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RESOLUTION ACCEPTING A GRANT OF PUBLIC ACCESS EASEMENT FROM THE SURETY KOHALA CORPORATION, FOR VEHICULAR PUBLIC ACCESS PURPOSES.

## BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE COUNTY OF HAWAI'I.

RESOLUTION NO.

WHEREAS, the SURETY KOHALA CORPORATION is the owner of the real property identified by Tax Map Keys: (3) 5-3-007:015 and (3) 5-3-007:016, situated at Hala'ula, Maulili, Pueke, Kukuiwaluhia, Apuakohau, Halelua and Nāpāpa'a, District of North Kohala, County and State of Hawai'i;

WHEREAS, Tax Map Keys: (3) 5-3-007:015 and (3) 5-3-007:016 are parcels of land involved in subdivision action SUB-7776 (Subdivision application 2000-056), approved March 19, 2004;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Settlement Agreement dated the fourth (4<sup>th</sup>) day of April, 2002, between the County of Hawai'i and Surety Kohala Corporation (formerly Chalon International of Hawai'i, Inc.), it was agreed upon that among other subdivisions, the lands of SUB-7776 would be subject to the public access requirements of Chapter 34 of the Hawai'i County Code;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Settlement Agreement dated the fourth (4th) day of April, 2002, between the County of Hawai'i and Surety Kohala Corporation (formerly Chalon International of Hawai'i, Inc.), the public accesses will not be officially open to the public until easement documents have been approved by both parties and the easements conveyed to and accepted by the County;

WHEREAS, Article XIII, Section 13-12 of the Hawai'i County Charter, provides that the Council, on behalf of the County of Hawai'i, may accept gifts or donations of money, securities or other personal property or of real estate or any interest in real estate;

WHEREAS, the North Kohala Community Development Plan identifies the acquisition of a continuous lateral access along the sea coast from Kapanai'a to 'Āinakea as the No. 1 priority under Section 4.2-Public Access;

WHEREAS, the SURETY KOHALA CORPORATION, the owner of the real property identified by Tax Map Keys: (3) 5-3-007:015 and (3) 5-3-007:016, situated at Hala'ula, Maulili, Pueke, Kukuiwaluhia, Apuakohau, Halelua and Nāpāpa'a, District of North Kohala, County and

State of Hawai'i, is desirous of granting the County of Hawai'i the vehicular public access easement, which easement is more particularly described and delineated in Exhibit "1" attached hereto as a Grant of Public Access Easement; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE COUNTY OF HAWAI'I, in accordance with Article XIII, Section 13-12 of the Hawai'i County Charter, the County of Hawai'i accepts the Grant of Public Access Easement described and delineated in Exhibit "1" attached hereto, from the SURETY KOHALA CORPORATION.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the Clerk of the County of Hawai'i is directed to transmit copies of this Resolution to: The Honorable Harry Kim, Mayor of the County of Hawai'i; Michael Yee, Director of the County of Hawai'i Planning Department; the Corporation Counsel for the County of Hawai'i; and Steven S.C. Lim, Esq., Carlsmith Ball LLP, 121 Waiānuenue Avenue, Hilo, Hawai'i 96720.

Dated at	<u>Hilo</u> , Hav	vaiʻi, this <u>8th</u>	_day of	February	2017. Ay
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COUNTY COUNCIL
County of Hawai'i
Hilo Hawai'i

I hereby certify that the foregoing RESOLUTION was by the vote indicated to the right hereof adopted by the COUNCIL of the County of Hawai i on February 8, 2017

ATTEST:

Valera Bankoden

COUNTY CLERK

CHAIRPERSON & PRESIDING OFFICER

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whose principal place of business and mailing address is 25 Aupuni Street,				
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## **GRANT OF PUBLIC ACCESS EASEMENT**

## WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Grantor is the owner in fee simple of that certain real property situated at Halaula, Maulili, Pueke, Kukuiwaluhia, Apuakohau, Halelua and Napapaa, District of North Kohala, County, Island and State of Hawaii, being Lots 2 and 3, under Subdivision No. 07-000683, approved by the County of Hawaii Planning Department on May 4, 2009, also being Lots 2 and 3, shown on Map 1, Land Court Consolidation No. 222, being further identified as Tax Map Key Nos.: (3) 5-3-007:015 and 016, respectively (collectively the "**Property**"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of Hawaii Revised Statutes Section 46-6.5 relating to Public Access, the County of Hawaii has adopted Hawaii County Code Chapter 34 (Public Access), which provides for implementation of public access over private property in appropriate locations to the ocean, shorelines and mountain areas as applicable, by requiring dedication of land for such public rights-of-way by fee or easement as a condition precedent to final subdivision approval or the issuance of a building permit for a multiple-family development where adequate public access is not already provided, including provisions requiring the County of Hawaii to be responsible for all improvement costs, liability and maintenance issues; and

WHEREAS, in order to assure that public access is provided within the Property to and along designated shoreline access areas, the Grantor and the Grantee hereby agree to be bound by, and to encumber the real property depicted on **Exhibit B** attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein, by filing this Grant of Public Access Easement with the Office of the Assistant Registrar of the Land Court of the State of Hawaii; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section A of the April 4, 2002 Settlement Agreement for Board of Appeals No. 01-28 and Subdivision Application No. 2000-056 (SUB-7776A) of

applicant Surety Kohala Corporation, entered into by and between Surety Kohala Corporation, a Hawaii corporation and Grantee, the filing of this Grant of Public Access Easement with the Bureau of Conveyances of the State of Hawaii and filing with the Office of the Assistant Registrar of the Land Court of the State of Hawaii shall constitute full and final compliance with all public access requirements for the lands of the Property of Section 46-6.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes ("HRS"), Chapter 205A, HRS, Chapters 23 (Subdivision) and 34 (Public Access), Hawaii County Code, and Planning Department Rule 21 relating to Public Access: Usage, provided however, that if any of the Property tax key parcels identified in Exhibit B attached hereto are proposed for subdivision or other uses and activities proposed in the Special Management Area, the County may require further public access over the Property tax key parcel proposing such uses and activities.

NOW, THEREFORE, Grantor and Grantee agree as follows:

THAT THE Grantor, for and in consideration of the sum of TEN AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$10.00) paid by Grantee, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, and in further consideration of the covenants and conditions herein contained by Grantee to be observed and performed, does hereby bargain, sell, assign and grant unto the said Grantee, and its successors and assigns, a perpetual and nonexclusive right and easement in, upon, through, over, under and across the Grantor's Property for vehicular public access purposes as indicated thereon, including without limitation, the construction, reconstruction, installation, maintenance, operation, replacement and repair of improvements constructed for said purposes ("Vehicular Public Access Easement"), as follows:

Easement 10, containing an area of 1.735 acres, for vehicular public access purposes, as shown on Land Court Consolidation No. 216, Map 4, affecting Lots 2 and 3, as shown on Map 1, Land Court Consolidation No. 222, as more particularly described in **Exhibit A** and depicted on **Exhibit B**, attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein.

As used herein, the term "vehicular public access" shall mean and be limited to use by motorized vehicles as regulated under Planning Department Rule 21-8, together with pedestrian and any other modes of transport allowed by Planning Department Rule 21, Public Access: Usage.

Nothing in this Grant of Public Access Easement shall amend, qualify or otherwise limit the following: (1) the liability protections given to the Grantor pursuant to Chapter 520, HRS, including without limitation the protections afforded in Section 520-4(b), HRS relating to Landowners' Liability, and (2) liability protections given to the owners or operators of any business providing recreational activities to the public who obtain voluntary written release waivers for their patrons pursuant to the provisions of Section 663-1.54, HRS, relating to Recreational Activity Liability.

