

From: [John Fitzpatrick](#)
To: [State Land Use Commission, Members of the Land Use Commission](#)
Subject: 1,059 signers: #SaveOlowalu: Please Testify To The State Of Hawaii LUC, Reject The Olowalu EIS petition
Date: 11/15/2015 09:26 AM

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From: [Emily Kelly](#)
To: [Hawaii Land Use Commission](#)
Subject: A10-786 Olowalu Town - Testimony on the Final-EIS
Date: 11/16/2015 09:24 AM

November 16, 2015

Dear Hawaii Land Use Commissioners,

We are writing this testimony to strongly urge you to reject the Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) as it was not conducted with the appropriate scientific rigor to properly evaluate the potential impacts of the proposed Olowalu Town on one of Maui's most valuable coral reefs. As a group of marine biologists working at Scripps Institution of Oceanography^[1] and conducting regular peer-reviewed coral reef research on Maui for over a decade, we have reviewed the current FEIS. **We find that this report has insufficiently and in some cases erroneously attempted to quantify the coral reef environment adjacent to the proposed Olowalu Town area. We therefore urge you to request that further study is needed in order to truly evaluate to potential impact of the Olowalu Town development on one of the largest stretches of coral reef on the island of Maui.** As it stands now the study did not use stratified random sampling which is standard procedure in reef monitoring but rather, site selection appeared to have been haphazard or biased. Given the extensive nature of the Olowalu reef, sampling was not adequate enough for a thorough assessment. As a result, it will also not be possible to measure the impact of the proposed action given this initial assessment is flawed. Further, the study concluded that sedimentation was the primary stressor affecting reef health at Olowalu and thus recommended that any effort to reduce sedimentation would have a positive effect on the reef. However, the assessment did not consider other potential impacts of the development on the future of the Olowalu reef (additional nutrients, pesticide, herbicides, fishing, etc). We would also like to point out that over the past year and a half the coral reefs in the Hawaiian Islands have experienced a massive coral bleaching event associated with pervasively elevated warm seawater in the region. This event has caused widespread coral mortality around the state including extensive changes to the reefs off of Olowalu. A more accurate and up-to-date assessment is needed on vast coral reefs and reef resources off of the proposed Olowalu Town to assess risk to the marine resources and the necessary mitigation measurements to the proposed actions.

Hawaii state law (HAR 11-200) specifies that an EIS "shall **fully declare** the environmental implications of the proposed action and **shall discuss all relevant and feasible consequences of the action.**" Given the errors in the study of marine resources, it is therefore not possible

for the EIS to address all environmental implications and consequences of the proposed action. Thus, we find the current proposal FEIS to be not a final EIS.

In particular,

Appendix E, Figure 22: While in the FEIS the authors write that the ‘outer reef flat’ is ‘essentially pristine ecological settings unaffected by most human activities, with the exception of fishing,’ this contrasts the images of the reef in this figure, indicated to be from the “outer reef flat.” In this image, sedimentation stress and overgrowth by turf algae are both clear. **Therefore, this is not an “essentially pristine” reef but rather a reef impacted by sediment stress.** Thus, the impact of sediment influence proposed in the EIS is underestimated and more strict mitigation measures against sediment deposition should be undertaken given the proposed action.

Appendix E, Figure 30: Sampling in the top half of the figure is clustered and clearly not done in a random stratified manner as is accepted by the scientific community. Therefore, the extrapolation from several clusters of samples to entire reef areas is not valid. Importantly, the entire middle portion of the reef is not sampled but is assigned percent cover of 50-90% in the lower map. **This is not scientifically sound.** In addition, areas on the map that indicate 90% cover would only be possible when looking down on an individual healthy coral colony and is not possible when scaled up to look across the Olowalu reef community on a reefscape scale. **We there find multiple errors in the approach to sampling used to make the lower map, which renders the map invalid.**

Appendix E, Figure 31, 32: As in comment 2 (above), the sampling is not scientifically sound and thus the **maps of distributions across the entire reef are not valid.**

Vol 1, Part 5, Page 115, third paragraph: The text recognizes the bleaching events that have occurred throughout the Hawaiian Islands in 2014 and 2015. While the author of this paragraph notes visiting the reef for one day in September, our research team has spent weeks underwater at this site throughout the 2014 and 2015 bleaching events and have noted considerable changes to the Olowalu reefs (unpublished but available data). **A more accurate and up-to-date assessment is needed on vast coral reefs and reef resources off of the proposed Olowalu Town to assess risk to the marine resources and the necessary mitigation measurements to the proposed actions.**

