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COMMUNITY-BASED ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT (CBED) ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING

Thursday, June 30, 2022, 10:00 a.m.

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pm on Tuesday, June 28, 2022.

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AGENDA

I. Call to Order

Welcome current Council members and introduction of any guests.

Appointment of a Presiding Officer for the CBED Advisory Council meeting of June 30th, 2022.

II. Old Business:

1. **Approval of CBED Advisory Council Meeting Minutes** for May 17, 2022.

III. New Business:

1. **Recommendation/Approval of CBED Loan of \$100,000 to Counter Culture, LLC dba Farm Link** to be used for working capital and equipment. Co-lending with Feed the Hunger Fund (FTHF) for a total of \$200,000 (\$100,000 from CBED and \$100,000 from FTHF).
2. **Recommendation/Approval of CBED Loan of \$105,000 to Pomai Kulolo, LLC** to be used for equipment. Co-lending with Feed the Hunger Fund (FTHF) and Lei Ho'olaha for a total of \$355,000 (\$105,000 from CBED; \$150,000 from FTHF and \$100,000 from Lei Ho'olaha).
3. **Nominations and Vote for Chair and Vice Chair of the CBED Advisory Council**

IV. Next Meeting

V. Adjournment

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