## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to Chapter 91, Hawaii Revised Statutes, notice is hereby given that the Hawaii Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism; Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation (HHFDC), will hold a virtual public hearing on November 21, 2023, at 10:30 a.m. to create a new chapter, Chapter 15-309, Hawaii Administrative Rules (HAR), and named the "Dwelling Unit Revolving Fund Equity Pilot Program". Written testimony on these proposed rule-making actions will be accepted through November 21, 2023, at the following address: HHFDC, Attention: Cynthia Nyross; 677 Queen Street, Suite 300; Honolulu, Hawaii 96813; or via email to Cynthia.C.Nyross@hawaii.gov.

The proposed new Chapter 15-309, HAR, will implement the provisions of Act 92, Session Laws of Hawaii 2023, by establishing a five-year dwelling unit revolving fund equity pilot program to lower the cost of specified units in for-sale housing development projects for Hawaii residents.

The public hearing will be held virtually via the Internet using Microsoft Teams on November 21, 2023, from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Please go to HHFDC's website for more information: Click here to join the meeting

Interested persons are strongly encouraged to view or download the draft rules electronically at the website: <a href="http://dbedt.hawaii.gov/hhfdc/administrative-rules/">http://dbedt.hawaii.gov/hhfdc/administrative-rules/</a>. A paper copy of the proposed rules may be mailed upon receipt of a check made payable to "HHFDC" in the amount of \$2.69 for copying and postage costs. Requests for mailed copies should be made to HHFDC at the above address or by calling Cynthia Nyross at one of the telephone numbers below:

Honolulu 808-587-0636 Maui 808-984-2400, ext. 70636 Hawaii 808-974-4000, ext. 70636 Molokai or Lanai 1-800-468-4644, ext. 70636 Kauai 808-274-3141, ext. 70636

If access or communication assistance and/or services (e.g., large print, taped materials, sign language interpreter, or translator) are required to participate in this virtual public hearing, please contact HHFDC's Human Resources Office at (808) 587-0501, by email at hhfdchr@hawaii.gov, by fax at (808) 587-0600, or by written request at least ten business days before the hearing. Prompt requests help to ensure the availability of appropriate accommodations. Upon request, this notice is available in alternate/accessible formats.

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