MEMORANDUM

TO: TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

FROM: TIMOTHY E. STEINBERGER, P.E., DIRECTOR

DATE: APRIL 20, 2012

SUBJECT: SEWER CONNECTION MORATORIUM: HALAWA TO PEARL City

A moratorium has been placed on sewer connections in the area served by the Pearl City Wastewater Pump Station.

No NEW sewer connections will be allowed from Halawa to Pearl City. The City’s Department of Planning and Permitting will not approve any sewer connection permits for new developments or new, non-replacement structures.

New sewer connections are defined as those with additional flow.

Sewer connection application permits may be approved in the following circumstances on a case-by-case basis: a 1-for-1 replacement of a current connected structure; as part of a multi-development discharging to a current sewer connection where flow does not exceed the existing fixture count; or an addition(s) to a current structure (e.g. extra bathroom, etc.) but not an additional dwelling unit or units.

Capacity in the Pearl City Wastewater Pump station basin is limited to 28.4 millions of gallons daily. Already approved sewer connection applications and existing connections have reached that capacity limitation.

To address this limitation, the City will refurbish both Pearl City WWPS force mains this year and will construct a third force main at the Waipahu WWPS. The third force main from the Waipahu WWPS will resolve the capacity issue and funding for that work is scheduled for Fiscal Year 2015.

The sewer connection moratorium will be in place until the new Waipahu WWPS force main is completed.