HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE, 2010 STATE OF HAWAII

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HOUSE RESOLUTION

RECOGNIZING MAUI ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY, INC., ON ITS 45[™] ANNIVERSARY.

WHEREAS, the strength and spirit of all community associations are brought forth by the members of the community, who unselfishly commit their time and so willingly carry out the community's programs; and

6 WHEREAS, MAUI ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY, INC., a private, 7 nonprofit community action agency is blessed to have an abundance 8 of outstanding leaders who have spearheaded countless activities 9 and projects and have led the agency in providing a variety of 10 services that positively affect the lives of over 60,000 people 11 throughout the state; and

WHEREAS, MAUI ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY, INC., is celebrating its 45th anniversary of service to the people of Maui County, having been chartered as a community action agency on March 22, 1965, and federally mandated under the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964; and

WHEREAS, MAUI ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY, INC., has been
recognized nationally with an award for excellence in community
action: in 2008, *Hawaii Business* named MAUI ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY,
INC., one of the best places to work in the state within the
large business category; and

WHEREAS, MAUI ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY, INC., is an outstanding example of the willingness that dedicated individuals who constantly strive to improve the quality of their communities by planning and working together through community-minded activities for the common objective of assisting their fellow citizens; now, therefore, 31

BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the Twenty-fifth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2010, that this body hereby recognizes MAUI ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY, INC., for its strong ideals, commitment to community service, and promotion of civic pride in our island-state, and further congratulates its Board of Directors, Chief Executive



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