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Dear Community Member,

The last few weeks have been among the toughest ever experienced in Maui County, and many of us have suffered unimaginable loss as a result of the recent fires. We want you to know that the County of Maui, in partnership with state and federal support agencies, are working together to ensure that every effort is made to take care of our community.

Part of that effort involves the critical and timely cleanup of hazardous materials and debris left from the fires. Maui County residents and businesses whose properties were destroyed by the wildfires have the ability to use the government-operated Maui County Consolidated Debris Removal Program to ensure that their property is cleared of hazardous materials and debris. Property owners must submit a Right of Entry (ROE) form in order to participate in the Program. This authorizes temporary access to your property for activities associated with debris clean-up ONLY.

An ROE form is enclosed in this packet. By submitting the ROE form, property owners are granting permission for contractors hired through the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to safely and efficiently clean their property of fire-related debris to clear the way for rebuilding. Residents will not be charged more than what is covered by their insurance, regardless of the actual cost of the clean-up. This means no direct cost to owners for the clean-up of their property.

If you choose not to complete the ROE to enroll in the Maui County Consolidated Debris Removal Program, you will be required to clear debris from your property according to mandated debris clean-up standards, as well as cover any out of pocket costs.

We understand that you will have many questions regarding the debris removal process. We encourage you to visit www.mauirecovers.org dedicated to the recovery efforts. Here you will find information about your options as a property owner, how the process works, and what to expect at each stage. The website and attached packet also detail measures being taken to ensure cultural and historic preservation during the debris removal process.

Please return the completed ROE form and required documentation to <u>ROE@mauirecovers.org</u> or

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