMBER MIKE MOLINA? >> MADAM CHAIR, I APOLOGIZE, BEFORE THE VOTE, CAN I JUST ASK MEMBER SUGIMURA TO PROVIDE A LITTLE BIT MORE DETAIL?\r\n\r\n>> YES. THANK YOU FOR ASKING, MEMBER MOLINA. I CAME UP WITH THIS, BECAUSE OF THE DISCUSSION THAT WE HAVE BEEN HEARING FROM ALBERT PEREZ, AND OTHERS, ABOUT WANTING TO TESTIFY IN THE BEGINNING, AND HAVE THAT OPTION. AS WELL AS WHAT IS BY LAW? AND I DID TALK TO THE CHAIR ABOUT THIS, BECAUSE IT AFFECTS HER COMMITTEE -- AFFECTS THE COUNCIL, AND SHE DID TELL ME THAT SHE IS PULLING BACK THE HSAC BILL SO WE COULD HAVE A GREATER DISCUSSION. TO ME, IT BELONGS TOGETHER. IF THIS BODY DOESN'T WANT TO, THAT IS FINE TOO, BUT I THINK IT BELONGS TOGETHER WHEN WE TALK ABOUT IT IN MEMBER MOLINA'S COMMITTEE TO LOOK AT IT COMPREHENSIVELY.\r\n\r\nIT'S SISTERS. >> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR. I WAS GOING TO ACT ON IT. OUT OF RESPECT FOR YOUR CONCERNS AND THAT YOU HAVE SO MANY DIFFERENT ITEMS, I'M WILLING TO PUT IT INTO COMMITTEE AND PUT IT ON MY DOCKET AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. >> THANK YOU. >> SO I GUESS THE VOTE RIGHT NOW IS TO ACT ON IT, WITH NO DISRESPECT, I WILL NOT SUPPORT ACTING ON IT TODAY. THANK YOU.\r\n\r\n>> ROLL CALL, WE'RE IN ROLL CALL. >> KELLY T. KING? >> EXCUSED. >> GABE JOHNSON? >> EXCUSED. >> COUNCIL MEMBER TAMARA PALTIN. >> AYE.\r\n\r\n>> COUNCIL MEMBER YUKI LEI SUGIMURA. >> NO. >> COUNCIL PRO TEM TASHA KAMA. >> NO. >> COUNCIL VICE-CHAIR KEANI RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ? >> AYE. >> AND COUNCIL CHAIR ALICE L. LEE?\r\n\r\n>> NO. >> THAT IS THREE AYES, FOUR NOS, AND TWO EXCUSED. MOTION FAILS. ANY OBJECTIONS TO REFERRING THIS AS MENTIONED EARLIER TO THE GREAT COMMITTEE? >> NO. >> SO MOVING ON. MADAM CLERK >> MOVING FORWARD WITH RESOLUTION 22-232, ENTITLED, "URGING THE COUNTY OF MAUI AND ITS TOURISM INDUSTRY TO ADOPT SUSTAINABLE TOURISM PRACTICES AND CERTIFICATION." >> OKAY.\r\n\r\nANY OBJECTIONS TO REFERRING THIS TO THE CARE COMMITTEE? >> NO OBJECTIONS. >> THANK YOU. >> I WAS HOPING TO -- I THINK MEMBER MOLINA -- >> NO OBJECTIONS. SO ORDERED. NEXT ITEM. >> RESOLUTION 22-233, ENTITLED, "REITERATING SUPPORT FOR THE VITAL ROLE OF THE FREE PRESS AND THE RIGHTS OF MAUI COUNTY WORKERS EMPLOYED AT THE LOCAL DAILY NEWSPAPER." >> MEMBER SUGIMURA.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU VERY MUCH. I WOULD REQUEST THAT WE TAKE THIS UP AS YOU HEARD FROM TESTIMONY. >> MAKE A MOTION. >> I MAKE A MOTION TO DISCHARGE COMMITTEE REFERRAL. >> SECOND. >> MOVED BY MEMBER SUGIMURA. SECONDED BY VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ TO DISCHARGE THIS

ITEM.\r\n\r\nYOUR DISCUSSION, MEMBER SUGIMURA. >> I THINK WE HEARD FROM THE MANY EMPLOYEES THAT CAME TO TESTIFY TODAY ABOUT THE URGENCY AND THE NEED FOR THEM TO HAVE SUPPORT FROM THE COMMUNITY. AND WHO THEY REALLY REPRESENT IS US, AND THEY NEED US AT THIS TIME. SO I WOULD LIKE TO TAKE THIS UP. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION? ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE DISCHARGE, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE.\r\n\r\n>> AYE. >> EIGHT AYES, ZERO NOS, ONE EXCUSED, MOTION CARRIES. MEMBER SUGIMURA. >> I WOULD RECOMMEND WAIVING COMMITTEE REPORT. >> WAIVE RULE 7G. >> SECOND. >> MOVED BY MEMBER SUGIMURA, SECONDED BY PRO TEM KAMA TO WAIVE THE COMMITTEE REPORT FOR THIS ITEM. DISCUSSION?\r\n\r\n>> CHAIR? >> POINT OF ORDER? >> YES. >> THIS IS -- I WAS JUST CURIOUS WHY WE NEED TO DISCHARGE, BECAUSE IT HASN'T BEEN SENT TO COMMITTEE YET AND WHY WE NEED TO WAIVE SINCE IT DOESN'T HAVE THE FORCE AND EFFECT OF LAW. COULD YOU ASK MR. RAATZ. >> THAT IS WHAT IS IN HER NOTES, THAT WAS PREPARED BY STAFF.\r\n\r\nEITHER SHELLY OR DAVID. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. COUNCIL MEMBER KING'S POINTS ARE APT. THE BODY CAN ACT ON THIS RESOLUTION WITHOUT A WAIVER OF COMMITTEE REFERRAL, BECAUSE IT DOES NOT HAVE THE FORCE AND, EFFECT OF LAW. THANK YOU. >> THANK YOU FOR POINTING THAT OUT. >> THANK YOU, MEMBER KING.\r\n\r\nWHAT IS THE MOTION? >> SO NOW YOU ARE MOVING TO ADOPT THE MOTION. >> JUST GO STRAIGHT TO IT? >> POINT OF ORDER? >> YES. >> WE SHOULD EITHER TAKE A VOTE, OR WITHDRAW THE MOTION, SO WE CAN DISPOSE THE LIVE MOTION ON THE FLOOR. >> OH, YOU MEAN OF THE WAIVER?\r\n\r\n>> WITHDRAW THE MOTION. >> SHE IS WITHDRAWING THE MOTION. GET RID OF THE LIVE MOTION. >> DAVID, CLARIFICATION? >> CHAIR, WE ALREADY VOTED ON THE DISCHARGE. THE SECOND MOTION WAS FOR THE WAIVER OF RULE 7G OF THE RULES OF THE COUNCIL. SO THAT WAS THE MOTION ON THE FLOOR, AND THAT WAS WHAT MEMBER SUGIMURA WITHDRAWN.\r\n\r\n>> DIDN'T WE JUST COULD THAT? WE DID; RIGHT? SHE WITHDREW THAT. IS THERE ANYTHING ELSE, DAVID? ANYTHING ELSE WE SHOULD BE CONCERNED ABOUT? >> I DON'T BELIEVE SO, CHAIR. THANK YOU.\r\n\r\n>> SO WE CAN JUST MOVE. >> TO PASS THE RESOLUTION. >> ADOPT THE RESOLUTION; RIGHT? OKAY. >> THANK YOU, MEMBERS. SO I MOVE -- >> MOTION. >> LET ME READ THIS.\r\n\r\n>> SAY I I MOVE TO PASS RESOLUTION 22-233 REIT RAGE THE SUPPORT FOR THE VITAL ROLE OF THE FREE PRESS AND THE RIGHTS THE MAUI COUNTY WORKERS EMPLOYED AT THE LOCAL DAILY NEWSPAPER. >> SECOND. >> THANK YOU. >> MONDAY BY MEMBER SUGIMURA AND SECONDED BY VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ TO ADOPT RESOLUTION 22-233. DISCUSSION, MEMBER SUGIMURA. >> BEFORE WE GO INTO THAT, I WANT TO AMEND THE TITLE OF THE RESOLUTION TO READ," REITERATING SUPPORT FOR THE VITAL ROLE OF THE FREE PRESS, AND THE RIGHTS OF -- DELETE "ON" MAUI COUNTY WORKERS EMPLOYED AT THE LOCAL DAILY NEWSPAPER." SO ADD THE WORD "OF." >> THAT WAS KIND OF HOUSEKEEPING. THAT WOULD BE AN AMENDMENT. WHO SECONDED IT?