

RESOLUTION NO. 628 20

**A RESOLUTION TRANSFERRING/APPROPRIATING AN APPROPRIATION OUT AND FROM A DESIGNATED FUND ACCOUNT AND CREDITING SAME TO A DESIGNATED FUND ACCOUNT TO PROVIDE A GRANT TO KU‘IKAHI MEDIATION CENTER INC., TO ASSIST WITH COSTS RELATING TO ITS RAPID RESPONSE LANDLORD-TENANT MEDIATION PROGRAM DUE TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC.**

**WHEREAS**, Ku‘ikahi Mediation Center Inc., is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization that empowers people to come together, to explore options, and to find their own best solutions for conflict mediation; and

**WHEREAS**, Ku‘ikahi Mediation Center Inc., and the West Hawai‘i Mediation Center have launched the Rapid Response Landlord-Tenant Mediation Program, which provides conflict prevention and resolution services between commercial and residential landlords and their tenants due to disputes arising as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic; and

**WHEREAS**, Ku‘ikahi Mediation Center Inc., is requesting funds to assist with direct program cost related to the Rapid Response Landlord-Tenant Mediation program, including case management, community outreach, and education; and

**WHEREAS**, the Office of the Prosecuting Attorney, due to the COVID-19 pandemic, supports identifying areas of need and working collaboratively with nonprofits to address needs of the community; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 2-139(a)(2)(A) of the Hawai‘i County Code, Contingency Relief funds shall be transferred to an accepting County department/agency via resolution identifying the nonprofit organization and the specific program, project, event, activity, service, equipment, materials, or supplies for which the grant shall be used; now, therefore,

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE COUNTY OF HAWAI‘I** that Contingency Relief funds from Council District 3 will be appropriated to the Office of the Prosecuting Attorney to provide a grant to Ku‘ikahi Mediation Center Inc., for costs related to its Rapid Response Landlord-Tenant Mediation program.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Council of the County of Hawai‘i hereby transfers/appropriates the following amount as set forth below:

FUND: General

AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATION: \$1,297

OUT AND FROM: 010.101.5101.91 Clerk-Council SVC – Contingency Relief \$1,297

CREDITED TO: 010.271.5271.02 Office of the Prosecuting Attorney \$1,297
Prosecuting Atty OCE
115 Misc. Contract Services
(Ku‘ikahi Mediation Center Inc. – Rapid Response
Landlord-Tenant Mediation Program)

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the County Clerk shall transmit a copy of this resolution to the Prosecuting Attorney and Director of Finance, and that the Director of Finance is hereby authorized to make the necessary transfers in accordance with the terms of this resolution.

Dated at Kona, Hawai‘i, this 6th day of May, 20 20.

INTRODUCED BY:

[Handwritten signature]

COUNCIL MEMBER, COUNTY OF HAWAI‘I

COUNTY COUNCIL
County of Hawai‘i
Hilo, Hawai‘i

I hereby certify that the foregoing RESOLUTION was by the vote indicated to the right hereof adopted by the COUNCIL of the County of Hawai‘i on May 6, 2020.

ATTEST:

ROLL CALL VOTE

Table with 5 columns: Name, AYES, NOES, ABS, EX. Rows include CHUNG, DAVID, EOFF, KANEALI‘I-KLEINFELDER, KIERKIEWICZ, LEE LOY, POINDEXTER, RICHARDS, VILLEGAS, and a totals row (9, 0, 0, 0).

[Handwritten signatures]
COUNTY CLERK CHAIRPERSON & PRESIDING OFFICER

Reference: G-928/Council
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