Vol 1, Part 5, Page 115, last paragraph: The text states that reefs will benefit from the proposed development with the assumption that the development will reduce sediment loads onto the reef. While the EIS indicates it will mitigate against sediments, it does not indicate specific coverage of sediment mitigation strategies and thus it will be impossible to enforce or assess if these measures are taken to the extent necessary to prevent additional sedimentation on the reef. **There is no evidence to support the suggestion of a reduction in sedimentation** from the proposed action as sediment from both land runoff adjacent to the ocean as well as from stream deposition impact the reef and there is no evidence as to the efficacy of mitigation measures in reducing both of these impacts.

Vol 1, Part 5, Page 116, first paragraph: We find this paragraph to be in error. We do not agree that sediment on the reef is limited to areas in the inner reef but rather we have data and images that indicate sediment stress throughout the Olowalu reef area in the EIS mapped areas. This is related to our comment 1 (above).

Vol 1, Part 5, Page 116, second paragraph: The EIS references the ability to “avoid unforeseen impacts during construction and operational phases of the project;” **given that these impacts are admittedly impossible to foresee, it is therefore inappropriate to call these potential impacts "zero impact."**

Missing data: Olowalu is known to have rare corals present, many of which were recommended for listing for additional legislative protection under federal law. These corals are not mentioned in the EIS and in response to 2012 comments, it was indicated they are not distinguishable from common corals. We disagree that it is not possible to distinguish these corals but also add that **the difficulty in identifying these corals in the field should not preclude the need for more strict mitigation measures as the consequence of losing these corals is both important to the reef community and the people of Hawaii.**

Consideration of feasible consequences: We have conducted research at Olowalu for the last 15 years and recognize the reef as a sediment-stressed but importantly still “healthy” reef with some of the greatest abundances of corals on the island of Maui. However, the additional sediment stress that we anticipate would occur as a result of the proposed action even with the possible suite of mitigation measures proposed that could be included **will likely cause further stress on this reef and future decline.** With global stressors like the

current El Niño in which ocean temperatures are warmer and corals have bleached, this additional human-induced stress will likely result in further reef decline.

Given these errors and missing components in the FEIS, the Olowalu Town Final EIS does not "fully declare" the environmental implications of the proposed project or fully discuss the "feasible consequences." Without an accurate view of likely impacts that will affect local residents and our lands, waters and wildlife, the FEIS does not meet the content standards for an EIS, and should not be accepted.

Thank you,

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From: [Susan Douglas](#)
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Subject: A10-786 Olowalu Town - Testimony on the Final-EIS
Date: 11/15/2015 07:37 AM

Dear LUC Commissioners,

Please do not approve the FEIS for the proposed Olowalu Town. This EIS is not "Final." It needs a lot more work. Our state laws (HAR 11-200) specify what the content of an EIS needs to be. The law is clear. It says an EIS “shall **fully declare** the environmental implications of the proposed action and **shall discuss all relevant and feasible consequences of the action.**”

The Olowalu Town Final EIS does not "fully declare" the environmental implications of the proposed project or discuss the "feasible consequences." Instead, it relies on assumptions that nothing the project does will cause any harm. I am concerned that the FEIS has assumptions about the project's impacts (traffic impacts, marine life impacts, aquifer impacts, impacts on public services, cultural resource impacts, impacts to wildlife, impacts on Prime Ag Land, impacts on the stream, impacts on beach access that are not meaningfully discussed in the document, or in some cases not even mentioned.

Without an accurate view of likely impacts that will affect local residents and our lands, waters and wildlife, the FEIS does not meet the content standards for an EIS, and should not be accepted.

Warmest Mahalo and Aloha!

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Date: 11/13/2015 01:56 PM

A10-786 Olowalu Town: Testimony on the Final-EIS

I have many concerns about the EIS but would like to focus primarily on the proposed wetlands as part of the Wastewater Treatment Plan.

