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## SENATE RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO  
TRANSFER TO THE COUNTY OF MAUI THE LAHAINA PUBLIC LIBRARY  
MAKAI LAWN.

1 WHEREAS, makai lawn of the Lahaina Public Library is not  
2 being used; and

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4 WHEREAS, members of the public have not been able to obtain  
5 permits to use the land for events; and

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7 WHEREAS, the land in question is owned by the State; and

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9 WHEREAS, the land could be put to good use if the County of  
10 Maui owned the land and leased it to the Lahaina Restoration  
11 Foundation; and

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13 WHEREAS, the State should take the initiative to resolve  
14 this issue; now, therefore,

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16 BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the Thirty-second  
17 Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2023,  
18 that the Department of Land and Natural Resources is requested  
19 to transfer to the County of Maui the Lahaina Public Library  
20 makai lawn; and

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22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the transfer be made through a  
23 quitclaim deed, or other appropriate means; and

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25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that once the property in question  
26 is transferred to the County of Maui, the County enter into  
27 negotiations to lease the property to the Lahaina Restoration  
28 Foundation; and

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30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this  
31 Resolution be transmitted to the Chairperson of the Board of  
32 Land and Natural Resources, Mayor of the County of Maui,  
33 Chairperson of the Maui County Council, and President of the  
34 Lahaina Restoration Foundation.



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