\r\n\r\n>> SECOND. >> OKAY. VICE-CHAIR -- NOT VICE-CHAIR. MEMBER TAMARA PALTIN SECONDED THE AMENDMENT. ANY MORE DISCUSSION? >> I THINK WE HEARD FROM SOME EMPLOYEES FROM THE MAUI NEWS. >> ALL RIGHT.\r\n\r\nALL THOSE IN FAVOR THE MOTION, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> EIGHT AYES, ONE EXCUSED. MOTION CARRIES. SO NOW WE'RE AT THE MAIN MOTION AS AMENDED. DISCUSSION? >> THANK YOU VERY MUCH, MEMBERS, FOR ALLOWING THIS RESOLUTION TO PASS TODAY.\r\n\r\nI THINK WE HEARD FROM THE MANY EMPLOYEES, WHICH I THINK YOU WOULD THINK THEY ARE FRIENDS BECAUSE WE READ THEIR NAMES IN THE MAUI NEWS OVER AND OVER AND OVER AND FOR THE VITAL ROLE THAT I FEEL THEY PLAY IN OUR COMMUNITY, AND THE DEPTH OF OUR COMMUNITY. SO I WOULD APPRECIATE ALL OF YOU SUPPORTING IT. I THINK YOU WILL. AND I DID THIS SIMILAR RESOLUTION TWO YEARS AGO, AND THEY STILL HAVEN'T HELPED OUR PEOPLE. I DON'T KNOW HOW WE CAN HELP MORE THAN THIS? SO PLEASE EXPRESS YOUR SUPPORT. I KNOW YOU ALL FEEL THE SAME FOR THE

EMPLOYEES, FOR FAIRNESS.\r\n\r\nTHEY SHOULD HAVE SOLD THEIR BUILDING TO US IF THEY NEEDED MONEY. >> OKAY. >> THAT IS NOT ON THE AGENDA. >> ANYBODY ELSE? MEMBER KING. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. YOU KNOW, I THINK IT'S REALLY IMPORTANT TO HAVE A LOCAL PAPER.\r\n\r\nWE HAVEN'T HAD A LOCAL PAPER FOR A LONG TIME, BECAUSE IT'S BEEN OWNED BY OGDEN FOR A LONG TIME. I DON'T KNOW HOW WE RECTIFY THAT? GET SOMEBODY LOCAL TO BUY THE PAPER? I CERTAINLY SUPPORT BETTER CONDITIONS FOR OUR LOCAL WORKERS, AND I JUST WANTED TO SAY THAT SINCE THE 1990S WHEN I SERVED ON THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION, WE WERE TOLD BACK THEN THE PAPER WAS STARTING TO SHRINK, THE BEST WAY TO GET AN ARTICLE IN THE PAPER WAS TO WRITE IT YOURSELF. I WANT TO A WORKSHOP AND THAT IS WHAT WE WERE TOLD. SO WE HAVE NOT HAD A LOT OF GOOD INVESTIGATIVE REPORTING AND WE NEED TO GET BACK TO THAT LOCALLY, SO THE ARTICLES COME FROM WRITERS ON THE MAUI NEWS, AND NOT FROM CONTRIBUTORS, WHO HAVE A CERTAIN POINT OF VIEW. THIS HAS BEEN -- THAT IS WHY I ASKED THAT QUESTION.\r\n\r\nTHIS IS A LONG-STANDING PROBLEM WITH OUR LOCAL PAPER AND IT GOT WORSE WHEN IT WAS PURCHASED BY A MAINLAND OPERATION. I DON'T KNOW WHAT THE ANSWER IS? I THINK THAT A QUESTION THAT MEMBER KAMA WAS TRYING TO GET TO. I'M A BIG FAN OF LOCALLY-OWNED LOCAL PAPERS AS WELL. SO I JUST WANTED TO POINT OUT THAT MAY BE THE CRUX OF THE PROBLEM THAT WE'RE LOOKING AT. CERTAINLY WE DO ALL SUPPORT THE FOLKS WHO LIVE HERE AND WORK FOR OUR LOCAL COMPANIES. THANK YOU.\r\n\r\n>> ANY MORE DISCUSSION? VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. MAHALO, MEMBER SUGIMURA FOR INTRODUCING THIS RESOLUTION. I WHOLE-HEARTEDLY SUPPORT IT. AS WE HAVE HEARD IN TESTIMONY, AND AS THE RESOLUTION ITSELF STATES THAT DEMOCRACY DEPENDS ON A FREE PRESS. THEY ARE OFTEN REFERRED TO AS THE FOURTH BRANCH OF GOVERNMENT.\r\n\r\nWE NEED THE PRESS TO HOLD THE GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABLE AND WE ALSO NEED THE PRESS TO SHARE IN OUR COMMUNITY CELEBRATIONS, AND SUCCESSES, TRAGEDIES, YOU KNOW? AS MEMBER KAMA STATED, THEY ARE WRITING THE HISTORY OF MAUI COUNTY. SO THAT IS ALSO A VERY VITAL ROLE. I WISH WE COULD DO MORE, AND PERHAPS WE CAN CONTINUE EXPLORING THAT? MAHALO, CHAIR. >> ANYBODY ELSE? MEMBER SUGIMURA.\r\n\r\n>> MY FINAL, I PROMISE. SO THE BE IT RESOLVED, WE'RE SENDING THIS COPY TO OUR CONGRESSIONAL TEAM BECAUSE THERE'S A FEDERAL LEGISLATION ABOUT SMALL PAPERS LIKE THIS AND THE STRUGGLES THAT THEY ARE HAVING NATIONWIDE. SO I WANT TO ADD THIS TO OUR CONGRESSIONAL TEAM. SO THEY UNDERSTAND THAT WE NEED THEIR HELP; IF THEY CAN. THANK YOU. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION? PRO TEM KAMA.\r\n\r\n>> SO MY UNDERSTANDING THAT THE DISCUSSIONS WITH OUR TESTIFIERS AND WE'RE DOING IT ON THE FLOOR NOW, THAT WE NEED SOMEBODY TO BUY IT. AND THEN BE ABLE TO REPORT ON THE NEWS THE WAY WE SEE IT, THE WAY WE BELIEVE A COMMUNITY NEWSPAPER SHOULD BE DOING THE NEWS, AND IF THERE'S ANYBODY OUT THERE THAT WOULD LIKE TO BUY A NEWSPAPER, CONTACT, WHO ARE THEY NOW? OGDEN. IN WEST VIRGINIA. I THINK, CHAIR, THAT IS REALLY THE CRUX OF THE ISSUE IS THAT WE DON'T OWN IT. WE DON'T OWN IT AND THEREFORE, BECAUSE WE DON'T OWN IT, WE DON'T HAVE CONTROL OVER IT. THAT WAS PART OF THE HSAC DISCUSSION ON OUR LAST DAY WHEN IT CAME TO THE TOURISM ISSUE, WE DON'T OWN IT, BUT WE SHOULD OWN IT AND WE SHOULD TAKE OWNERSHIP OVER IT.\r\n\r\nBUT I DON'T HAVE THE MONEY, BUT THANK YOU, NONETHELESS, CHAIR. >> MEMBER MOLINA HAS THE MONEY. [LAUGHTER] >> NOT ME. THANK YOU, CHAIR, FOR RECOGNIZING ME, I WHOLE-HEARTEDLY SUPPORT THE RESOLUTION. CERTAINLY THERE'S SOMETHING SPECIAL ABOUT THE MAUI NEWS. IT IS TRULY A LOCAL INSTITUTION, AND SYNONYMOUS WITH MAUI COUNTY. YOU KNOW, MADAM CHAIR, YOU KNOW, MANY OF US WHO GREW UP HERE, WE DON'T EVEN USE THE TITLE "MAUI NEWS" TO DESCRIBE SOMEONE OUT IN THE COMMUNITY SPREADING GOSSIP AND IT'S LIKE THE MAUI NEWS, YOU