Has any consideration been given to the fact that wetlands are typically a breeding ground for mosquitoes? With the recent article in the Lahaina News that talks about the various mosquito borne illnesses including Dengue fever, it is imperative that we do not inadvertently create a mosquito habitat. A study conducted in 2006 identifies this issue clearly. "Mosquito Habitat and Dengue Risk Potential in Hawaii: A Conceptual Framework and GIS Application"

Page 144 of this study overtly states "Wetlands serve as a natural breeding ground for mosquitoes.." It also concludes (Page 147), "... wetlands may provide mosquito habitat in areas that are not conducive to mosquito survival otherwise, given low precipitation receipt..."

So essentially this plan is likely to create a breeding ground for mosquitoes in an area where they would not otherwise breed.

The study goes on to show that West Maui is a potential Dengue Fever outbreak area. (see map page 149)

This presents a serious health hazard and needs to be addressed.

I may not be able to attend the public hearing so I am submitting this via email.

Linda Jenkins

From: [Matthew Gurewitsch](mailto:Matthew.Gurewitsch@dbedt.hawaii.gov)
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Date: 11/14/2015 07:45 AM

Aloha LUC Commissioners,

I am writing for the second time to express my opposition to development at Olowalu. The first time I wrote, I was not up to speed on the exact scope of your agenda. Now that I understand that your focus is on the EIS exclusively, I would like to focus my testimony accordingly. My position, however, remains as before. I believe my case may not be unique, and I urge you to read other testimony in the intended spirit. Mahalo for your consideration.

Please do not approve the FEIS for the proposed Olowalu Town. This EIS is not "Final." It needs a lot more work. Our state laws (HAR 11-200) specify what the content of an EIS needs to be. The law is clear. It says an EIS “shall **fully declare** the environmental implications of the proposed action and **shall discuss all relevant and feasible consequences of the action.**”

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I am concerned that the FEIS has assumptions about the project's impacts on marine life, aquifers, the streams, public service, beach access, or Prime Ag lands that are not meaningfully discussed in the document, or in some cases not even mentioned. This list of omissions is only partial.

Without an accurate view of likely impacts that will affect local residents and our lands, waters and wildlife, the FEIS does not meet the content standards for an EIS, and should not be accepted.

Mahalo,

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Date: 11/16/2015 02:54 PM

From: Elle Cochran
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Cc: Amie M. Stokes
Subject: Testimony Opposing Olowalu Town IES

TO: Honorable Chair
State Land Use Committee
FROM: Councilmember Elle Cochran
Councilmember
DATE: November 18, 2015
SUBJECT: Opposition to Olowalu EIS

Thank you for the opportunity to testify in Opposition to this important matter.

I strongly oppose this matter for the following reasons:

1. The Olowalu Town plan would boost Olowalu's population from 80 to over 4,000 residents over the next 10 years, however the current EIS states there will be no impact to the ocean, reef eco-system, limu, and fish. Furthermore it states that there will be no impact to our streams and aquifers, no loss of prime agricultural lands, and no adverse impact to the traditional and customary use of Olowalu lands and waters.

I do not believe that the current EIS is accurate or complete. Having looked at the proposal for the project myself, I believe that the proposed 1,500 plus houses, condos and apartments on almost 400 acres along with the proposed placement of the wastewater treatment plant will have adverse and potentially devastating impacts on the surrounding environment.

2. The current EIS also states that there will be no impact to public access to the coastline.

Having taken into consideration the proposed relocation and expansion of the Honoapiilani Hwy to a 4 lane Hwy that will run mauka of the current placement, I believe that public access will be adversely impacted.

3. The Olowalu Town proposal in its current state stands to adversely impact fishermen, watermen and most importantly cultural artifacts and structures. The proposed placement of the new highway would possibly encroach on Hawaiian heiau and burial grounds at Pu'u Kilea.

For the foregoing reasons, I strongly oppose this matter.

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My additional comments are:

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Suzanne hawkins
San Diego, CA

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My additional comments are:

Please protect this land. Hawaii, especially Maui is one of my favorite places to be in the world. The natural land, the beauty, the ocean. Plus I have many loved ones who live there. Please keep it the way it is. Protect it, the land and ocean. It would be a devastating blow to everyone and things if they do this. It will destroy Maui! Do not build here!!!!

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Lindsay Young
Barnesville, MN

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From: [charlotte keichinger](mailto:charlotte.keichinger@moveon.org)
Reply To: moveon-petitions-anon+em-14545427-20151127-PO834b@moveon.org
To: [State Land Use Commission, Members of the Land Use Commission](#)
Subject: I'm the 635th signer: "#SaveOlowalu: Please Testify To The State Of Hawaii LUC, Reject The Olowalu EIS"
Date: 11/13/2015 09:23 AM

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My additional comments are:

Do not want to see maui have environment probably. Let maui stay maui and quite growing and wrecking maui.

