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TO: The Honorable John M. Mizuno, Chair  
House Committee on Health

FROM: Alice L. Lee  
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SUBJECT: **HEARING OF FEBRUARY 11, 2020; TESTIMONY IN SUPPORT OF  
HB 2713, RELATING TO HEALTH**

Thank you for the opportunity to testify in **support** of this important measure. The purpose of this measure is to appropriate funds for parking-facility improvements for the Maui Memorial Medical Center.

The Maui County Council has not had the opportunity to take a formal position on this measure. Therefore, I am providing this testimony in my capacity as an individual member of the Maui County Council.

I support this measure for the following reasons:

1. The current parking facilities at the Maui Memorial Medical Center, Maui County's only full-service hospital, are inadequate to serve the needs of our residents and visitors.
2. This measure will accommodate the County's projected growth and the resulting increase in parking requirements at the hospital.
3. The need for parking at the Maui Memorial Medical Center is projected to increase nearly 75 percent in the next five years.

For the foregoing reasons, I **support** this measure.

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