KNOW?\r\n\r\nIT'S THAT SPECIAL AND INTIMATE AND NO DISRESPECT TO THE OTHER FINE PUBLICATIONS THAT WE HAVE OUT THERE. I THANK MEMBER SUGIMURA FOR THIS RESOLUTION. THERE'S SOMETHING SPECIAL AND HOW MANY PEOPLE WILL SAY, I SAY YOU IN THE MAUI NEWS, OR YOU READ ABOUT YOU IN THE MAUI NEWS? IT'S JUST A SPECIAL MAGIC, IF YOU WILL. I THINK I WENT OVER MY MINUTE. THANK YOU. >> ANYBODY ELSE?\r\n\r\nIF NOT, ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE MOTION, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> EIGHT AYES, ONE EXCUSED, MEMBER JOHNSON, ZERO NOS. MOTION CARRIES. MADAM CLERK. >> CHAIR, ALSO RECOMMENDED FOR REFERRAL TO YOUR GOVERNMENT RELATIONS, ETHICS, AND TRANSPARENCY COMMITTEE IS RESOLUTION 22-234 ENTITLED, "AMENDING THE RULES OF THE COUNCIL IN RESPONSE TO ACT 264 (2022) AMENDING THE STATE SUNSHINE LAW." >> ANY OBJECTIONS TO REFERRING THIS TO THE GREAT COMMITTEE? >> NO OBJECTIONS.\r\n\r\n>> OKAY. SO ORDERED. THE NEXT RESOLUTION. >> OUR FINAL RESOLUTION IS 22-235. ENTITLED, "AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF LAHAINA CROSSROADS APARTMENTS AT 767 LUAKINI STREET, LAHAINA, MAUI, HAWAI'I." >> VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. I MOVE TO WAIVE THE REQUIREMENT OF COMMITTEE REFERRAL AND REPORT FOR RESOLUTION 22-235. IN ACCORDANCE WITH RULE 7G OF THE RULES OF THE COUNCIL. >> SECOND.\r\n\r\n>> MOVED BY VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. SECONDED BY MEMBER KING TO WAIVE THE RULES OF THE COUNCIL REGARDING THIS ITEM. DISCUSSION? VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. MEMBERS, THIS RESOLUTION IS SIMILAR TO RESOLUTION 22-162, WHICH WAS ADOPTED WITH A UNANIMOUS VOTE ON JULY 1ST, 2022, BUT INADVERTENTLY DID NOT MEET WITH THE TMKS ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROPERTY. PASSAGE OF THIS RESOLUTION TODAY WOULD ALLOW THE COUNTY TO PROCEED WITH THE PURCHASE OF THE PROPERTY AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE.\r\n\r\n>> ANY MORE DISCUSSION? NO? OKAY. ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE MOTION, RAISE YOUR HAND? >> AYE. >> EIGHT AYES, ZERO NOS, ONE EXCUSED. MOTION CARRIES.\r\n\r\nVICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR, I MOVE IT ADOPT RESOLUTIONTE-235. >> SECOND. >> MOVED BY VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ, SECOND I BY MEMBER KING TO ADOPT RESOLUTION 22-235. DISCUSSION? VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. MEMBERS, THE PURPOSE OF THIS RESOLUTION IS TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY'S ACQUISITION OF THE LAHAINA CROSSROADS APARTMENTS. RESOLUTION 22-162 INCLUDED TMK 2-4-6-009:058, WHICH IS THE APARTMENT BUILDING, BUT OMITTED THE OTHER TMK, WHICH IS THE PARKING LOT.\r\n\r\nTHE RESOLUTION BEFORE US TODAY WOULD AUTHORIZE THE PURCHASE OF BOTH TMKS. WE DO HAVE REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE ADMINISTRATION IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS. I RESPECTFULLY ASK FOR THE MEMBERS' CONTINUED SUPPORT OF THIS. MAHALO, CHAIR. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION? ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE MOTION, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE.\r\n\r\n>> EIGHT AYES, ZERO NOS, ONE EXCUSED. MOTION CARRIES MEMBERS, WHAT DO YOU WANT TO DO? IT'S ALMOST 4:00? TO YOU WANT TO TAKE A BREAK AND COME BACK? WHAT IS THE PLAN? WE STILL HAVE BILLS AND OTHER BILLS ON SECOND AND FINAL READING. SO IF WE HAVE A MINIMUM TALKING, WE CAN FINISH BY 5:00 PROBABLY. >> CHAIR?\r\n\r\n>> YES. >> WE CURRENTLY HAVE TWO TESTIFIERS SIGNED UP FOR BILLS. >> FOR THESE BILLS AND WHAT ABOUT THE NEXT BILLS? >> SEVERAL TESTIFIERS. >> SEVERAL TESTIFIERS. OKAY. DO YOU WANT TO MOVE ON TO TESTIMONY?\r\n\r\nCALL THE TESTIFIERS. >> CHAIR, PROCEEDING WITH TESTIMONY ON BILLS. FIRST PERSON TO TESTIFY IS LUCIENNE DE NAIE, FOLLOWED BY FAITH CHASE. >> CHAIR? >> YES. >> I THINK I SAW IN THE CHAT BOX A MESSAGE FROM MS. DE NAIE EARLIER THAT SHE COULDN'T REMAIN ON THE CALL.\r\n\r\nTHERE'S A FEW PEOPLE THAT DROPPED OFF, BECAUSE THEY COULDN'T STAY. >> OKAY. FAITH CHASE. >> FAITH CHASE. >> FAITH CHASE. >> LET'S MOVE ON. ANYBODY ELSE?\r\n\r\n>> MS. CHASE IS THE LAST. >> DO YOU SEE HER ON THE CALL? >> SHE JUST DROPPED OFF THE TESTIFIER LIST. >>

ALL RIGHT. MAKE ONE LAST CALL. >> FINAL CALL FOR TESTIMONY ON AGENDA ITEM M "BILLS." >> ANY OBJECTIONS TO CLOSING PUBLIC TESTIMONY AND ACCEPTING WRITTEN TESTIMONY FOR BILLS?\r\n\r\n>> ONE TESTIFIER. >> ONE TESTIFIER, JC. >> J.C. LAU, KULA. I WANTED TO CORRECT WHAT I SAY ABOUT COUNCILOR YUKI LEI, SHE IS A CONSERVATIVE DEMOCRAT. I THINK WE SHOULD SEND HER TO WEST VIRGINIA TO TALK TO THOSE GUYS AND SEE WHAT SHE CAN DO. IN KULA, FOUR, FIVE YEARS AGO WHEN I WAS ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE MEETINGS AT THE KULA ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH AND IT WAS SUGGESTED INSTALLING L.E.D. LIGHTING AROUND THE HOLY GHOST SANCTUARY, BECAUSE WAS A FREE PROGRAM BY THE GOVERNMENT AND TO MY KNOWLEDGE HE NEVER ASKED THE OTHER PARISHIONERS AND IT WAS NEAT TO SEE THE LIGHT AGAINST THE STARS. >> THANK YOU.\r\n\r\n>> ANY OBJECTIONS TO CLOSING PUBLIC TESTIMONY AND ACCEPTING WRITTEN TESTIMONY FOR AGENDA SECTION M. >> NO OBJECTION. >> SO ORDERED. MADAM CLERK. >> DO YOU WANT TO GO THROUGH THE BILLS, CHAIR? >> YES. BILL 118. >> PROCEEDING WITH BILLS. BILL 118 (2022) ENTITLED, "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI TO ENTER INTO AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT WITH THE U.S.G.S. PACIFIC ISLANDS WATER SCIENCE CENTER, UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, COOPERATIVE WATER RESOURCE MONITORING PROGRAM.