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charlotte keichinger
edmonton, Canada

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From: [Kim](#)
Reply To: moveon-petitions-anon+em-8614602-20151127-NPM=Tg@moveon.org
To: [State Land Use Commission, Members of the Land Use Commission](#)
Subject: I'm the 636th signer: "#SaveOlowalu: Please Testify To The State Of Hawaii LUC, Reject The Olowalu EIS"
Date: 11/13/2015 09:22 AM

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My additional comments are:

Please do not develop anymore of Maui. She is perfect the way she is. Mahalo.

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Kim
Dallas, TX

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From: [Kylie DuPont](#)
Reply To: moveon-petitions-anon+em-14545719-20151127-kmURpH@moveon.org
To: [State Land Use Commission, Members of the Land Use Commission](#)
Subject: I'm the 645th signer: "#SaveOlowalu: Please Testify To The State Of Hawaii LUC, Reject The Olowalu EIS"
Date: 11/13/2015 09:23 AM

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My additional comments are:

Don't destroy things that make this island beautiful and unique to build more houses that are too expensive for most residents to afford. If anyone not set to profit from this took a step back to look at it, it's really a terrible idea.

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Kylie DuPont

Kihei, HI

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From: [Teri Corpuz](#)
Reply To: moveon-petitions-anon+em-12910875-20151127-IHvkcc@moveon.org
To: [State Land Use Commission, Members of the Land Use Commission](#)
Subject: I'm the 646th signer: "#SaveOlowalu: Please Testify To The State Of Hawaii LUC, Reject The Olowalu EIS"
Date: 11/13/2015 09:22 AM

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My additional comments are:

we must aloha 'aina. stop desecrating the land.

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Teri Corpuz
Pukalani, HI

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From: [Bridget A. Mowat](#)
Reply To: moveon-petitions-anon+em-7184562-20151127-NANGot@moveon.org
To: [State Land Use Commission, Members of the Land Use Commission](#)
Subject: I'm the 649th signer: "#SaveOlowalu: Please Testify To The State Of Hawaii LUC, Reject The Olowalu EIS"
Date: 11/13/2015 09:22 AM

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My additional comments are:

Developing Oluwalu will increase traffic. During an emergency, evacuation will be hazardous and long. No emergency facilities. Development will destroy pristine ocean and prevent locals from their surf spot due to over population. This idea will only be fit the developers and not the residence of Maui

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Bridget A. Mowat
Kaunakakai, HI

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From: [Carl Lisk](#)
Reply To: moveon-petitions-anon+em-14545803-20151127-hQEnpP@moveon.org
To: [State Land Use Commission, Members of the Land Use Commission](#)
Subject: I'm the 651st signer: "#SaveOlowalu: Please Testify To The State Of Hawaii LUC, Reject The Olowalu EIS"
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My additional comments are:

Don't build

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Carl Lisk
Lahaina, HI

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From: [Lauren Kunkel](#)
Reply To: moveon-petitions-anon+em-14545866-20151127-ACIle=@moveon.org
To: [State Land Use Commission, Members of the Land Use Commission](#)
Subject: I'm the 654th signer: "#SaveOlowalu: Please Testify To The State Of Hawaii LUC, Reject The Olowalu EIS"
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My additional comments are:

Maui is such a special place. all this development is only furthering its UNSUSTAINABILITY. This would be a terrible impact Maui's world famous beauty.

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Lauren Kunkel

Playa Del Rey, CA

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From: [Keola bachiller](#)
Reply To: [moveon-petitions-anon+em-14545904-20151127- FNrap@moveon.org](mailto:moveon-petitions-anon+em-14545904-20151127-FNrap@moveon.org)
To: [State Land Use Commission, Members of the Land Use Commission](#)
Subject: I'm the 662nd signer: "#SaveOlowalu: Please Testify To The State Of Hawaii LUC, Reject The Olowalu EIS"
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My additional comments are:

We don't need more houses on the island its ruining the island

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Keola bachiller
Kihei, HI

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From: [Kaena Elaban](#)
Reply To: moveon-petitions-anon+em-11555664-20151127-o0dGZu@moveon.org
To: [State Land Use Commission, Members of the Land Use Commission](#)
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My additional comments are:

Stop the building we already have enough homes that no locals will be able to afford!

