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# SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE COUNTY OF MAUI TO FULFILL ITS AGREEMENT WITH THE STATE AND RESOLVE LONGSTANDING JURISDICTIONAL AMBIGUITIES BY COMPLETING THE TRANSFER OF THE HUI ROADS, INCLUDING HUI ROAD F, FROM THE JUDICIARY.

1           WHEREAS, the State and County of Maui have previously  
2 entered into an agreement to transfer ownership and jurisdiction  
3 of certain roads, including the Hui Roads, from the Judiciary to  
4 the County of Maui; and

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6           WHEREAS, the Hui Roads, including Hui Road F in West Maui,  
7 are among many "roads in limbo" whose ownership and maintenance  
8 responsibilities have been subjects of prolonged ambiguity and  
9 dispute between state and county agencies; and

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11           WHEREAS, this jurisdictional uncertainty has led to the  
12 significant neglect of these roads, resulting in deteriorating  
13 conditions that pose safety hazards to residents, impede  
14 emergency response efforts, and affect overall quality of life  
15 in the community; and

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17           WHEREAS, the community of West Maui, including residents  
18 along Hui Road F, has repeatedly expressed concerns over the  
19 lack of maintenance and clarity regarding responsibility for  
20 these roads, requesting governmental action to resolve these  
21 issues; and

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23           WHEREAS, the Judiciary has regularly communicated with the  
24 County of Maui and has taken steps to complete the conveyance of  
25 the Hui Roads to the County, including the preparation of a  
26 quitclaim deed; and

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28           WHEREAS, despite of the Judiciary's efforts, the County of  
29 Maui has not yet assumed ownership of the Hui Roads; and



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WHEREAS, the County of Maui has previously acknowledged the necessity of accepting and maintaining these roads to ensure public safety and infrastructure reliability; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the Thirty-third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2025, the House of Representatives concurring, that the County of Maui is requested to fulfill its agreement with the State and resolve longstanding jurisdictional ambiguities by completing the transfer of the Hui Roads, including Hui Road F, from the Judiciary to the County of Maui; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County of Maui is strongly encouraged to allocate appropriate funding and resources for the immediate repair and ongoing maintenance of these roads to address safety concerns and improve accessibility for all residents and visitors; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Administrative Director of the Courts, Mayor of the County of Maui, Chair of the Maui County Council, and Director of Public Works of the County of Maui.