\r\n\r\n>> MR. MOLINA. >> THANK YOU. >> MADAM CHAIR, MOVE TO DISCHARGE THE GREAT COMMITTEE FROM FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF THE BILL. >> MOVED BY MEMBER MOLINA AND SECONDED BY MEMBER SUGIMURA TO DISCHARGE THIS ITEM FROM THE COMMITTEE REGARDING BILL 118. DISCUSSION, MEMBER MOLINA. >> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR. THE AGREEMENT PERIOD BEGAN OCTOBER 1ST, 2022. SO IT'S IMPORTANT THAT WE TAKE ACTION ON THIS BILL AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION? IF NOT, ALL THOSE IN FAVOR, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> AYE. >> WE HAVE SEVEN AYES, TWO EXCUSED, EXCUSED ARE MEMBERS TASHA KAMA AND GABE JOHNSON. MEMBER MOLINA.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR. MOVE TO WAIVE THE REQUIREMENT OF COMMITTEE REFERRAL AND REPORT FOR BILL 118 (2022) IN ACCORDANCE WITH RULE 7G OF THE RULES OF THE COUNCIL. >> MOVED BY COUNCIL MOLINA AND SECONDED BY MEMBER SUGIMURA TO WAIVE THE RULES OF THE COUNCIL. FURTHER DISCUSSION, MR. MOLINA. >> MADAM CHAIR, DISCHARGE THIS MATTER, IT'S A TIME-SENSITIVE MATTER, WHICH IS WHY WE WOULD LIKE TO ACT ON THIS TODAY, IF POSSIBLE. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION?\r\n\r\nIF NOT, ALL THOSE IN FAVOR. >> AYE. >> TWO EXCUSED ARE MEMBER KAMA AND MEMBER JOHNSON. MEMBER MOLINA. >> MOVE TO PASS THE BILL ON FIRST READING. MOVED AND SECONDED TO PASS BILL 118 ON FIRST READING. DISCUSSION, MEMBER MOLINA.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR. YOUR GREAT COMMITTEE RECEIVED AN OVERVIEW FROM THE BILL FROM THE PROGRAM MANAGER DURING THE OCTOBER 4TH MEETING, AS DISCUSSED BILL 118'S PURPOSE IS TO AUTHORIZE THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A JOINT FUNDING AGREEMENT WITH THE U.S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY PACIFIC ISLANDS WATER SCIENCE CENTER, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR AND FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY TO CONTINUE IT'S MONITORING PROGRAM AND THE AGREEMENT PERIOD FROM OCTOBER 1ST, 2022 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 2023 AND TOTAL COST OF THE AGREEMENT IS \$174,584 OF WHICH \$139,153 WOULD BE CONTRIBUTED BY THE COUNTY, \$35,431 WOULD BE CONTRIBUTED BY THE USGS AND FOR THE MEMBERS' SUPPORT. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION? ALL IN FAVOR, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE. >> AYE. >> SEVEN AYES, TWO EXCUSED, MOTION CARRIES. EXCUSEREADY PRO TEM KAMA AND MEMBER JOHNSON.\r\n\r\nDO YOU WANT A RECESS NOW? TEN MINUTES. LET'S MAKE IT 12. ANY OBJECTIONS? RECESS. [GAVEL] [GAVEL] >> WILL THE MAUI COUNTY COUNCIL OCTOBER 7TH, 2022 MEETING PLEASE RECONVENE. MADAM CLERK, LET'S PICK UP WHERE WE LEFT OFF -- MY GOAL IS TO END BY 5:00 TODAY. AND TO RECONVENE ON MONDAY, AT 9:00 A.M. WE'RE ANTICIPATING A LOT OF TESTIMONY ON MONDAY.\r\n\r\nSO SOME

OBJECTIONS. >> SO ORDERED. THANK YOU. NEXT. >> TO YOUR AFFORDABLE HOUSING COMMITTEE ON BILL IS 147 (2022) ENTITLED, "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 5315, RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL WORKFORCE HOUSING POLICY APPLICANT SELECTION PRIORITY." >> ANY OBJECTIONS TO REFERRING THIS BILL 147 TO THE AFFORDABLE HOUSING COMMITTEE?\r\n\r\n>> NO OBJECTIONS. >> SO ORDERED. NEXT. >> TO YOUR BUDGET, FINANCE, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE, BILL 148 (2022) ENTITLED, "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE FISCAL YEAR 2023 BUDGET FOR THE COUNTY OF MAUI AS IT PERTAINS TO APPENDIX A, PART 1, GRANTS AND RESTRICTED USE REVENUES, SCHEDULE OF GRANTS AND RESTRICTED USE REVENUES BY DEPARTMENTS AND PROGRAMS, DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND HUMAN CONCERNS, HOME AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN HOME-ARP PROGRAM." >> VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ, ARE YOU TAKING ACTION ON THIS ONE? >> I INTEND TO. >> OKAY. >> I MOVE TO WAIVE THE REQUIREMENT OF COMMITTEE REFERRAL AND REPORT IN ACCORDANCE WITH RULE 7G OF THE RULES OF THE COUNCIL.\r\n\r\n>> SECOND SOMEBODY. >> SECOND. >> MOVED BY VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. SECONDED BY PRO TEM KAMA TO WAIVE THE RULES OF THE COUNCIL REGARDING BILL 148. DISCUSSION, VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. MEMBERS, THIS AMENDMENT ADDS NEW GRANT FUNDING FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND HUMAN CONCERNS, ADDED TO THE FISCAL YEAR THE BUDGET, THE SOONER THE PROGRAM CAN BEGIN. >> ANY MORE DISCUSSION?\r\n\r\nOTHERWISE, ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE MOTION, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> EIGHT AYES, ZERO NOS, ONE EXCUSED, MEMBER JOHNSON. MOTION CARRIES. VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. I MOVE TO PASS BILL 148 (2022). >> MOVED BY VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ.\r\n\r\nSECONDED BY PRO TEM KAMA TO PASS BILL 148 ON FIRST READING. DISCUSSION, VICE-CHAIR RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ. >> MAHALO, CHAIR. MEMBERS, THE PURPOSE OF THIS BILL IS TO AMEND THE FISCAL YEAR 2023 BUDGET APPENDIX A, TO ADD A NEW GRANT UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND HUMAN CONCERNS ENTITLED, "HOME AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN." HOME-ARP PROGRAM IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,977,516, \$30,000 IS ALLOWED FOR ADMINISTRATIVE COST AND GRANT FUNDS WILL BE USED FOR ELIGIBLE HOUSING PROJECTS BASED ON EVALUATIONS OF PROJECTS BEING DONE TO DETERMINE WHICH DEVELOPER WOULD GET THESE HOME-ARP FUNDS. THE FUNDS CAN ONLY BE USED FOR UNITS THAT WOULD SERVE HOUSEHOLDS AT A LOWER AREA MEDIAN INCOME. WE DO HAVE REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE ADMINISTRATION THAT ARE AVAILABLE TO ANSWER QUESTIONS. AND I DID RECEIVE SOME QUESTIONS ABOUT THE USE OF THE FUNDS, AND GOT SOME INFORMATION FROM THE DIRECTOR THAT THE STATE HHFDC, THE AGENCY THAT IS PASS-THROUGH FOR THESE FEDERAL FUNDS.\r\n\r\nHHFDC WRITES THE FORMS FOR THE SISTER ISLANDS. BASED ON AN AMENDMENT TO THE PLAN BY HHFDC OUR COUNTY IS TIED INTO THE USES IDENTIFIED BY THE STATE PLAN. HHFDC PLAN LIMITS HOME-ARP, OR ARP, SORRY, PROGRAM FUNDS TO ACQUISITION, PRODUCTION, OR REHABILITATION OF AFFORDABLE HOUSING. THE PLAN ALSO REQUIRES A COMPETITIVE PROCESS SUCH AS AN RFP. AND UNFORTUNATELY, THE COUNTY DOES NOT HAVE THE OPTION TO DEVIATE FROM THE STATE'S PLAN. SO THAT'S WHY THE PROGRAM IS THE WAY IT IS. MAHALO, CHAIR.\r\n\r\nAND MAHALO, DIRECTOR TSUHAKO. >> MEMBER PALTIN. >> I HAD A QUESTION FOR THE ADMINISTRATE; I DON'T KNOW IF IT'S DIRECTOR TSUHAKO OR DIRECTOR YOSHIMURA? >> I SEE HER ON THE CALL, DIRECTOR TSUHAKO. >> THANK YOU. IS THIS THE -- THIS IS SEPARATE FROM THE \$8 MILLION FEDERAL ONE? , OR DID WE JUST GET A LOWER AMOUNT.\r\n\r\n>> COUNCIL MEMBER PALTIN, THIS IS A SEPARATE ALLOCATION. THIS IS SPECIFICALLY FOR THE HOME INVESTMENT PROGRAM. NORMALLY THAT ALLOCATION IS ROTATED AMONG THE THREE OTHER ISLAND COUNTIES. SO WE GET IT EVERY THIRD YEAR, SUPPLEMENTAL FUNDING TO THAT. SO THAT IS WHY THE HHFDC HAD TO DO TO THEIR ALLOCATION PLAN FOR THE THREE

OUTER ISLAND COUNTIES AND LIMITED THE APPLICABLE USES. IN ADDITION IT'S NOT A REPLACEMENT. >> WERE WE IN OUR YEAR OR ROTATION TO A DIFFERENT?\r\n\r\n>> I BELIEVE WE'LL GET THE FUNDING NEXT YEAR. SO EVERY THIRD YEAR ROTATION. SO THIS IS IN ADDITION TO THAT. THE FUNDING IS PART OF WHAT IS BEING MADE AVAILABLE THROUGH THE HOUSING DIVISION'S PROCUREMENT FOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING FUND. SO THE STRATEGY WITH THAT IS TO PAIR OUR COUNTY AFFORDABLE HOUSING FUNDS WITH THE AVAILABILITY OF THESE FEDERAL FUNDS TO ENCOURAGE THE DEVELOPERS TO ACTUALLY BUILD MORE UNITS THAT WOULD BE LIMITED IN ELIGIBILITY TO PEOPLE WHO MAKE LESS MONEY. >> THANK YOU. >> ANY MORE QUESTIONS, COMMENTS?\r\n\r\nDIRECTOR, THE HOME INVESTMENT PROGRAM IS THAT FOR RENTALS? >> YES, IT IS. IT'S LARGELY FOR RENTALS BECAUSE OF THE AMIS THAT ARE LIMITED TO IT. USUALLY IT'S BETWEEN 60% AND BELOW. SO MOST OF THE FOLKS WHO QUALIFY FOR THAT ARE RENTING AND NOT PURCHASING. >> THANK YOU. MEMBERS, READY TO VOTE?\r\n\r\nALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF THE MOTION, RAISE YOUR HAND AND SAY AYE? >> AYE. >> EIGHT AYES, ZEROS NO, ONE EXCUSED, MOTION CARRIES. MEMBER JOHNSON. THANK YOU, DIRECTOR. MADAM CLERK. >> NEXT UP IS BILL 149 (2022) ENTITLED, "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 3.48 MAUI COUNTY CODE RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTIONS FOR OWNERS OF AFFORDABLE HOMES." >> ARE THESE FOR REFERRAL.\r\n\r\n>> BILL 150 (2022) ENTITLED, "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 3, MAUI COUNTY CODE RELATING TO THE ESTABLISH OF PARKING REVENUE FUND. >> ANY OBJECTIONS TO REFERRING TO THE I.T. COMMITTEE. >> IT SAYS BFED. >> I SHUT IT WAS ABOVE. WE'RE TALKING ABOUT 149 AND 150 TO THE BUDGET, FINANCE, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE. NO OBJECTIONS; RIGHT? >> I WANT 150, DID YOU SAY 150 ALSO?\r\n\r\nI WANT 150, PARKING REVENUE FUND; RIGHT? I HAVE BEEN HEARING THE PARK MAUI IN MY COMMITTEE. >> CHAIR? IT'S A FUND, IT'S A REVOLVING FUND, SO IT WILL GO TO BUDGET COMMITTEE. THE SUBJECT-MATTER OF THE PARK MAUI WOULD BE IN I.T.. THERE'S THAT PRESENTATION, AND SHE CAN TALK ABOUT, BUT IT'S A REVOLVING FUND. SO IT WOULD GO TO BUDGET. >> SO 151 WILL COME TO MY COMMITTEE?\r\n\r\n>> YES. TO YOUR INFRASTRUCTURE AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE, BILL 151 (2022) ENTITLED, "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 10, MAUI COUNTY CODE RELATING TO IMPLEMENTATION OF A PARKING AMBASSADOR PROGRAM TO ENFORCE COUNTY AND STATE-COUNTY PARKING RULE RULES AND LAWS, A PAID PARKING SYSTEM AND PERMIT PARKING ZONES." >> ANY OBJECTION TO THIS MATTER GOING TO THE I.T. COMMITTEE? >> NO OBJECTIONS. >> SO ORDERED. >> TO YOUR BUDGET, FINANCE, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE, BILL 152 (2022) ENTITLED, "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING APPENDIX A OF THE FISCAL YEAR 2023 BUDGET FOR THE COUNTY OF MAUI AS IT PERTAINS TO PART II SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUES, SCHEDULE OF REVOLVING/SPECIAL FUNDS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2023, AFFORDABLE HOUSING FUND PULELEHUA AFFORDABLE HOUSING PROJECT." >> IS ACTION GOING TO BE TAKEN ON THIS ITEM? I HAVE HERE "ACTION MAY BE REQUESTED ON THIS ITEM." WELL, LET'S JUST SKIP OVER THIS ONE AND GO TO 153. >> TO YOUR CLIMATE ACTION, RESILIENCE, AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE, BILL 153 (2022) ENTITLED, "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE REPEALING CHAPTER 16.16B MAUI COUNTY CODE AND ESTABLISHING A NEW CHAPTER 16.16C, MAUI COUNTY CODE, RELATING TO THE ENERGY CODE." >> MEMBERS, ANY OBJECTION TO THIS ITEM GOING TO THE CLIMATE COMMITTEE, CARE COMMITTEE? NO.