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Makawao, HI

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Subject: I'm the 674th signer: "#SaveOlowalu: Please Testify To The State Of Hawaii LUC, Reject The Olowalu EIS"
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My additional comments are:

I lived on Maui for 28 years and don't want to see Olowalu destroyed.

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My additional comments are:

Our Roads are not ready for this amount of additional cars. It will destroy our reefs. We are lagging medical support on West Maui. Please this large of a development is just bad for the Island. Our inter structure for west Maui can not support such a development. Tourism and our quality of life suffer and we run the risk of destroying the reefs. Thank you

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My additional comments are:

Save oluwalu!

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From: [Shane Albritton](mailto:Shane.Albritton@dbedt.hawaii.gov)
To: luc@dbedt.hawaii.gov
Subject: OPPOSED - A10-786 Olowalu Town - Testimony of the Final-EIS, Reject the EIS
Date: 11/16/2015 06:03 AM

OPPOSED - A10-786 Olowalu Town - Testimony of the Final-EIS, Reject the EIS

Aloha Members of the Land Use Commission,

My name is Shane Albritton, I'm a teacher at Baldwin High School and I live in Haiku. I oppose the proposed Olowalu town development because the Environmental Impact Statement is inadequate and fails to address the communities concerns about traffic, fires, tsunamis, and the degradation of vital terrestrial and marine habitat just to name a few.

While housing is increasingly a concern, we have to stop and ask ourselves - what kind of Maui are we building - and who is going to own it when it's all said and done? Story after story is being published about locals being "priced out" of Hawaii and having to move to the mainland. And yet new construction seems to be going full speed ahead. This kind of growth brings construction jobs in the short term, but what is the long term impact?

In addition, this development threatens the very existence of the last well developed coral reef on the island. You find 700+ year old kupuna coral colonies that seed adjacent reefs. With the exception of the paid Marine Research Consultants Inc. who claim the retention basin, 1700 homes, 3,000 cars, additional fertilizers and pesticides will actually benefit the largest, oldest, and extremely priceless coral reef ecosystem; coral experts worldwide have told us that this development will exacerbate the affects global climate change and ocean acidification have caused. They say that this development will drive this priceless coral reef down the slippery slope to slime.

I ask you to stand with us and reject the Olowalu town development and the EIS for the sake of future generations and a healthy thriving coral reef ecosystem.

Mahalo,
Shane Albritton

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From: [Skye Coe](#)
Reply To: [Skye Coe](#)
To: luc@dbedt.hawaii.gov
Subject: OPPOSED - A10-786 Olowalu Town - Testimony of the Final-EIS
Date: 11/13/2015 03:36 PM

Subject: OPPOSED - A10-786 Olowalu Town - Testimony of the Final-EIS

Aloha Members of the Land Use Commission,

As a full-time resident of Maui, I am absolutely opposed to the proposed Olowalu town development, which is a recipe for disaster for our island-wide ohana and the aina.

It would increase exponentially the already severe traffic problems on the route from North Kihei to Lahaina and points beyond.

The land in question sits in the tsunami inundation zone. How can one justify building in such an area, knowing what we now know about rising seas? What insurer would insure the property? I leave aside the question of potential loss of life in case of a major weather event.

The development does not in any significant way address the ongoing crisis in affordable housing here on Maui. It is conceived on the same lines that have given us the upscale ghost towns of Launiauapoko and Wailea.

Worst of all, this development threatens the health and very existence of the best-preserved remaining coral reef on our island. The kupuna coral colonies there—some more than 700 years old—constitute a stockpile of irreplaceable genetic material it is this generation's kuleana to preserve for future generations. These coral colonies also seed adjacent reefs. Coral experts worldwide warn that the Olowalu development will aggravate the already devastating effects of global climate change and accelerate the acidification of ocean waters.

I respectfully implore you to stand with those of us whose overriding priority is the health and sustainability of the aina—on land and in the sea—for our keiki and future generations. Save Maui from Olowalu town development.

Aloha and much mahalo for your service and your attention.

