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July 2, 2014

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2014/ELOG-166 (MS) 2013/ELOG-223 2011/CUP-19

Mr. Keith Kurahashi Kusao & Kurahashi, Inc. Manoa Market Place 2752 Woodlawn Drive, Suite 5-217 Honolulu, Hawaii 96822

Dear Mr. Kurahashi:

SUBJECT:

Revised Plans

Conditional Use Permit No. 2011/CUP-19

Ko Olina Marina Boat Ramp and Boat Trailer Parking

92-100 Waipahe Place and 920105 Kekai Place - Honouliuli

Tax Map Key 9-1-57: Portions of 19 and 22

We have reviewed your parking and landscape plan and the revisions to the Public Access Master Plan (PAMP), submitted on January 28, 2014 and March 20, 2014, respectively. and find that the requirements of Conditions 2 of the minor modification to the Conditional Use Permit (CUP) No. 2011/CUP-19, dated October 11, 2013, has been fully satisfied. Accordingly. you may now proceed to apply for building permits. The parking and landscape plan, which has been marked as Exhibit E-1, is approved and made part of the file.

Condition 5, requesting that the Master Public Access Plan, is not entirely satisfied. Your March 20, 2014 submittal, which aimed at fulfilling Condition 5 of the minor modification approval included a conceptual site plan (identified as Exhibit B-1) and a sign plan (identified as Exhibit B-2). We have determined that the submittal was insufficient (see below). Because we are aware that the boating community is anxious for the Applicant to fulfill its longstanding promise to provide a public boat ramp, we will modify Condition 5, as noted below, to allow issuance of development permits to proceed for boat ramp construction. Also, Condition 3 has been revised.

## Modification of Condition 5 Revised Master Public Access Plan

As provided in Condition 6 of the minor modification to CUP No. 2011/CUP-19. Condition 5 is amended as follows:

"Within one year of this approval, on July 2, 2015, the Applicant shall revise the PAMP as noted below:

- 1. An explanation whether Exhibits B-1 (which we had in our files) and B-2 are to replace existing plans or are new plans to be added to the PMAP was not provided. An explanation shall be submitted.
- 2. A sign plan for the boat ramp calls for three "Boat Ramp" signs, two along Farrington Highway and one at the intersection of Kekai Place and Aliinui Drvie. This sign should read "Public Boat Ramp" and a directional arrow should be provided. We recommend that at least one additional directional sign be provided closer to the Aliinui Drive/Farrington Highway intersection because the boat ramp is at the opposite end of Aliinui Drive. The Land Use Commission (LUC) confirmed the petitioners representations of Docket No. A83-562 in a declaratory ruling Docket No.08-35, that the boat ramp be for public use.

We note that the parking at the boat ramp parking areas is limited to those with parking permits. It is not our intention to limit parking in this manner.

- 3. The language of Section II Affected Areas of the PMAP should be modified to reference the affected areas and new exhibits.
- 4. If the fifth cul-de-sac provides access to the fourth lagoon, this should be clarified in the first paragraph of Section IV Pedestrian Access of the PMAP.
- A narrative addressing public access to the boat ramp should be provided. If the status of the recordation of the public access easements and lagoons has changed, paragraph two of Section IV Pedestrian Access should be updated.
- 6. Section VI Parking should address public boat ramp parking and boat trailer parking.
- 7. The reference to marina boat ramp in Section VIII Signage should refer to the public boat ramp to be consistent with the signage.
- 8. The narrative of Section IX Special Requirements for Users of Marina Facilities should be updated to reflect the current plan. For clarity, this section should be amended to distinguish between government regulations, which are assumed, and requirements imposed by Ko Olina. Because the UA incorporates the conditions of the LUC, we suggest that, in addition to referencing the UA and SMP, the PAMP should also reference the LUCs Decision and Order. The status of park and access easement and recordation should be updated, if needed.

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In preparing revisions to the PAMP, the Applicant shall contact the Department of Parks and Recreation (DPR) to advance compliance with Condition 5 of the Unilateral Agreement (UA) for Ordinance No. 86-09. Documentation, consisting of written correspondence with DPR shall be submitted as evidence of this effort."

## Modification of Condition 3 Required Landscaping

The revised parking and landscape plan shows 30 boat trailer parking stalls, and a total of 60 temporary gravel parking stalls in two locations. We note that the proposed parking lot landscaping does not comply with the landscape screening requirements of Section 21-4.70 of the Land Use Ordinance (LUO). Section 21-2.90-2(c) of the LUO allows the Director to modify landscape requirements when granting a CUP. Because the parking is temporary and unpaved, we herein modify the landscape requirements to allow the landscaping shown on the approved plans, provided that landscaping be made compliant when permanent parking is provided in phase two of the development.

If you have any questions, please contact Malynne Simeon of our staff at 768-8023.

Very truly yours,

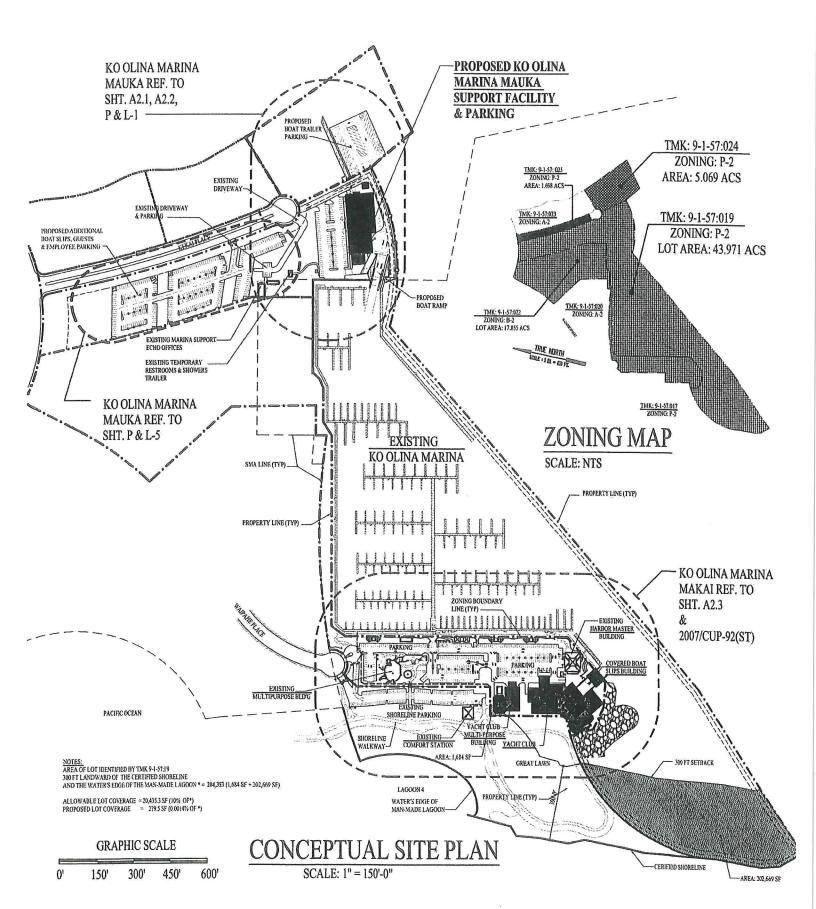
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**EXHIBIT B-1** 