\r\n\r\n>> NO OBJECTIONS. >> OKAY, SO ON BILL 152, SINCE THE VICE-CHAIR IS NOT HERE, DOES ANYBODY KNOW WHAT THE PLAN WAS FOR THIS ONE? JUST REFER IT FOR NOW. >> IT'S THE LAST ONE FOR TODAY. >> HERE SHE IS. >> IS THAT A QUESTION? >> YES.\r\n\r\nANY OBJECTIONS TO REFERRING THIS MATTER TO THE BFED COMMITTEE? >> NO OBJECTIONS. >> SO ORDERED. ALL RIGHT MEMBERS, WE'RE SHOOTING FOR 5:00. BUT WE FINISHED THE BILLS, AND NOW WE'RE ON SECOND AND

FINAL. SO I'M LOOKING AT THE POSSIBILITY OF RECESSING UNTIL MONDAY AT 9:00 A.M., WHERE WE WOULD BEGIN TO TAKE TESTIMONY ON THE SECOND AND FINAL BILLS, AND THEN BEGIN TO DELIBERATE ON THEM RIGHT AFTER. MEMBER KING? >> I JUST WONDERED SINCE WE HAVE PEOPLE SEE THEM TO HAVE HUNG AROUND THIS LONG, SHOULD WE GO AS MUCH TESTIMONY AS WE CAN GET THROUGH UNTIL 5:00? ONCE WE GET TESTIMONY, THEY WON'T TESTIFY AGAIN ON MONDAY.\r\n\r\n>> THEY CAN, BUT -- >> BECAUSE IT'S RECESSED. SO IF THEY HAVE ALREADY TESTIFIED ON THIS, THEY CAN'T TESTIFY AGAIN. >> WE CAN'T CLOSE TESTIMONY. >> I KNOW, BUT THERE HAS BEEN THAT HAVE BEEN WAITING. >> WHO HAS BEEN WAITING. >> DAVID, DO YOU WANT TO GIVE US THE RULING ON THAT ONE? >> THANK YOU, CHAIR.\r\n\r\nI'M NOT SURE THE QUESTION THAT IS BEING POSED. >> CAN WE TAKE TESTIMONY NOW ON THE BILLS FOR SECOND AND FINAL READING? AND THEN RECESS UNTIL 9:00 A.M. ON MONDAY? AND PEOPLE -- THE SAME PEOPLE TESTIFY AGAIN. >> NO, THAT RECONVENED MEETING ON MONDAY WOULD BE CONSIDERED THE SAME MEETING FOR SUNSHINE LAW PURPOSES AND ANYONE WHO TESTIFIES ON A BILL TODAY WOULD NOT BE ABLE TO TESTIFY AGAIN ON MONDAY ON THE SAME BILL. >> THAT IS WHAT I JUST ASKED. SO YOU ARE SAYING NO, THEY CANNOT TESTIFY.\r\n\r\n>> THAT'S CORRECT. >> OKAY. SOMETIMES WE GET THE RULING YES, THEY CAN, BECAUSE THE TESTIMONY IS STILL OPEN. BUT THEN SOMETIMES WE HAVE TODAY'S INTERPRETATION IS NO. YOU KNOW WHAT? I'M FLEXIBLE. OKAY.\r\n\r\nWE CAN ASK ANYBODY WHO IS READY TO TESTIFY ON THE BILLS FOR SECOND AND FINAL READING, IF WE CAN CALL THEM UP IN A MOMENT. I JUST WANTED TO BE SURE THAT EVERYBODY IS CLEAR THAT THAT IS THE PLAN FOR MONDAY, YES, MEMBER PALTIN? >> SO TO SUMMARIZE, WE'RE NOT CLOSING TESTIMONY AND WE'LL START WITH TESTIMONY AT 9:00, BUT IF YOU TESTIFY NOW, YOU CAN'T TESTIFY ON MONDAY. >> ACCORDING TO DAVID. >> GOT IT. THANKS. >> CHAIR?\r\n\r\n>> YES. >> IF WE COULD JUST MAKE IT TO THE FOLKS WHO HAVE BEEN WAITING THIS LONG, IF YOU WANT TO TESTIFY NOW, YOU CAN TESTIFY. IF YOU WANT TO WAIT UNTIL MONDAY MORNING, YOU CAN WAIT TO MONDAY MORNING. THAT IS THE BEST WAY I THINK TO HONOR THE TIME FOR THE FOLKS WHO HAVE BEEN WAITING THIS LONG. >> YES. I'M JUST GOING TO THAT PAGE. SO PEOPLE STILL ON THE CALL, LISTENING OR WATCHING, WE'RE AT -- WE HAVE JUST FINISHED THE REGULAR BILLS, UNDER "M." THE SO THE NEXT ITEM WILL BE BILLS FOR SECOND AND FINAL READING UNDER "N" AS IN "NANCY." SO ANY OF YOU WHO HAVE SIGNED UP FOR ANY OF THE BILLS, OR ITEMS UNDER "N" SECOND AND FINAL READING, YOU HAVE THE CHOICE OF PROVIDING YOUR TESTIMONY NOW, OR BEGINNING AT 9:00 ON MONDAY.\r\n\r\nBUT IF YOU PROVIDE YOUR TESTIMONY NOW, YOU CAN'T TESTIFY ON THE SAME ITEMS ON MONDAY. MADAM CLERK, CAN YOU CALL UP AND SEE IF THERE'S ANYBODY WISHING TO TESTIFY ON BILLS FOR SECOND AND FINAL READING NOW. >> I'M JUST GOING TO GO THROUGH THE NAMES IN THE ORDER THAT THEY SIGNED UP. FIRST NAME IS JEFF BAGSHAW WITH DOFAW. IF YOU ARE STILL ON THE CALL? >> I AM. ALOHA, MAUI COUNTY COUNCIL.\r\n\r\nI AM JEFF BAGSHAW, FOR THE RECORD. ONCE AGAIN, HERE TO SPEAK IN FAVOR OF BILL 21, NOT JUST MYSELF, BUT FOR MY AGENCY ALSO SUPPORTS THIS, BECAUSE THE DIVISION OF FORESTRY AND WILDLIFE FIRST AND FOREMOST, AS YOU HEARD ME TESTIFY BEFORE AND IN MY WRITTEN COMMENT OUR PRIMARY MISSION IS TO PROVIDE FRESHWATER AND WE DO THAT BEST BY PROTECTING NATIVE SPECIES AND ECOSYSTEMS, NATIVE FORESTS AND SHRUB LANDS AND THOSE FORESTS AND SHRUBS ARE FED BY POOP BY SEABIRDS, TO PUT IT BLUNTLY. WHY THAT IS IMPORTANT? BECAUSE THEY ARE PART OF THE OUR FRESHWATER CHAIN AND VERY IMPORTANT LINK AS I HAVE TESTIFIED BEFORE. WE GET ABOUT 30% OF OUR FRESHWATER FROM THESE CLOUD CAPTURED WITHOUT EVER RAINING. SO IF YOU WANT WATER SECURITY, YOU HAVE GOT TO PROTECT THE SEABIRDS AND THE FOREST. WE CAN'T DO THAT WITHOUT THEM.\r\n\r\nPREVIOUSLY I HAVE SHARED A BACK-OF-THE-ENVELOPE KIND OF