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From: [George Vierra](mailto:George.Vierra)
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Cc: saveolowalu@gmail.com
Subject: Please Reject FEIS Olowalu Town
Date: 11/15/2015 09:16 PM

Aloha Land Use Committee Members

I am asking you to reject the FEIS submitted for Olowalu Town Project. It is incomplete and flawed.

I am Hawaiian from Lahaina and I have ohana who are from Olowalu (Saffery and Nahooikaika)

I was born in 1959, the year that Hawaii became the 50th state of the USA, I have seen so much environmental and cultural degradation in my life and it needs to stop. There is no report, no mitigation that can justify the urbanization of this prime ag lands. There are many places right now in West Maui where the buildings are in jeopardy of falling in the ocean (Hololani, Kahana Sunset, Pohailani (makai) etc) that it is extremely irresponsible to allow hotels and apartments to continue to be built makai of the Highway and to even think of putting a wastewater treatment plant 400' mauka of the ocean.

I ask that you realistically look at the claims being made in this flawed FEIS, that you look at the consequences we are already living with and be critical of false statements and folks who have already claimed that there will be no negative effects and were found to be wrong.

The establishment of a "cultural reserve" is the opposite of perpetuating the culture. Hawaiian culture in Hawaii does not belong on a "reserve" it is the entire area. There are many urban towns, hotels apartment buildings and commercial space all over our islands and the world, but there is only one Olowalu and if it is urbanized by this development that claims under \$600,000 is affordable it will be a big blow to my culture. A cultural reserve has no authority to protect cultural access as we see with Kaiwaloa heiau access as unresolved which is included in their own CIA study.

The added traffic to and from this urban sprawl will negatively affect all of west Maui as we have already seen happen with Launiupoko.

These people are already illegally diverting water from State Lands without any State license or permit, they know the State doesn't enforce their own laws and are exploiting the fact they know there are no state or federal inspectors on Maui so they claim BMPs and retention basins will solve all their problems when West Maui has already seen that they don't and there is no plan B for when BMPs and sediment retention basins do not work (Mahana Ridge, Plantation Estates)

There is no plan to supply water to the lo'i in the "cultural reserve" the estimate that the new residents of this town would only use 275 gallons of potable water per day is very low given existing water use in the area is 1000 to 1875 gallons per day per household.

Basically, these people are writing what they think that you want to hear down on paper with no proof that they can deliver and are hoping that you will not call their

bluff. I am asking you to please call their bluff. Who will shoulder the burden of building this town a fire station, a police station, a medic station, ocean safety officers, a school? Impact fees have yet to be set up and so we will all pay for these rich folks infrastructure. This is the very reason we do not want sprawl.

I am not anti-development, I am for smart development and this flawed EIS just proves what a bad idea this project is. Some things just can not be mitigated, some places are just not the right place to build. That is the case here.

Mahalo for reading my testimony.

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From: [Tamara Paltin](mailto:Tamara.Paltin@dbedt.hawaii.gov)
To: luc@dbedt.hawaii.gov
Cc: [save olowalu](mailto:save.olowalu@dbedt.hawaii.gov)
Subject: Please reject Olowalu town FEIS it is incomplete and flawed
Date: 11/15/2015 08:42 PM

Aloha Land Use Committee

Mahalo for reading my testimony.

I strongly urge you to reject the FEIS submitted for the Olowalu Town Project. I have been living in West Maui for about 15 years, I work at Honokahua Bay and I have witnessed the detrimental effects of development at Plantation Estates, Honolua Ridge and now Mahana Ridge (approvals given as Kapalua Mauka) on our ocean environment. Having worked daily at the beach I have witnessed normal runoff events and construction runoff events in our area for years. Construction runoff is much more red and clay like and leaves a thick residue which smothers our reefs. When our community first witnessed this occurring at Honolua (due to Plantation Estates and Honolua Ridge developments) we did not know what to do. We learned from Water Quality Experts the importance of documentation and testing turbidity so when it happened again at Honokahua bay we were somewhat more prepared.

