From: Students of Kūlanihākoʻi

To: DBEDT LUC

Subject: [EXTERNAL] Testimony for Meeting February 9, 2023, RE: Kūlanihākoʻi High School

**Date:** Tuesday, February 7, 2023 1:16:08 PM

Aloha Chair Giovanni and Members of the Commission,

I am Ariel Swenson, a freshman at Kūlanihākoʻi High School in Kihei. I appreciate you taking the time to reconsider the issue of the improvement Condition imposed by your Commission in 2013.

I am really disappointed to still be attending school at Lokelani Intermediate School's campus because we are not allowed to use our campus buildings that are ready. I understand the importance of safety, and I pledge not to cross the highway on foot but to use the transportation provided by the school and my parents.

Being at this school has affected me because we only can use three classrooms, and I would like to be able to walk around at lunch and not have to worry about if I can be in that specific area. I would also like a proper gym, so we do not have to leave the school campus for the nearby park every time we have P.E. class.

Please consider those most affected by your decision and amend the 2013 Condition to allow us to safely use our campus while the adults keep working on the grade-separated pedestrian crossing.

Mahalo,

Ariel Swenson Freshman Kūlanihākoʻi High School

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