SALARY COMMISSION

COUNTY OF KAUA'I

Resolution No. 2020-1

RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE SALARIES OF CERTAIN OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE COUNTY OF KAUA'I

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 29.01 of the Kaua'i County Charter, the Salary Commission establishes the maximum salaries of all elected and appointed officers as defined in Section 23.01 D of the Charter;

WHEREAS, the Office of the County Attorney has always had significant turnover;

WHEREAS, the Office of the County Attorney currently has four vacant attorney positions, which affects services provided to the entire County;

WHEREAS, the average law school graduate with an average student loan debt of \$145,550;

WHEREAS, the average loan payment for that amount of debt would be \$1,656 a month;

WHEREAS, the Office of the County Attorney is looking to use this benefit to attract and retain attorneys;

BE IT RESOLVED by the Salary Commission of the County of Kaua'i, State of Hawai'i, that effective July 1, 2020 the Office of the County Attorney is authorized to pay up to \$600 per month to each attorney to cover loan repayments.

Adopted by the Salary Commission at its meeting on February 13, 2020:

Trinette Kaui, Chair

Kenneth Rainforth, Vice Chair

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