



**MINUTES (DRAFT)**  
**FOR THE MEETING OF THE**  
**HAWAI‘I BOARD ON GEOGRAPHIC NAMES**

DATE: May 27, 2015  
TIME: 6:00 p.m.  
PLACE: J. Walter Cameron Center Auditorium  
95 Mahalani St.  
Wailuku, Hawai‘i 96793

**AGENDA ITEM 1: Call to Order**

Mr. Kamaano Mills, Chairperson of the Hawai‘i Board on Geographic Names (HBGN or Board), called the meeting to order at 6:03 pm.

The following were in attendance:

**MEMBERS:** Kalani Akana (Office of Hawaiian Affairs), Joan Delos Santos (Office of Planning), Marques Marzan (Bernice P. Bishop Museum), Kamaano Mills (Department of Hawaiian Home Lands), Ryan Morales (Land Survey Division)

**ABSENT:** Holly McEldowney (Department of Land and Natural Resources), Noenoe Silva (University of Hawai‘i)

**ADVISORS:** Renee Louis, PhD and Naomi Losch (University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa–retired)

Mr. Mills gave provided a brief background and description of the Board, and asked members and advisors to introduce themselves.

**AGENDA ITEM 2: Approval of Meeting Minutes of May 20, 2015**

Ms. Delos Santos informed board members that the meeting minutes of the May 20 meeting had not yet been completed. The board deferred approval of the minutes.

**AGENDA ITEM 3: Discussion on Name Change Request - [‘Āao Stream to Wailuku River](#)**

- a) Summary of Name Change Request  
Mr. Mills provided a summary of the [name change request](#).
- b) Presentation by Applicant  
Mr. John Duey, who submitted the name change request, presented the background and reasons for the name change request.
- c) Summary of Findings of Permitted Interaction Group

Mr. Mills presented the [findings of the Permitted Interaction Group](#).

- d) Public Comments  
Public comments began at 6:29 pm. 17 people provided oral comments. All were in favor of the name change request. Names of people who provided testimony/comments were:  
Rose Marie Duey  
John Duey  
Michael Victorino  
Mahina Martin  
Mark King  
Charles Lindsey  
Roselle Bailey  
David Duey  
Nani Santos  
Bob Horcajo  
Anu Yagi  
Pualani Kamaunu  
Hokuao Pellegrino  
Kainoa Horcajo  
Rosemary Robbins  
Pomai ?  
Tzarina Akahi
- e) Decision Making if time permits  
Mr. Akana made a motion to approve the request. Mr. Marzan seconded. The board voted unanimously to approve the name change request.

**AGENDA ITEM 5: Adjourn**

Ms. Delos Santos moved to adjourn the meeting, Mr. Marzan seconded the motion, and the Board approved the motion unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 7:20 pm.