APPENDIX J-1
SHPD Approval of Monitoring Plan
August 24, 2012

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Aloha Dr. Dega:

SUBJECT: Chapter 6E-42 Historic Preservation Review- Maui County Archaeological Monitoring Plan for a 917 Meter Access Road and 86.029 Acres Pulehu-Nui Ahupua'a, Wailuku District, Island of Maui

TMK (2) 3-8-008:005, 006, and 019

Thank you for the opportunity to review the draft plan titled An Archaeological Monitoring Plan for A 917 Meter (3,007 feet) Long Alternate Access Road and an 86.029-Acre Property in Puunene, Pulehu Nui Ahupua'a, Wailuku District, Island of Maui, Hawai‘i [TMK: (2) 3-8-008:005, 006, and 019] by Chaffee and Dega (October 2011). This document was received by our staff on October 11, 2011. We recently accepted an archaeological inventory survey report for the subject project (Log. 2011.2267, Doc. 1206MD01).

The archaeological inventory survey reported the re-investigation of two documented sites (SIHP 50-50-09-4164 and 4801) which were included in an earlier survey for the larger acreage (Tomanari-Tuggle, et al. 2001). Twelve additional features were added to Site 4164, the Puunene Naval Air Station, and three additional features were added to Site 4801, a post-war cattle ranching area. The existing access road was not subject to subsurface archaeological testing, so archaeological monitoring was recommended for any sub-surface construction work on the proposed alternate access road project. The plan outlines the proposed objectives and procedures that will be implemented to prevent damage to unknown sites, including the identification and documentation of any newly discovered archaeological and cultural features.

The plan meets the requirements of HAR 13-279 and is accepted by SHPD. However, we request that the following minor corrections be made for the Final submittal:

1. Change all of the references to the associated accepted SCS AIS report from the pending status.
2. Remove “see Inventory Survey Results Section below” on page 16 (no AIS results Section identified)

Please send one hardcopy of the final document including the requested minor revisions, clearly marked FINAL, along with a copy of this review letter and a text-searchable PDF version on CD to the Kapolei SHPD office, attention SHPD Library. Please contact Jenny Pickett at (808) 243-5169 or Jenny.L.Pickett@Hawaii.gov if you have any questions regarding this letter.

Mahalo,

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