



STATE OF HAWAII
DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES
COMMISSION ON WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT
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AGENDA

**FOR THE MEETING OF THE
COMMISSION ON WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT**

DATE: December 10, 2014
TIME: 9:00 am
PLACE: West Hawaii Civic Center
Council Building A, Council Chambers
74-5044 Ane Keohokalole Highway
Kailua-Kona, Hawaii 96740

The Commission on Water Resource Management (“Commission”) will meet at the West Hawaii Civic Center on December 10, 2014 to hear public testimony and decide (pursuant to Haw. Rev. Stat. §174C-41) whether to continue the process to designate the Keauhou Aquifer System Area, Kona, Hawaii as a Designated Ground Water Management Area.

A. GROUND WATER REGULATION

1. U.S. Department of Interior, National Park Service, Kaloko-Honokōhau National Historical Park Petition for Ground Water Management Area Designation, Keauhou Aquifer System Area, North Kona, Hawaii

B. TESTIMONY

1. Petitioner: National Park Service
2. Government Agencies and Representatives
3. Public Testimony

The public may submit written comments at any time. The comments will become part of the record. If you have already submitted written or oral testimony, they are part of the record. You do not need to submit them again. The Commission strongly encourages written testimony.

Because of the number of people who want to testify, each person’s initial oral testimony may be limited. If there is time at the end, individuals may be given a second chance to testify.

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If the Commission decides to continue the process, then the Commission will schedule a **Public Hearing** in the Keauhou area sometime in early 2015. Haw. Rev. Stat. §174C-42. Then, after the (to be scheduled) 2015 Public Hearing is closed, the Commission will schedule a **separate and later Public Meeting** in Keauhou to make a final decision on the petition to designate. Haw. Rev. Stat. §174C-46. No final decision on the merits will be made until **after** both a Public Hearing and a Public Meeting in Keauhou.

For further information, please contact:

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For more information about the Petition to Designate the Keauhou Aquifer and the Preliminary Findings of Fact please visit the Commission website.
<http://dlnr.hawaii.gov/cwrm/groundwater/activities/keauhou/>

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.

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

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Any person may testify or present information on any meeting agenda item.

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