

PUBLIC NOTICE

Application for Water Use Permit
Kualapuu Ground Water Management Area, Molokai

The following application for water use permit has been received by the Commission on Water Resource Management and is hereby made public in accordance with Section 13-171, Hawaii Administrative Rules, "Designation and Regulation of Water Management Areas."

WUPA No. 00973 Well 17 (Well No. 4-0901-001)

Applicant: Molokai Public Utilities, Inc.
 Attention: Mr. Clay Rumbaoa
 1003 Bishop Street Suite 1170
 Honolulu, HI 96813

Well Landowner: Molokai Properties Ltd.
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Date Application Filed as Complete: October 12, 2015

Hydrologic Unit / Aquifer System Area: Kualapuu Aquifer System Area, Central Sector, Molokai

Water Source: Well 17 (Well No. 4-0901-001) Tax Map Key (2) 5-2-012:029

Quantity Requested: 1.026 million gallons per day

New Use: MPU Private Public Water System

Place of Water Use: At Tax Map Key: (2) 5-1-003 to 008:various; (2) 5-2-028 to 029:various

This application responds to the Supreme Court's remand of the December 2007 Commission Decision & Order for further proceedings, requiring a new application to be filed for "new use" under HRS §174-49(a), Hawaii Water Code to "revive existing uses" as of the date of designation considered abandoned by untimely application submission. This case will continue as a contested case hearing, and parties previously involved in the contested case hearing culmination in the December 19, 2001 Decision & Order shall respond in writing of their intention to continue in the case or to withdraw. Intervenors already admitted to the case in its previous proceedings do not need to file objections in order to continue their participation. New parties wishing to intervene should file their objections as indicated below.

Written objections or comments on the above application may be filed by any person who has property interest in any land within the hydrologic unit of the source of water supply, any person who will be directly and immediately affected by the proposed water use, or any other interested person. Written objections shall: (1) state property or other interest in the matter (provide TMK information); (2) set forth questions of procedure, fact, law, or policy, to which objections are taken; and (3) state all grounds for objections to the proposed permit. Written objections must be received by November 13, 2015. Objections must be sent to 1) the Commission on Water Resource Management, P.O. Box 621, Honolulu, Hawaii 96809 and 2) the applicant at the above address.

COMMISSION ON WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT



JEFFREY T. PEARSON, P.E., Deputy Director for
SUZANNE D. CASE, Chairperson

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