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Homeowners qualify for discount on flood insurance through National Flood Insurance Program

LĪHU‘E – Starting April 1, 2023, homeowners may qualify for a 10% discount on flood insurance through the National Flood Insurance Program.

“This discount is a result of our community's flood mitigation activities to protect lives and reduce property damage,” said Mayor Derek S.K. Kawakami. “Mahalo to our Department of Public Works Engineering Division for submitting the application and our community for the actions and vigilance during emergency incidents.”

Earlier this year, the Federal Emergency Management Agency approved the county's application to the National Flood Insurance Program's (NFIP) Community Rating System (CRS).

The Department of Homeland Security verified that the County of Kaua'i exceeds the minimum standards of the NFIP and meets the criteria for a CRS Class 8 rating. This qualifies homeowners for a 10% discount through the National Flood Insurance Program.

To apply for the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP), visit www.floodsmart.gov or call the NFIP Help Center at 1-877-336-2627.

Anyone with questions may contact the Department of Public Works Engineering Division at pwengineering@kauai.gov or 808-241-4883.

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