ESTIMATION OF REPLACING THE LABOR OF SEABIRDS ON MAUI AT ABOUT \$11 MILLION ANNUALLY. THEY PROVIDE THAT ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICE FOR US. SO WHILE WE APPRECIATE WHEN PEOPLE SAY THIS IS GOING TO COST MONEY TO CONVERT, YES, IT IS. BUT IT'S TIME TO PAY THE BACK WATER BILL. IT'S TIME TO PAY THE BACK RENT. WE HAVE DEVELOPED LIGHTING OVERUSE ON MAUI TO THE POINT THAT WE HAVE CREATED THE PROBLEM AND WE HAVE TO CORRECT IT. SO THAT WE CAN PROTECT OUR WATER FUTURE.\r\n\r\nTHE OTHER COSTS I CAN'T ESTIMATE ARE THE AMOUNT OF MONEY GENERATED BY TURTLE SOUVENIRS, BECAUSE TURTLES ARE ALSO AFFECTED BY OVERLIGHTING. OF COURSE, ONE HIGHLIGHT I HAVEN'T SHARED BEFORE WHEN I WAS A PARK RANGER AT HALE'AKALA NATIONAL PARK, I KNOW AT THAT TIME THERE WERE 11-12 DIFFERENT TOUR COMPANIES THAT INCLUDED STAR WATCHING PROGRAMS IN THEIR SERVICES. SO THAT IS ANOTHER SMALL BUSINESS THAT BENEFITS FROM DARK SKIES. SO IF YOU ARE JUST TALKING ABOUT MONEY AND A LOT OF US, LIKE MYSELF, HAVE VERY IMPASSIONED MEMORIES, IF IT'S REALLY ABOUT MONEY, LET'S TALK ABOUT THE OTHER COSTS THAT ARE SAVED. I WILL JUST CLOSE BY SAYING THAT CHANGE IS POSSIBLE. WE USED TO THINK THAT LEAD IN GASOLINE WAS ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY, AND PEOPLE ARGUED OH, NO, IT'S GOING TO MAKE CARS LESS EFFICIENT IF YOU TAKE THAT OUT. HERE WE ARE ALL BREATHING CLEANER AIR TODAY WITHOUT LEAD IN OUR GASOLINE.\r\n\r\nWE CAN HAVE LESS LIGHTING IN THE SAME WAY. I HAVE TO SHARE ONE REALLY LOCAL SUCCESS STORY, WHICH IS I HAVE BEEN SECRET SHOPPING FOR THE LAST WHAT? SINCE OCTOBER 1ST. I HAVE BEEN IN OVER 40 DIFFERENT MALL RETAILS, AND I CAN'T FIND A SINGLE BOTTLE OF BAD SUNSCREEN ON THE SHELVES. MAUI COUNTY STEPS UP. OUR FOLKS ARE WILLING TO MAKE CHANGES TO PROTECT OUR ENVIRONMENT, AND OUR RESOURCES. THANKS FOR YOUR TIME.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU, JEFF. MEMBERS, DO YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS? IF NOT, THANK YOU. SO JEFF, YOU UNDERSTAND THAT YOU WILL NOT BE TESTIFYING ON SAME THING ON MONDAY? >> YES, OF COURSE. >> THANK YOU. APPARENTLY WE HAVE NO OTHER QUESTIONS.\r\n\r\nNO QUESTIONS. THANK YOU FOR JOINING US. MADAM CLERK >> OUR NEXT TESTIFIER IS MIKE MORAN. ARE YOU STILL ON THE CALL? >> YES, STILL HERE. I UNDERSTAND I PREFER TO TESTIFY TODAY FOR THE KCA, AND NOT ON MONDAY. I MAY NOT BE HERE ON MONDAY.\r\n\r\nSO I'M NOT GOING TO TAKE THAT CHANCE. WE APPRECIATE ANOTHER LONG, HARD DAY BY COUNCIL. WE APPRECIATE YOU SQUEEZING US IN TO GIVE OUR TESTIMONY. WE HAVE TESTIFIED IN FAVOR OF THIS BILL FROM THE GET-GO. AND WE HAVE WATCHED ENTITIES CHIP AWAY AT IT IN FAVOR OF WHAT HUMANS WOULD LIKE AND NOT NECESSARILY WHAT IS NEEDED, BUT WHAT IS PREFERRED AT THE EXPENSE OF THESE SEABIRDS AND THE TURTLES, AND I GO BACK SO OFTEN TO A COUNCIL MEMBER TAMARA MENTIONING IT. WE'RE NOT SEPARATE FROM NATURE, BUT PART OF NATURE AND IF WE'RE REALLY PART OF NATURE, LET'S DO WHAT WE CAN, INSTEAD OF WELL, WE'LL GIVE UP SOMETHING ELSE AND ONLY A FEW MORE SEABIRDS THAT DIE AND ONLY A FEW MORE TURTLES THAT WILL DIE AND WHITTLE IT DOWN TO BEING INEFFECTIVE. I THINK YOU MADE MANY, MANY COMPROMISES ALREADY AND WE HOPE THAT THE COMPROMISES ARE DONE TO PASS THIS BILL, AND DO IT FOR ALL OF THE REASONS WE HAVE HEARD INFINITUM.\r\n\r\nI WILL STOP TALKING. MAHALO. >> WE HAVE QUESTIONS? I HAVE A QUESTION, MIKE. DID YOU CUT YOUR HAIR TODAY? [LAUGHTER] >> NO, CHAIR. I DID, WHEN YOU TOOK YOUR LAST BREAK, I WASHED IT.\r\n\r\nSO IT LOOKS LIKE THERE'S A LOTS LESS. >> ALL RIGHT. >> THAT'S ALL. >> NO, NOT CUTTING IT. I'M LIKE THE SONG, I ALMOST CUT IT. THANK YOU. >> THANK YOU FOR STICKING WITH US TODAY.\r\n\r\nTHANK YOU VERY MUCH. >> HUI HOU. >> MAY WE HAVE THE NEXT TESTIFIER. >> OUR NEXT TESTIFIER IS MR. BUD PIKRONE. >> I'M HERE. I'M HAPPY THAT I WAS ABLE TO GET TO TODAY, BECAUSE I WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO DO IT MONDAY.\r\n\r\nI'M THE GENERAL MANAGER OF THE WAILEA COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION AND HERE TO TESTIFY ON BEHALF

OF THE ASSOCIATION. COMPRISED OF 2400 RESIDENTS, EIGHT HOTELS AND THREE GOLF COURSES. ALL OF THE MEMBERS ARE THE ASSOCIATION ARE ADAMANTLY OPPOSED TO BILL 21 AS PRESENTED. THERE'S MANY REASONS AND THEY WILL ALL BE AFFECTED IN SOME WAY. WE BELIEVE THAT WE HAVE SEEN THAT THE U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE NOTED THAT RESEARCH HASN'T BEEN COMPLETED TO DETERMINE SOME OF THESE EFFECTS. AND YET, THE BILL SPEAKS OF THOUSANDS OF BIRDS, SEA TURTLES AND OTHER REPTILE BEING INJURED OR KILLED. NOBODY WANTS THAT.\r\n\r\nI HAVE ONLY HEARD OF ONE BIRD IN 30-PLUS YEARS FOUND IN THIS AREA INFORMED -- INJURED AND THE CAUSE WAS NEVER DETERMINED. DO WE STILL NEED TO WORK ON IT? YES, EVERYBODY DOES. I WAS ON AN ADVISORY GROUP THAT WORKED WITH THE MOUNTAIN -- I CALL IT THE MOUNTAIN, BUT THE SCIENTISTS UP THERE. WAILEIA WAS CONSIDERED AN EXAMPLE, ALTHOUGH NOT PERFECT OF PROPER STREET AND WALKWAY LIGHTING. SINCE THEN, ADDITIONAL STEPS TO PROTECT THE NIGHT SKY AND WILDLIFE HAVE BEEN TAKEN OVER THE YEARS AND WE CONTINUE TO IMPROVE ON THE LIGHTING AND WILL CONTINUE TO. ESTABLISHING COMMUNITYWIDE RULES FOR FULLY SHIELDED LIGHTS ON HOMES AND COMMERCIAL BUILDINGS, BANNING SPOTLIGHTS AND MORE.\r\n\r\n\r\nMOST OF THIS WE DID BEFORE THE COUNTY PUT A BILL OUT THERE OR AN ORDINANCE OUT THERE TO RESTRICT A LOT OF THESE THINGS. WE WERE ALREADY DOING IT. YET, HERE WE'RE LOOKING AT WHAT SEEMS TO BE A VAGUE BLANKET BILL THAT WILL AFFECT BUSINESSES THAT DEPEND ON EVENTS. IT'S NOT JUST HOTELS, ALTHOUGH THIS BILL APPEARS TO TARGET HOTEL AND TOURISM, BUT EVENT COMPANIES, CATERERS, CHEFS MANY OTHER EMPLOYEES THAT USE THE EXTRA HOURS TO SURVIVE. I KNOW A NUMBER OF PEOPLE HERE, WHETHER THEY ARE WORKING IN A RESTAURANT OR A BARTENDER, THAT WORK THESE EVENTS TO MAKE EXTRA MONEY. THIS BUSINESS WILL END UP GOING TO ANOTHER ISLAND DESTINATION AND I DON'T THINK THAT IS WHAT THE PEOPLE OF MAUI WANT. LOSS OF JOBS, INCOME, AND ECONOMIC INSTABILITY IN THE COUNTY.