June 7, 2018

The Honorable Harry Kim
Mayor, County of Hawai‘i
25 Aupuni Street
Hilo, Hawai‘i 96720

Dear Mayor Kim:

Re: Letter of Agreement Regarding Transfer of Moneys for Disaster Response

Pursuant to the Emergency Proclamation relating to the County of Hawai‘i (County) dated May 3, 2018, the Supplemental Emergency Proclamation dated May 9, 2018, and the Second Supplemental Emergency Proclamation dated June 5, 2018, I am transferring Twelve Million Dollars ($12,000,000) in financial assistance to the County for the purpose of supporting the County’s response to the active volcanic eruption occurring along the East Rift Zone in Lower Puna on Hawai‘i Island.

These moneys are intended to be used to provide immediate relief necessary to protect the health, safety and welfare of area residents, such as, but not limited to food, water and basic emergency supplies, temporary shelter-related goods and services.

These moneys are not intended for long-term infrastructure repairs or for private purposes such as the repair or rebuilding of private dwellings.

The County is requested to coordinate its efforts with participating charitable organizations, so funds can be maximized to the extent practicable.

The County shall keep adequate records of all expenditures and submit monthly reports on the attached form.

The County of Hawai‘i has designated Deanna Sako, Director of Finance as its contact person and I am designating Laurel Johnston, Director of Finance to be the
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contact person for the State of Hawai‘i regarding the terms and conditions of this agreement.

With warmest regards,

David Y. Ige
Governor, State of Hawai‘i

Accepted and Agreed to:

Harry Kim
County of Hawai‘i

Date: ______________

Attachment

c: Laurel Johnston, Director of Finance
   Deanna Sako, Hawai‘i County Director of Finance