A BILL FOR AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PLANNING, DESIGN, AND CONSTRUCTION OF THE KAILUA-KONA SENIOR CENTER IN KAILUA-KONA, HAWAII.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

SECTION 1. The senior community in the Kailua-Kona area 1 has undergone exponential growth in the recent past. Due to the 2 shortage of facilities in this growing community of older 3 persons, services are lacking in this area. A multipurpose 4 center would serve as a single point of service delivery for 5 seniors living in the North Kona community. The multipurpose 6 senior center would offer recreation and cultural activities, 7 congregate meals, adult education and literacy classes, legal 8 services, health care services, transportation, information and 9 assistance, and a community kitchen. The facility is estimated 10 to cost about \$9,000,000. Approximately \$900,000 would be 11 12 needed for the planning and design phase of the project. SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general 13 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$9,000,000, or so 14 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2006-2007, as a 15 grant-in-aid to the county of Hawaii for the planning, design, 16

- 1 and construction of a multipurpose senior center in Kailua-Kona
- 2 on the island of Hawaii pursuant to section 1.
- 3 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the county of
- 4 Hawaii for the purposes of this Act.
- 5 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2006.

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INTRODUCED BY:

By Request

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Report Title:

Kailua-Kona Senior Center; Grant-in-Aid

Description:

Appropriates \$900,000 as a grant-in-aid to county of Hawaii for planning, design, and construction of a senior center in Kailua-Kona on the island of Hawaii.