AND, Grantor and Grantee hereby covenant and agree as follows:

- 1. The Vehicular Public Access Easement shall not be officially open to the public until this Grant of Public Access Easement has been accepted by the County of Hawaii. Once opened for public use, the Vehicular Public Access Easement as described hereinabove may be used by any members of the public having the right to use such Vehicular Public Access Easement, subject to, and upon the following terms and conditions:
  - Restrictions on Use. The regulation on the use of the Vehicular Public Access Easement described above, including activities prohibited within the public access easement shall be pursuant to Planning Department Rule 21, Public Access: Usage. In addition, public access will be open generally from sunrise or 6:00 a.m., whichever is earlier, to one-half hour beyond sunset or 6:30 p.m., whichever is later. Access for night fishing past 6:30 p.m. shall be allowed for those individuals who are actively engaged in night fishing activities, and does not include the right to overnight camping.
  - Maintenance and Control of the Vehicular Public Access Easement. The (b) Grantee shall be solely responsible for maintaining, controlling, insuring and repairing the Vehicular Public Access Easement and any and all improvements constructed upon and/or located within said Vehicular Public Access Easement, in a good and safe condition, ordinary wear and tear excepted. Any improvements constructed or installed upon the Vehicular Public Access Easement shall require the prior approval of the Planning Director. Any and all additional improvements made to the pedestrian public access or within the Vehicular Public Access Easement area shall be maintained by the party responsible for said improvements. The Grantor and Grantee agree that the execution and delivery to the County of Hawaii by Grantor of this Grant of Public Access Easement shall constitute full and final compliance with all public access requirements for the lands of the Property of Section 46-6.5, HRS, Chapter 205A, HRS, Chapters 23 (Subdivision) and 34 (Public Access), Hawaii

County Code, and Planning Department Rule 21 relating to Public Access: Usage.

- 2. The Grantor and Grantee further agree that the use of the Vehicular Public Access Easement by the general public for the purposes permitted hereunder constitutes use for "recreational purposes" within the meaning of the Hawaii Recreational Use Statute, Chapter 520, HRS.
- 3. That Grantee and the members of the general public shall not use the Vehicular Public Access Easement for any purpose not expressly permitted herein.

That if at any time the premises across which the rights and easements are hereby granted, or any part thereof, shall be condemned or taken by any governmental authority, Grantee shall have the right to claim and recover from the condemning authority, but not from Grantor, such compensation as is payable for the said rights and easements within the public access easement by Grantee, all of which shall be payable to Grantee.

- 5. The terms "Grantor" and "Grantee" wherever used herein shall include Grantor and Grantee and their respective heirs, devisees, personal representatives and assigns according to the context thereof.
- 6. All the terms, covenants and conditions of this Grant of Public Access Easement shall run with the land and shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the successors and assigns of Grantor and the successor and assigns of Grantee to the same extent as said terms, covenants and conditions inure to the benefit of and are binding upon Grantor and Grantee, respectively.
- 7. This writing contains the entire agreement of the parties hereto concerning the subject matter hereof, and this Grant of Public Access Easement supersedes all other agreements and understanding (whether oral or written) heretofore or contemporaneously herewith made by the parties.
- 8. The parties hereto agree that this instrument may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, and said counterparts shall together constitute one and the same agreement, binding all of the parties hereto, notwithstanding all of the parties are not signatory to the original or the same counterparts. For all purposes, including without

limitation, recordation, filing and delivery of this instrument, duplicate unexecuted and unacknowledged pages of the counterparts may be discarded and the remaining pages assembled as one document.

The parties agree that the person or company recording or arranging for the recordation of this instrument is authorized to complete any blanks contained in this instrument with the applicable number of pages, dates, and recordation information, whether before or after this instrument has been notarized by a notary public, and in no event shall completion of any such blanks be deemed an alteration of this instrument by means of the insertion of new content.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this instrument on the day and year first above written.

