

Chapter 6 - Agency & Public Participation

The scoping process for the HoKua Place involved a variety of means for input and comments.

6.1 Comment Letter, Scoping Letters & Letters of Support

Comment letters, scoping letters and letters of support for HoKua Place (formerly known as Kapa'a Highlands II) were received from a variety of governmental agencies, businesses and individuals. The following is a list of letters received by HoKua Place related to the project. (All letters are attached as Appendix N).

- Larry Dill P.E. - County Engineer, Kaua'i County - Department of Public Works (1/4/12)
- Stanly Vasques (1/4/12)
- Willie Sanchez (12/30/11)
- William N. Arakaki - Kaua'i Complex Area Superintendent, State of Hawai'i - Department of Education (10/28/11)
- Sally Jo Manea - President of Board of Directors, Kaua'i Path Inc. & Tommy A. Noyes, Member of the Board of Directors, Kaua'i Path Inc. (10/17/11)
- David Vickers - Island Truss (10/14/11)
- Neil J. Clendeninn, MD, PhD, MS-arch (10/14/11)
- Kurt R. Bosshard - President, Kapa'a Solar LLC & Trustee, Kurt Bosshard Trust (10/6/11)
- Tim Bynum - Councilmember, Kaua'i County Council (10/5/11)
- Gary Hooser - Director, State of Hawai'i - Office of Environmental Quality Control (10/3/11)
- Michael A. Dahilig - Planning Director, Kaua'i County - Department of Planning (8/31/11)
- David R. Craddick, P.E. - Manager and Chief Engineer, Kaua'i County - Department of Water (8/22/11)
- Michael A. Dahilig - Planning Director, Kaua'i County - Department of Planning (4/4/11)
- Bernard P. Carvalho, Jr. - Mayor, Kaua'i County (3/1/11)
- Bernard P. Carvalho, Jr. - Mayor, Kaua'i County (12/9/10)
- Raymond J. McCormick, P.E. - District Engineer, State of Hawai'i - Department of Transportation-Highways Division (11/3/10)
- Nancy McMahon - Deputy SHPO/State Archeologist and Historic Preservation Manager, State of Hawai'i - Department of Land and Natural Resources-Historic Preservation Division (6/28/10)
- Eugene K. Jimenez - Housing Director, Kaua'i County - Housing Agency (3/2/10)
- Ian K. Costa - Planning Director, Kaua'i County - Department of Planning (1/5/10)
- Edward Tschupp - Chief, Kaua'i County - Department of Public Works-Wastewater Division & Donald M. Fujimoto - Engineer, Kaua'i County - Department of Public Works-Wastewater Division (12/22/09)
- Chris Tadani - Eastside Distribution Planner, KIUC (9/6/07)
- Ian K. Costa - Planning Director, Kaua'i County - Department of Planning (5/29/07)
- Don Hibbard - Administrator, State of Hawai'i - Department of Land and Natural Resources-Historic Preservation Division (12/14/99)
- Heidi Meeker - Planning Section, State of Hawai'i Department of Education - Facilities Development Branch (4/25/12)

6.2 Meetings with Governmental Agencies & Other Entities

Since 2004, HoKua Place has been meeting with various governmental agencies and other entities in the design and development of the HoKua Place project.

On October 22, 2011, Greg Allen on behalf of HoKua Place (formerly known as Kapa'a Highlands II), gave a presentation to the Wailua-Kapa'a Neighborhood Association.

Additionally, the following is a list of people and entities representatives of HoKua Place (formerly known as Kapa'a Highlands II) has met with over the past 9 years.

- State of Hawai'i, Office of Environmental Quality Control Staff- notifying them of intent to submit Draft EA and anticipated FONSI (1/24/12)
- Bernard Carvalho - Mayor, Kaua'i County (6+ times between 2010-2012 – last meeting 1/19/12)
- Department of Planning, County of Kaua'i, Staff (15+ times between 2004-2012)
- Department of Housing, County of Kaua'i, Staff (14+ times between 2004-2012)
- David R. Craddick, P.E. Manager and Chief Engineer, Bill Eddy & Staff - Department of Water, Kaua'i County (4+ times between 2010-2012)
- Dan Davidson, Director & Staff - State of Hawai'i, Land Use Commission (2010 & 12/28/11)
- William N. Arakaki - Kaua'i Complex Area Superintendent, State of Hawai'i - Department of Education & Bernard Carvalho - Mayor, Kaua'i County (10/17/11)
- Kaua'i Path Inc. (10/13/11)
- Kaua'i County Council Members Jay Fufaro & Tim Bynum (10/3/11)
- Jessie Souki, Director - State of Hawai'i, Office of Planning (9/22/11)
- Andrea Suzuki – Attorney, County of Kaua'i- Department of Water (September 2011)
- County of Kaua'i Water Board (7/28/11)
- Larry Dill - Engineering Director, County of Kaua'i - Department of Public Works (2+ in 2011)
- Mike Dahilig - Planning Director, County of Kaua'i (2+ times between 2010-2011)
- Eugene Jiminez - Housing Director, County of Kaua'i (2+ times between 2010-2011)
- Edward Tschupp - Chief, Kaua'i County - Department of Public Works-Wastewater Division (4+ times in 2011)
- Wally Kudo & Staff Engineers - Department of Public Works, Kaua'i County (6+ times between 2010-2011)
- County of Kaua'i Planning Commission (8+ times between 2004-2011)
- Raymond J. McCormick, P.E. - District Engineer, State of Hawai'i - Department of Transportation-Highways Division (3+ times between 2010-2011)
- Tommy Contrades, Commissioner - State of Hawai'i, Land Use Commission (September 2011)
- Nancy McMahan - Deputy SHPO/State Archeologist and Historic Preservation Manager, State of Hawai'i - Department of Land and Natural Resources-Historic Preservation Division (May 2010)
- Ed Tschupp, Wynne Ushigome, Gregg Fujikawa, Ed Doi & Staff - Department of Water, County of Kaua'i (10+ times between 2004-2010)
- Alfred Castillo, Jr. - County Attorney, County of Kaua'i (2010)
- Ian Costa - Planning Director, County of Kaua'i (15+ times between 2004-2009)
- Ken Rainforth - Housing Director, County of Kaua'i (10+ times between 2004-2009)
- Matthew Pyun – County Attorney, County of Kaua'i (2007)
- Bryan Baptist - Mayor, Kaua'i County (6+ times between 2004-2007)

6.3 Section 343-5e HRS Preparation Notice EIS Recipients

Copies of the Section 343-5e HRS Preparation Notice Environmental Impact Statement were sent to the following entities:

Federal

U.S. Department of the Interior, Fish & Wildlife Service

State of Hawai'i

Department of Agriculture

Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism - Office of Planning

Department of Education

Department of Education - Hawai'i State Library, Kapa'a Branch

Department of Health

Department of Health - OEQC

Department of Land & Natural Resources

Department of Transportation

Office of Hawaiian Affairs

County of Kaua'i

Office of the Mayor

Department of Parks & Recreation

Department of Planning

Department of Public Works

Department of Transportation

Department of Water

Fire Department

Police Department