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Mr. Daniel Orodener, Executive Director  
State of Hawaii Land Use Commission  
Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism  
P.O. Box 2359  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96804-2359

Attention: Mr. Riley Hakoda, Chief Clerk

Subject: University of Hawaii Community Colleges  
Petition for Land Use District Boundary Amendment  
Docket No. A16-801  
Kauai Community College  
TMK (4) 3-4-07:01, 02, 03, and 06

Dear Mr. Orodener:

As discussed with Chief Clerk Riley Hakoda, an inadvertent omission due to a reproduction error was found in the subject petition. Specifically, Exhibit 16 – Archaeological Inventory Survey (AIS), which was attached under a separate cover, is missing the AIS approval letter from the State Historic Preservation Division (SHPD) dated April 15, 2016 (Attached). This letter should have been included in Appendix A - SHPD Correspondence. Therefore, we respectfully request that this letter be included in the petition at the specified location.

Your assistance in this matter is greatly appreciated. Please call me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Earl Matsukawa, AICP  
Project Manager

EM/dh

cc: Laurel Loo  
Denise Yoshimori-Yamamoto

Attachment

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April 15, 2016

Dr. Helen Cox, Chancellor  
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LOG NO: 2016.00473  
DOC NO: 1604MN12  
Archaeology  
History and Culture  
Architecture

Dear Ms. Cox:

**SUBJECT: Chapter 6E-8 Historic Preservation Review**  
**Revised AIS for the Kaua'i Community College Rezone Campus Project**  
**Niumalu Ahupua'a, Puna District, Island of Kaua'i**  
**TMK: (4) 3-4-007:001, 002, 003, 006**

Thank you for the opportunity to review the revised draft plan titled *Archaeological Inventory Survey Report for the Kaua'i Community College Rezone Campus Project, Niumalu Ahupua'a, Lihu'e District, Kaua'i TMKs: [4] 3-4007:001,002,003 and 006*, N. Kamai, G. Ida, R. Groza and H. Hammatt, February 2016. The landowner of the subject property is the State of Hawai'i and the project proponent is the University of Hawai'i/Kaua'i Community College. We received the draft in our Kapolei office on July 24, 2015 and reviewed it in a letter dated October 15, 2016. We requested substantial revisions, including additional fieldwork (*Log No.2015. 02831, Doc No.1509MN15*). We received the revised draft on our Kapolei office on February 29, 2016.

The Archaeological Inventory Survey (AIS) was requested by the State Historic Preservation Division (SHPD) based on a zoning permit application requesting re-designation of a 148.50 acre area from an agricultural district to an urban district. The 148.5 acres area is within a total campus of 199 acres. Wilson Okamoto Corporation contracted Cultural Surveys Hawaii, Inc. (CSH) to conduct a 100 % pedestrian survey of the project area, including subsurface testing, which consisted of 12 test excavations. The survey was undertaken prior to proposed improvements on the campus, including the construction of new buildings and infrastructure.

CSH identified four historic properties, including three previously identified historic properties. The newly identified properties is State Inventory of Historic Places (SIHP) Site 50-30-11-2307, an historic trash deposit, the three previously identified historic properties include: an irrigation complex still in use (Site 2179) consisting of several plantation-era features which is significant under criteria d, Site -B006, Puhi Camp Cemetery, and Site 2220, a Hawaii Territory survey marker and transit station. All four sites are assessed as significant under criteria d (data potential) of Hawaii Administrative Rule (HAR) §13-284-6 and §13-275-6, and Puhi Camp Cemetery is also significant under criteria e, as it possesses "an important value to the Native Hawaiian people or to another ethnic group of the state due to its associations with cultural practices once carried out, or still carried out, at the property or due to associations with traditional beliefs, events or oral accounts- these being important to the group's history or cultural identity". We concur with the site significance assessments.

No further work is recommended for Sites 2307, 2179 and Site 2220, and although outside of the project area, Site B006 is recommended for a preservation plan. Site 2179 is still in use and will be assimilated into the campus design. In addition, CSH recommends that Site 2179 be utilized for educational and interpretative purposes related to the plantation era. We concur with these recommendations.

SHPD requested better documentation of sites that CSH recommended for "no further work", as well as additional subsurface testing. In consultation with SHPD, CSH has conducted additional fieldwork and background research. The revised draft contains the requested historic maps as well as feature plan views, photographs, and more comprehensive

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site and feature descriptions. The irrigation complex previously described as individual sites has been re-designated as one site with multiple features (Site 2179).

**The AIS is approved, in accordance to HAR§13-276.** Please send one hard copy of the report, clearly marked FINAL, along with a text-searchable CD, to our Kapolei section. Please send one hard copy to our Kaua'i section.

We look forward to receipt of a preservation plan for Site –B006. Please contact the Kaua'i archaeologist Mary Jane Naone at [Maryjane.naone@hawaii.gov](mailto:Maryjane.naone@hawaii.gov) or at (808) 271-4940 if you have questions regarding archaeology, Jessica Puff, Architectural Historian, at [Jessica.L.Puff@hawaii.gov](mailto:Jessica.L.Puff@hawaii.gov) or 808-692-8023 for questions regarding architecture, and Kauanoë Hoomanawanui, Burial Sites Specialist at [Kauanoë.m.Hoomanawanui@hawaii.gov](mailto:Kauanoë.m.Hoomanawanui@hawaii.gov) or 808-896-0475 for questions related to history and culture. Mahalo for your assistance in preserving significant historic and cultural properties.

Aloha,



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