COUNTY OF HAWAII, a municipal corporation  By HARRY KIM	SURETY KOHALA CORPORATION, a Hawaii corporation  By  MASAHIRO KUME
Its: Mayor  AGREED AND ACCEPTED:	Its President  By WILLIAM M. SHONTILL, III
By DUANE KANUHA Its Planning Director	Its Executive Vice-President
Date:	
Approved as to Form and Legality	
By	es i
Its Deputy Corporation Counsel	

Date: 11-15-16

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this instrument on the day and year first above written.

COUNTY OF HAWAII, a municipal corporation	SURETY KOHALA CORPORATION, a Hawaii corporation		
By Its: Mayor	By MASAHIRO KUME Its President		
AGREED AND ACCEPTED:	By WILLIAM M. SHONTELL, III Its Executive Vice-President		
By MICHAEL WEB Its Planning Director			
Date: 16/17			
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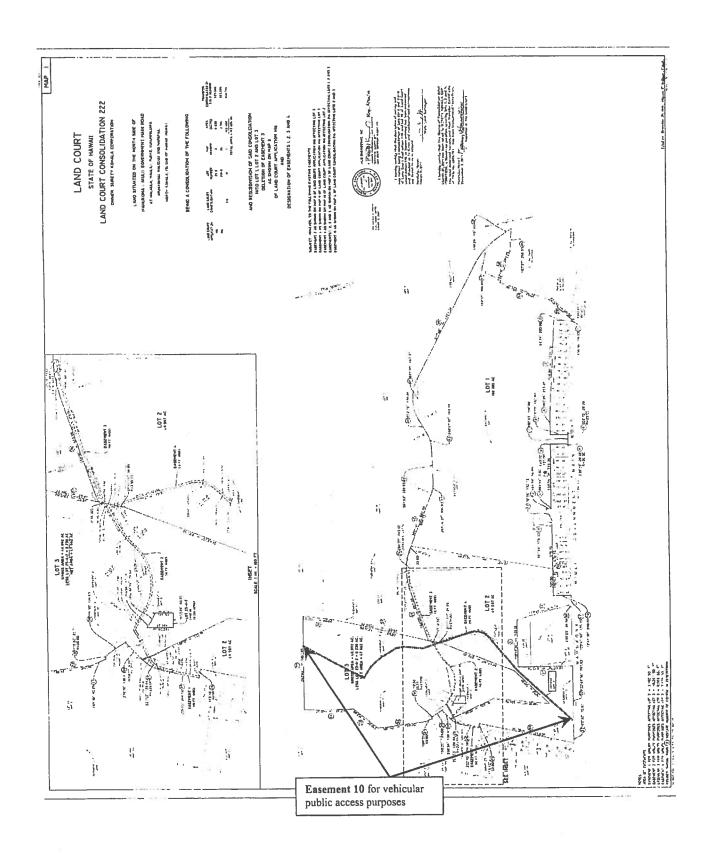
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COUNTY OF HAWAII	) ss. )	
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of ins an Ha	On January 9,2017, before me personally appeared HARRY KIM, to be personally known, who being by me duly sworn, did say that he is the Mayor of the County Hawai'i, a municipal corporation of the State of Hawai'i; that the seal affixed to the foregoing strument is the corporate seal of said County of Hawai'i; the foregoing instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of the County of Hawai'i by authority given to said Mayor of the County of awaii by Section 5-1.3 and 13-13 of the County Charter, County of Hawaii (2000), as mended; and said HARRY KIM acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and daed of the Room Notary Public, State of Hawaii Printed Name:  MARTHA A. RODILAS  My commission expires:  3/26/18
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## **EXHIBIT A**

Easement 10, containing an area of 1.735 acres, as shown on Map 4, Land Court Consolidation No. 216, for vehicular access purposes, as set out in Land Court Order No. 180611.

**END OF EXHIBIT A** 



**EXHIBIT B**