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AGENDA FOR THE MEETING OF THE COMMISSION ON WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

DATE: August 20, 2014

TIME: 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: Kalanimoku Building

DLNR Board Room 132 1151 Punchbowl Street Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

A. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- 1. June 18, 2014
- 2. July 16, 2014

B. ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Hawaii Water Works Association (HWWA), October 15-17, 2014 (Kauai)

C. UPDATES

- 1. Status of Proceedings: Na Wai Eha (Appurtenant Rights); East Maui Instream Flow Standards (after remand); Petition to Designate Kona as a Ground Water Management Area, West Kauai surface water investigation
- 2. Tentative calendar for upcoming meeting dates
- 3. Joint State Water Conference (Maui) recap from Commissioner Starr

D. PRESENTATIONS AND BRIEFINGS

- 1. "New Evapotranspiration, Solar, and Climate of Hawaii Websites" by Dr. Thomas Giambelluca, Professor of Geography, University of Hawaii
- 2. "Auwahi: insights into restoration, hydrology, and community involvement" by Dr. Art Medeiros, U.S. Geological Survey

E. GROUND WATER REGULATION

- Request to Enter into a Joint Funding Agreement with U.S. Geological Survey for Statewide Hydrologic Data Collection and Water Resource Monitoring for Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2015
- 2. Authorize the Commission on Water Resource Management to Conduct a Site Visit to View Anchialine Ponds at the Kohanaiki Shores Development and Limited Meeting with Representatives of Kohanaiki Shores, LLC in the Keauhou Aquifer System Area, North Kona, Hawaii

F. STREAM PROTECTION AND MANAGEMENT

1. Clarify the Scope of the Proceedings for the Contested Case Hearing on Remand from the Intermediate Court of Appeals No. CAAP-10-0000161 to include and consolidate all 27 Petitions to Amend the Interim Instream Flow Standards originally filed on May 24, 2001 for the Honopou, Huelo (Puolua), Hanehoi, Waikamoi, Alo, Wahinepee, Puohokamoa, Haipuaena, Punalau/Kolea, Honomanu, Nuaailua, Piinaau, Palauhulu, Ohia (Waianu), Waiokamilo, Kualani (Hamau), Wailuanui, Waikani, West Wailuaiki, East Wailuaiki, Kopiliula, Puakaa, Waiohue, Paakea, Waiaaka, Kapaula, Hanawi, and Makapipi Streams, Maui, Hawaii

G. NEXT COMMISSION MEETING (TENTATIVE)

- 1. September 17, 2014 (Kona)
- 2. October 1, 2014 (Oahu)

NOTE: Items may be taken out of order and will be announced at the start of the meeting. If you are interested in submitting testimony, please submit at least 24 hours in advance.

The Commission may go into Executive Session pursuant to 92-5(a)(4), Hawaii Revised Statutes, in order to consult with its attorney on questions and issues pertaining to the Commission's powers, duties, privileges, immunities and liabilities.

Materials related to items on this agenda are available for review at our office at 1151 Punchbowl Street, Room 227, and will also be available at the meeting.

Any person may testify or present information on any meeting agenda item, unless the item involves a proceeding in an existing contested case. In addition, if you have a legal interest that may be adversely affected by the proposed action, you may have a right to an administrative contested case hearing. An oral or written request for a contested case hearing must be made by the close of the public hearing (if one is required) or prior to the vote on the merits at the commission meeting at which the matter is scheduled for disposition (if no public hearing is required). In either situation, the person or agency requesting the contested case hearing must file (or mail and postmark) a written petition with the commission not later than ten days after the close of the public hearing or the commission meeting, whichever is applicable. Petition forms are available from the Commission. Hawaii Administrative Rules (H.A.R.) Section 13-167-52(a).

If you request a contested case hearing, you will have the opportunity to present to the Commission oral or written evidence or testimony or both to establish your standing. You may present your testimony or evidence on standing at the meeting or public hearing described above or, alternatively, at a hearing set by the Commission at a later date.

If you do not make such a request or fail to file a timely written petition with the Commission, the consequence is that you will be precluded from later obtaining a contested case hearing and seeking judicial review of any adverse decision. H.A.R. Chapter 13-167.

Disabled individuals planning to attend the public hearing or meeting are asked to contact the Commission at the above address or phone (Kauai) 274-3141 ext. 70214, (Maui) 984-2400 ext. 70214, (Hawaii) 974-4000 ext. 70214, (Molokai or Lanai) 1-800-GOV-INHI ext. 70214 or 587-0214 at least three days in advance of the public hearing or meeting to indicate if they have special needs which require accommodation.

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