\r\n\r\n\r\nSO PLEASE SAY NO OR DEFER THE BILL SO MORE SERIOUS CONVERSATIONS CAN BE HAD WITH THE RESORT COMMUNITIES OF MAUI. THANK YOU VERY MUCH. >> THANK YOU. ANY QUESTIONS, MEMBERS? MEMBER KING. >> I SAW MEMBER PALTIN. >> ALOHA BUD.\r\n\r\n\r\nGOOD TO SEE YOU. >> ALOHA. >> HAVE YOU LOOKED THROUGH THE LIST OF APPROPRIATE AND COMPLIANT LIGHTING THAT COULD REPLACE THE LIGHTING THAT WE HAVE NOW? >> I HAVE AND I REMEMBERED A LOT OF THAT WAS DISCUSSED LAST TIME I WENT THROUGH SOMETHING LIKE THAT. COUNTY AT THAT TIME SAID SHE COULDN'T PAY FOR THE CHANGE IN LIGHTING AND DIDN'T HAVE THE MONEYS FOR IT. I DON'T DISAGREE WITH A LOT IT, THOUGH I'M NOT SURE OR CONVINCED THAT THE BLUE LIGHT RESTRICTION -- >> MY QUESTION WAS HAVE YOU LOOKED THROUGH THE LIST RECENTLY? >> YES.\r\n\r\n\r\n>> BECAUSE THERE'S A LOT OF COMPLIANT LIGHTING AND NO ONE IS TRYING TO SHUT DOWN YOUR INDUSTRY. WE'RE GETTING YOU TO USE THE APPROPRIATE LIGHTING THAT EXISTS RIGHT NOW. YOU KNOW THERE ARE THREE YEARS TO COMPLY? >> CORRECT. BUT WHAT I'M HEAR FROM EVERYBODY IS THEY ARE NOT SURE WHAT THIS ALL MEANS. WE HAVE DIFFERENT LIGHTS, BUT HOW DOES THAT AFFECT AN EVENT? WHERE THEY MIGHT HAVE STRING LIGHTS, DIFFERENT THINGS, LIGHTING IN THAT?\r\n\r\n\r\nNOBVIOUSLY, WE DON'T ALLOW THE BEAMS ANY MORE AND I DON'T THINK THEY ARE ALLOWED IN THE COUNTY. >> THERE ARE BEAMS THAT WE ACTUALLY HAVE PICTURES FROM THE LUAUS ON THE COAST. I THINK MY TIME IS UP. I WILL YIELD THE FLOOR, CHAIR. >> MEMBER PALTIN. >> THANK YOU, CHAIR. THANK YOU, FOR YOUR TESTIMONY.\r\n\r\n\r\nSINCE YOU WERE SAYING YOU ARE PART OF THE OTHER ORIGINAL BILL WITH THE SHIELDING. I JUST WAS WONDERING IF YOU COULD CLARIFY IF THESE EVENTS, THE TEMPORARY EVENTS LIGHTING HAS TO COMPLY WITH THAT FULL SHIELDING, AS WELL TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE? >> WELL, >> WELL, WE'RE THINKING THAT IS WHAT I'M HEARING THAT RIGHT NOW THEY MAY NOT, BECAUSE THEY ARE TEMPORARY LIGHTS. THEY ARE UP FOR A FEW HOURS LIKE WE HAVE RULES

THAT EVENTS HAVE TO END AT 10:00 AT NIGHT. SO THEY WOULD HAVE TO SHUT DOWN IN THAT. SO RIGHT NOW, THEY MAY BE A GLOBE LIGHT, SO MANY INCHES IN DIAMETER THAT ARE STRUNG ALONG AND LIGHT. THOSE UNDER THIS, I BELIEVE WOULD NOT BE ALLOWED BECAUSE THEY WOULD HAVE TO BE FULLY SHIELDED.\r\n\r\nWE HAVE PERMANENT STRUCTURES THAT WE CONTROL WITH FULL SHIELDING, WHETHER THEY ARE HOMES OR COMMERCIAL CENTERS AND THAT. THEY HAVE TO GO THROUGH OUR DESIGN COMMITTEE HERE, WHO MANDATE THAT THEY HAVE TO HAVE FULLY SHIELDED LIGHTING AND ANY PROPERTIES, ANY OF THE HOTELS THAT WOULD UNDERGO RENOVATION WOULD HAVE TO COMPLY. SO WE'RE MOVING FORWARD TO GETTING FULLY SHIELDED LIGHTS EVERYWHERE. FOR EVENTS, I DON'T SEE WHERE THAT'S IMPORTANT, OR NECESSARY. >> SO YOU ARE NOT CLEAR IF THAT IS THE LAW RIGHT NOW THAT TEMPORARY LIGHTING HAS TO BE FULLY SHIELDED, . >> RIGHT, THAT IS WHAT I'M HEARING FROM OUR PARTNERS. >> OKAY. THANK YOU.\r\n\r\n>> ANY MORE QUESTIONS? MEMBERS? MEMBER SUGIMURA. >> THANK YOU, BUD FOR TESTIFYING. I WONDERED BECAUSE YOU PARTICIPATED IN THAT PREVIOUS -- TASK FORCE OR WORKING GROUP THAT CAME UP WITH WHATEVER THE LIGHTING STRUCTURE IS TODAY, DO YOU THINK THERE'S NEEDED MORE DISCUSSION WITHIN THE INDUSTRY? THAT IS WHAT YOU ARE SOUNDING LIKE TO ME. >> YEAH, BECAUSE ORIGINALLY IT WASN'T NECESSARILY GEARED TOWARDS THE CHANGES MORE FOR PARK LIGHTING, STREET LIGHTING, THAT TYPE OF LIGHTING WAS THE MAIN CONCERN BACK THEN, BECAUSE WHAT THEY WERE CONCERNED WITH IS THE SCIENTISTS WERE THE BRIGHT LIGHTS THAT LIGHT UP THE HIGHWAY AND WHILE THEY ARE UP THERE, THEY GET A GLOW/A GLARE.\r\n\r\nSO THAT IS WHERE THE MAIN CONCERN WAS AND NOT ON THE INDIVIDUAL PROPERTIES OR HOTELS OR ANYTHING LIKE THAT. THAT IS WHY I WAS SAYING THAT WE HAVE ADOPTED RULES IN THE RESORT BEFORE THE COUNTY EVER DID. SO I THINK IT'S IMPORTANT TO DO THAT, BUT I THINK IT NEEDS A CONVERSATION. WE NEED TO FIND OUT WHAT WE CAN DO BETTER ALL THE WAY AROUND, AND YES, IT MAY REQUIRE MORE SHIELDING AND THAT? OR MAYBE WE CAN FIGURE OUT BETTER WAYS TO HANDLE EVENTS. >> THANK YOU. >> WE HAVE TIME LIMITS.\r\n\r\n>> THANK YOU. >> MEMBER MOLINA, DID YOU HAVE YOUR HAND UP? >> NO, MADAM CHAIR. >> ANYBODY ELSE HAVE THEIR HAND UP? THANK YOU, BUD. APPRECIATE YOUR TESTIMONY. >> THANK YOU.\r\n\r\nI HOPE YOU ALL GET HOME SHORTLY. >> THANKS. OUR FINAL CALLER TO TESTIFY IS CLARE APANA. >> MS. APANA, ARE YOU ON THE CALL? I THOUGHT YOU SAID THERE WERE 14. >> THE REST ARE EITHER GOING TO CALL ON MONDAY -- [INAUDIBLE] >> IS CLARE ON THE CALL? ONE LAST CALL FOR ANYBODY.\r\n\r\n>> ONE LAST CALL TO PROVIDE TESTIMONY TODAY, OTHERWISE, YOU CAN PROVIDE TESTIMONY ON MONDAY. >> THIS IS ON BILLS FOR SECOND AND FINAL READING. OKAY. >> CHAIR, NOBODY ELSE HAS INDICATE A DESIRE TO TESTIFY TODAY. >> SO I'LL SEE YOU ALL AT 9:00 ON MONDAY, AND WE WILL BE TAKING TESTIMONY FIRST, IN CASE YOU ARE GOING TO JOIN US A LITTLE LATE. THAT IS FINE. ANY QUESTIONS?\r\n\r\nANY CLARIFICATION? ANY QUESTIONS? >> WHAT TIME IS BREAKFAST? [LAUGHTER] >> THERE'S ONLY ONE BUDGET CHAIR HERE. >> I THINK MEMBER MOLINA OWED US A LOT OF LUNCHES -- [LAUGHTER] >> WE WOULDN'T MIND KOMODA PASTRIES. ALL RIGHT EVERYBODY? ANY LAST COMMENTS OR QUESTIONS BEFORE I RECESS THIS MEETING?\r\n\r\nIF NOT, THIS MEETING IS IN RECESS UNTIL MONDAY MORNING AT 9:00 A.M. [GAVEL]