I took pictures sent them to the State DOH Water quality branch as well as enforcement, public works and the EPA, we sampled turbidity, hiked around the public areas of the project, took drone photos and there were many many violations. Although once the development found that the community was upset, they went all out with BMPs, they built sediment retention basins, but it did no good there was irreversible damage that couldn't be stopped. It took over a year, but public works shut Mahana Ridge down for about 7 months then let them begin again to try and solve their problems but as of today 11/15/15 when I drove passed the entrance of the development I took photos of downed silt fences and sandbags that had ripped open allowing gravel down the storm drains. The reason I bring this up to you is that Steve Dollar (Marine Research Consultants) did the FEIS for Mahana Ridge (formerly Kapalua Mauka) despite concerns raised by Sierra Club members while they were getting their entitlements, they assured there would be no negative downstream effects. Although Mahana Ridge is currently under a NOVO from the state, there are no inspectors on island and county inspectors do not enforce state or federal laws and there certainly is no federal inspectors on island. There was a point when the runoff was at its worst and the project manager had 25 silt fences lined up and a truckload of mud just went right through all of them. Our marine resources are in a bad way right now due to warmer temperatures and coral bleaching we cannot handle more development at inappropriate locations which is what this project is.

According to LEED standards this is not a smart location as it is far from social infrastructure of police, fire, medics, ocean safety and schools. Who will pay for the impacts of this town needing their own fire and police? The traffic estimations are unrealistic. I have lived in West Maui since before Launiupoko stop light was installed, that really added a lot of time to our entire districts commute despite what their FEIS stated and the many of those homes are still for sale. Our current community plans say there should be no development north of the pali and south of Puamana, adding 2000 homes potentially 5000 more cars into the middle of this commute which is often backed up every weekend and during rush hour will have a disastrous effect on our district and the tourism industry as tourist do not come to sit in gridlock trying to get to their hotel or explore the island.

There is no need for this project based on estimated projected growth there are enough entitled projects already to meet our growth needs, and with affordable housing requirements being set at anything under \$600,000 we see this project is not one that local people can afford anyway.

Moving the highway mauka and doing away with the existing highway will give these developers their own "private beach" which is against what our State stands for although that is the increasing trend, beach access is getting smaller and smaller, they limit the hours of access and make local people feel uncomfortable and unwelcome to come on "their" beach.

I personally see many endangered nene at the water reservoir in Olowalu this development will negatively affect their habitat by creating an urban sprawl that none of us want

Please do the right thing reject this flawed and incomplete FEIS
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From: [Margaret Santos](mailto:luc@dbedt.hawaii.gov)
To: luc@dbedt.hawaii.gov
Subject: REJECT Olowalu Town FEIS
Date: 11/13/2015 04:28 PM

Dear Members of the State Land Use Commission,

I, Margaret Santos, an Olowalu homeowner, respectfully request that you reject the Olowalu Town Final Economic Impact Statement.

Please note: the Olowalu Town FEIS vol 1 of 4, Part 1 page x #5 Unresolved issues – which enumerates six critical unresolved issues. Clearly this EIS is not final and you do not have enough information to agree to the Olowalu Town FEIS.

In particular the unresolved issues include:

- Affordable Unit sales price is to be determined (TBD)
- Lands Makai of highway were omitted at the request of Maui Island Plan BUT the Olowalu Town Master Plan (OTMP) now states they will ask to include makai lands – extending the OTMP boundaries. Really? WHY? For hotel zoning. Is this a bait & switch?
- Contribution Requirements for applicant for Public Facilities is TBD
- Re-alignment of Honoapi'ilani Hwy is TBD
- Traffic Improvements – required traffic mitigation issues to be addressed as they evolve and are TBD
- Cultural Resources – including ocean resources, preservation of cultural sites and traditions will require further discussion - TBD

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In addition...

The Olowalu Town Master Plan states it will provide needed housing for Maui's residents. Yet there are many homes in already approved West Maui developments that have not been built yet. The OT development is not a necessity to cure affordable housing on Maui. Ask yourself is the OT development the best concept for **Maui residents** now and in the future? I think not.

Also the homes that do already exist and are privately owned in Olowalu are not considered in the OTMP. It appears that the OTMP as currently stated does not provide community roadway access to these homes when the Ho'opi'ilani Hwy is realigned. Do we then assume that those local residential homes would be on their own to come up with a roadway to get in and out of their homes?

I urge you for all of these reasons and more to stop and think of the future of Maui... and reject the final FEIS for the OTMP. Is the Olowalu Town development, located on one of Maui's last open space coastal areas adjacent to the last remaining and

viable coral reefs on the west side, the legacy you would leave **for your children and future generations?**

We can do better than the proposed Olowalu Town Master Plan. Now is the time to do the right thing... Maui No Ka Oi...let's keep it that way!

Thank you for your consideration and hard work.

