



Streamlining Permitting Functions for the Development of
Broadband Services and Technology Report

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Streamlining Permitting Functions on the Development of Broadband Services & Technology Report for 2010

Per Act 199, the Work Group was established to streamline the permitting and approval processes relating to the development of broadband services and infrastructure.

Members of the Work Group have met four times to discuss issues regarding the approval and permitting required by Broadband providers in the deployment of their services.

The focus of the group has been the pole attachment issue (the ability for the providers to attach new fiber cables to existing utility poles). The current requirements are viewed as obstacles to the expeditious deployment of infrastructure.

The Work Group hopes to identify various solutions to this issue at future meetings.

Attached for your information are the agendas of the meetings already held.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS
ACT 199 PERMITTING WORK GROUP
STATE OF HAWAII

AGENDA

Date: September 29, 2010
Time: 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Place: State Capitol
Conference Room 423
Honolulu, Hawaii

- I. Call to Order
- II. Introduction of Members
- III. Review of Act 199 Permitting Work Group Requirements
- IV. Presentation of Telecom Providers
- V. Announcements
- VI. Adjournment

Written comments may be emailed to cabletv@dcca.hawaii.gov or mailed to DCCA, Attention: Act 199 Permitting Work Group, P.O. Box 541, Honolulu, HI 96809, or faxed to 808-586-2625. Persons with special needs for this meeting may call 586-2620 by September 27, 2010 to discuss accommodation arrangements.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS
ACT 199 PERMITTING WORK GROUP
STATE OF HAWAII

AGENDA

Date: October 27, 2010
Time: 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Place: State Capitol
Conference Room 423
Honolulu, Hawaii

- I. Call to Order
- II. Discussion of Permitting and Approval Processes
- III. Announcements
- IV. Adjournment

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS
ACT 199 PERMITTING WORK GROUP
STATE OF HAWAII

AGENDA

Date: November 18, 2010
Time: 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Place: State Capitol
Conference Room 423
Honolulu, Hawaii

- I. Call to Order
- II. Discussion of Permitting and Approval Processes
- III. Announcements
- IV. Adjournment

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS
ACT 199 PERMITTING WORK GROUP
POLE ATTACHMENT SUB WORK GROUP
STATE OF HAWAII

AGENDA

Date: December 9, 2010
Time: 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Place: State Capitol
Conference Room 423
Honolulu, Hawaii

- I. Call to Order
- II. Discussion of Permitting and Approval Processes
- III. Announcements
- IV. Adjournment

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