HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE, 2010 STATE OF HAWAII H.B. NO. 2024

### A BILL FOR AN ACT

AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR 'ALIOMANU ROAD RECONSTRUCTION AND PROTECTION, KAPA'A NEW PARK (STADIUM) IMPROVEMENTS, OPEN SPACE/PARK LAND ACQUISITION, AND KILAUEA AGRICULTURAL PARK DEVELOPMENT FOR THE COUNTY OF KAUA'I.

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

1 SECTION 1. The director of finance is authorized to issue 2 general obligation bonds in the sum of \$7,300,000 or so much 3 thereof as may be necessary and the same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary is appropriated for fiscal year 2010-2011 4 for the following projects for the county of Kauai: 5 6 1. 'Aliomanu Road Reconstruction and Protection \$1,500,000 7 The earthen makai edge of 'Aliomanu road has 8 experienced significant erosion over the years 9 due to ocean wave action. The erosion has 10 reached a critical distance from the edge of 11 pavement and warrants urgent corrective measures 12 to insure that this important county asset is not 13 jeopardized. This project will provide for the 14 construction of a five hundred foot revetment to 15 protect a portion of 'Aliomanu road. The roadway 16 will also be reconstructed to its originally



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1		installed condition. The total estimated cost of	
2		the project is \$3,000,000.	
3	2.	Kapa'a New Park (Stadium) Improvements	\$ 500,000
4		The Kawaihau district of Kaua'i is the most	
5		populous area of the island, yet it has never had	
6		a sports facility with all the necessary	
7		infrastructure to support large scale	
8		recreational activities. The county of Kaua'i,	
9		in collaboration with the community, the $\cdot$	
10		department of education, and Kapa'a high school,	
11		have implemented a systematic development plan	
12		for the Kapa'a new park facility. The	
13		construction of locker room facilities is the	
14		final component of this collaborative plan to	
15		bring major sports activities to this complex	· · ·
16		which services communities from Wailua to	
17		Hanalei. The estimated construction costs are	
18		\$1,000,000.	
19	3.	Open Space/Park Land Acquisition	\$4,000,000
20 <sup>°</sup>		The preservation of open space, access to inland	
21		and coastal areas, and the expansion of park	
22		areas are of great importance to the Kaua'i	

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1		community. The county of Kaua'i is seeking to		
2		collaborate with the federal government, the		
3		State, the Kaua'i Public Land Trust, and others		
4		in acquiring lands to support greater public		
5		access and areas for increased recreational use.		
6		As the public's interest in outdoor activities		
7		increase, the demand on existing park lands also		
8		increases. The expansion of areas including the		
9		Black Pot Beach Park in Hanalei, and the Salt		
10	1	Pond Beach Park in Hanapēpē are of great interest		
11		to the island community. In addition, the county		
12		of Kaua'i is seeking to acquire and improve		
13		access to public areas such as Kauapea Beach in		
14		Kīlauea and Pāpa'a Bay situated between 'Aliomanu		
15		and Moloa'a on the island's northeastern shore.		
16		The county is proposing to make a significant		
17		investment to move that initiative forward.		
18		Thus, \$8,000,000 is being identified as initial		
19		funding for this effort.		
20	4.	Kilauea Agricultural Park Development	\$1,300,000	
21		The proposed Kīlauea agricultural park is		
22		situated on a seventy-five acre parcel that was		
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1	transferred to the county of Kaua'i in 2006. The
2	park will provide nine farm lots, approximately
3	five acres each, an orchard, an energy farm, a
4	community garden, a farmer's market and four
5	incubator farm lots. The county's desire is to
6	design and develop a project that will provide
7	for the grading and graveling of roads;
8	construction of a well; installation of
9	waterlines; construction of a reservoir; grading
10	for the energy farm, composting area, and
11	farmer's market; installation of an exterior
12	windbreak; and the installation of necessary
13	internal fencing. The estimated unfunded
14	development cost for this project is \$2,600,000.
15	The estimated project total is \$4,000,000.
16	SECTION 2. The appropriation made for the capital
17	improvement projects authorized by this Act shall not lapse at
18	the end of the fiscal biennium for which the appropriation is
19	made; provided that all moneys from the appropriation
20	unencumbered as of June 30, 2012, shall lapse as of that date.
21	SECTION 3. The sums appropriated shall be expended by the
22	county of Kauai for the purposes of this Act.



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1 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2010.

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Report Title: County of Kauai; GO Bonds

Description: Authorizes the issuance of GO bonds for the County of Kauai.

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