Sincerely,

Margaret Santos

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From: kstover@maui.net
To: luc@dbedt.hawaii.gov
Subject: Re: A10-786 Olowalu Town - Testimony on the Final-EIS
Date: 11/15/2015 07:43 PM

Dear LUC Commissioners,

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What is required, at the very least, for a diligent and comprehensive study would include: traffic impacts, marine life impacts, aquifer impacts, impacts on public services, cultural resource impacts, impacts to wildlife, impacts on Prime Ag Land, impacts on the stream, impacts on beach access, etc.

Without an accurate view of likely impacts that will affect local residents and our lands, waters and wildlife, the FEIS does not meet the content standards for an EIS, and should not be accepted.

Mahalo

Ken Stover

Kihei, HI

From: [Rob Weltman](#)
To: [Hawaii Land Use Commission](#)
Subject: Re: A10-786 Olowalu Town - Testimony on the Final-EIS
Date: 11/15/2015 07:48 PM

Dear LUC Commissioners,

The FEIS for the proposed Olowalu Town development cannot be approved as it currently stands because it does not include the research required by law. As an avid scuba diver on Maui for about 20 years, I will focus on the potential effects on the West Maui coral reefs.

The reefs are important in many ways for our ecology, our people, and our economy. They support fish and other sea life, they protect our shores, they attract tourism we need.

There is no question that the Olowalu and other West Maui coral reefs are under severe strain from several sources, primarily ocean temperature changes through climate change, El Nino, and runoff. While we can't do anything about El Nino and not much short-term about climate change, there is a lot that can be done to limit runoff.

The FEIS fails to provide data on changes in reef health since 2003 and linkage to development and runoff during that time. Despite the lack of this critical data, the FEIS claims there will be no impact on the reefs from the proposed huge expansion in housing and people in Olowalu. This defies common sense (as well as the law requiring that such studies be done).

Please reject this invalid FEIS.

Regards,
Rob Weltman
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Impacts: traffic impacts, marine life impacts, aquifer impacts, impacts on public services, cultural resource impacts, impacts to wildlife, impacts on Prime Ag Land, impacts on the stream, impacts on beach access.

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To: [State Land Use Commission](#)
Subject: "A10-786 Olowalu Town - Testimony of the Final-EIS"
Date: 11/13/2015 12:24 PM

Aloha Members of the Land Use Commission,

My name is Mary Groode and I live in Kihei, Maui.

I oppose the proposed Olowalu town development because it will be a disaster for Maui. Traffic to Lahaina is already unbearable and there are thousands of homes yet to be built in other West Maui locations, the area is in a tsunami inundation zone, there are fire threats nearly every year, and a majority of the homes will not be affordable to the average local families here on Maui. This area will likely end up becoming a ghost town of vacation homes like Launiaupoko and Wailea.

In addition, this development threatens the very existence of the last well developed coral reef on the island. You find 700+ year old kupuna coral colonies that seed adjacent reefs. Coral experts worldwide have told us that this development will exacerbate the affects of global climate change and the ocean acidification cause.

I ask you to stand with us and reject the Olowalu town development for the sake of future generations and a healthy thriving coral reef ecosystem.

Mahalo,

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Aloha Members of the Land Use Commission,

My name is Elise Travis. I have been a full-time resident of Maui for 37 years, and I am opposed to the proposed Olowalu town development.

We already have major traffic problems on the route from North Kihei to Lahaina and points beyond.

The land is in the tsunami zone.

The development does not address the crisis in affordable housing here on Maui.

Most of all, this development threatens the health and very existence of the best-preserved remaining coral reef on our island. The kupuna coral colonies there—some more than 700 years old—constitute a stockpile of irreplaceable genetic material it is this generation's kuleana to preserve for future generations. These coral colonies also seed adjacent reefs. Coral experts worldwide warn that the Olowalu development will aggravate the already devastating effects of global climate change and accelerate the acidification of ocean waters.

It's time to take a step back and see what this will do to our island, in terms of tourism and for the local lifestyle that is what Maui is all about. This is why Maui is so special. Please leave Olowalu alone. This area needs to be preserved. This will be a disaster if this is allowed to go through.

Please stand with those of us whose overriding priority is the health and sustainability of the aina—on land and in the sea—for our keiki and future generations. Save Maui from Olowalu town development.

Aloha and much mahalo for your service ,

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