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# SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION HIGHWAYS DIVISION TO  
CONDUCT A STUDY ON LOAD CAPACITY OF ROADS IN THE PORTION OF  
MAUI COUNTY WITHIN THE SEVENTH SENATE DISTRICT.

1 WHEREAS, Maui County has experienced significant amounts of  
2 traffic in recent years, frustrating residents and presenting a  
3 safety risk; and  
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5 WHEREAS, a high volume of sustained traffic in Maui County  
6 places strain on existing roadways, which further exacerbates  
7 safety risks; and  
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9 WHEREAS, load capacity is an important measure of the  
10 volume and weight of vehicles a roadway can sustain; and  
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12 WHEREAS, infrastructure investments can improve the load  
13 capacity of roadways in Maui County and mitigate the risks from  
14 excessive traffic; and  
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16 WHEREAS, appropriate application of infrastructure  
17 investments requires detailed information on the existing load  
18 capacity of roadways in Maui County, along with potential areas  
19 for improvement; now, therefore,  
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21 BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the Thirty-first  
22 Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2022, the  
23 House of Representatives concurring, that the Department of  
24 Transportation Highways Division is requested to conduct a study  
25 of the existing load capacity of roads in the Seventh Senate  
26 District within Maui County and areas in which infrastructure  
27 investment would be most effective; and  
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29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of  
30 Transportation Highways Division is requested to prepare and  
31 submit a report of its findings and recommendations, including  
32 actions taken, progress made, and any proposed legislation to



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1 the Legislature no later than thirty days prior to the convening  
2 of the Regular Session of 2023; and

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4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this  
5 Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Administrator of the  
6 Department of Transportation Highways Division.

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9 OFFERED BY:

Lyn DeCote

