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Chair Aczon and Members of the Land Use Commission:

Mahalo for this opportunity to clarify my testimony presented to you last Friday. My name is Sabra Kauka and I teach Hawaiian Studies and Hula on Kaua'i.

When I testified last Friday, I was not clear on the potential impacts of such a large project in the context of larger planning issues for the island.
It is very important to me to retain the essence of my island home even as we grow and change.

While I strongly support the provision of affordable housing, I now understand the importance of where it is located--to the homebuyer and to the larger community.

I support the first phase of Lima Ola, but I do not support the subsequent phases. Affordable housing should be located closer to employment opportunities to decrease transportation costs and traffic congestion.

Mahalo for the opportunity to clarify my position.

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