



**MINUTES
FOR THE MEETING OF THE
HAWAI'I BOARD ON GEOGRAPHIC NAMES**

DATE: January 11, 2017
TIME: 10:00 a.m.
PLACE: Leiopapa A. Kamehameha Building
Office of Planning, 6th Floor Conference Room
235 S. Beretania Street
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

AGENDA ITEM 1: Call to Order

Mr. Marques Marzan called the meeting to order at 10:12 am.

The following were in attendance:

MEMBERS: Marques Marzan (Bishop Museum)
Kalani Akana (Office of Hawaiian Affairs)
Kamana'o Mills (Department of Hawaiian Home Lands)
Noenoe Silva (University of Hawai'i)

ABSENT: Leo Asuncion (Office of Planning)
Ryan Morales (Land Survey Division)
Holly McEldowney (Department of Land and Natural Resources)

STAFF: Arthur Buto (Office of Planning)

ADVISORS: Renee Louis
Regina Hilo

GUESTS: None

AGENDA ITEM 2: Review of Meeting Minutes for November 9, 2016

Motion: Mr. Akana moved to approve the minutes, and Ms. Silva seconded the motion.

Mr. Akana, Mr. Marzan, and Ms. Silva voted to approve the meeting minutes of October 12, 2016; Mr. Mills abstained.

AGENDA ITEM 3: Public Comments.

None.

AGENDA ITEM 4: Announcements

None.

AGENDA ITEM 5: Status of letter to State Legislature, regarding the spelling of the name of the state.

Mr. Akana requested that the letter include a reference to the Resolution from the Hawaiian Civic Clubs. Ms. Silva requested that the letter also include a reference to UH’s style guide that provides guidance for using ‘okina and kahakō for all printed media and publications.

AGENDA ITEM 6: Review of Selected Place Names on the Island of Hawai‘i.

The Board reviewed place names on the Island of Hawai‘i at the request of Bobby Camara. Of 31 reviewed, four were recommended for further research and 27 were corrected.

Names reviewed and decisions:

Status	Feat ID	Feature Name	Feature Class	Corrected Name	Source	Notes
<i>Status Key: 1 = Not Hawaiian; 2 = Not Reviewed; 3 = More Research Needed; 4 = HBGN Corrected; 5 = Already Correct in GNIS; 6 = Name Change; 7 = Other</i>						
4	358479	‘Ainapō	Area	‘Āinapō	HBGN	PNH: ‘Ainapō - but entry says "darkened land," typographical error, it should have kahakō, ‘Āinapō; HBGN: associative, 1-11-17
4	365066	‘Ainapō	Populated Place	‘Āinapō	HBGN	PNH: ‘Ainapō - but entry says "darkened land," typographical error, it should have kahakō, ‘Āinapō; HBGN: associative, 1-11-17
4	358480	‘Ainapō Trail	Trail	‘Āinapō Trail	HBGN	PNH: ‘Ainapō - but entry says "darkened land," typographical error, it should have kahakō, ‘Āinapō; HBGN: associative, 1-11-17
4	359142	Hiiaka Crater	Crater	Hi‘iaka	PNH	PNH: Hi‘iaka; HBGN: request that "Crater" be removed from GNIS name, 1-11-17
3	359493	‘Iliokōloa	Civil			BC: should be ‘Īliokōloa? Don't know enough about area; HBGN: more research needed, 1-11-17
4	359581	Ka‘ala‘alamakai	Civil	Ka‘ala‘ala Ma kai	HBGN	PNH: not listed; HBGN: consistent with Feb 2016 Ahahui guidelines, 1-11-17

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3	359976	Kakiiwai	Locale			<p>BC: 1975 earthquake sank much of area coast, destroyed the waterhole; landscape has changed, but other cracks; Kālu'e adjacent to Kakiiwai, sometimes confused after earthquake; Kālu'e is where national park campground is; Kakiiwai is at base of Ka'u side; shore is different; sand is like combination of volcanic ash and eroded rock, not beach sand, mountain sand, like silt but sandier; ca. 1964 several Native Hawaiians from Kalapana were working in the Park; map is in error (not changed/oversight); is there a kahakō over first "a"? In ca. 1965 changed to "Kakiiwai"; primary Kakiiwai with others as variants (don't put kahakō), in Elbert kā - indicates a process; Marques Marzan will check notes at Bishop Museum in Pukui's notes;</p> <p>PNH: has Kākīwai; "fetching water"; on USGS Topo map labeled "Kākīwai"; HBGN: could be Kākī'iwai, request to have Kākīwai and Kaki'iwai as variants; but further research needed, 1-11-17</p>
3	360058	Kalanaokuaiki Pali	Cliff			<p>BC: should be Kulanaokuaiki; see docs; AB to send docs; more research needed, 1-11-17</p>
4	360240	Kamakaiauka	Summit	Kamakai'a Uka	HBGN	<p>PNH: not listed; HBGN: associative; per Ahahui guidelines, 1-11-17</p>
4	360241	Kamakaiawaena	Summit	Kamakai'a Waena	HBGN	<p>PNH: not listed; HBGN: associative; per Ahahui guidelines, 1-11-17</p>
4	360651	Kauhuhuula Iki	Civil	Kauhuhu'ula Iki	HBGN	<p>PNH: not listed; HBGN: spelling correction, 1-11-17</p>
4	1853023	Keāiwa Camp	Locale	Keāiwa Camp	HBGN	<p>PNH: Keāiwa; HD: āiwa means mysterious which PNH describes this name means; HBGN: associative, 1-11-17</p>

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4	360920	Keāiwa Gulch	Valley	Keāiwa Gulch	PNH	PNH: Keāiwa Gulch; HD: āiwa means mysterious which PNH describes this name means, 1-11-17
4	360922	Keāiwa Reservoir	Reservoir	Keāiwa Reservoir	HBGN	PNH: Keāiwa; HD: āiwa means mysterious which PNH describes this name means; HBGN: associative, 1-11-17
4	361008	Keaoi Island	Island	Keaoi	PNH	BC: should be Ke‘ā‘oi Island; off of Halape, before 1975, big coconut grove on coast; ranger cabin, at low tide could walk out on reef to island; pointy and sharp, white sand beach; after quake, island got smaller, profile same; reef drowned, rough ocean; ‘oi is sharp; is name of island, is it redundant; on map it’s labeled without “Island,” but in GNIS database it’s listed with “Island”; PNH: Keaoi; HPN: Keaoi; HBGN: request remove “Island”; 1-11-17
4	361278	Kīpuka‘aiaka‘alalā	Lava	Kīpuka‘aiaka‘alalā	HBGN	PNH: not listed; HBGN: spelling correction, 1-11-17
4	361300	Kīpuka Lō‘ihi	Lava	Kīpukalō‘ihi	HBGN	HBGN: per Ahahui guidelines, 1-11-17
4	361319	Kīpuka Pepeiao	Lava	Kīpukapepeiao	HBGN	HBGN: per Ahahui guidelines, 1-11-17
3	361666	Lae o Hiiaka	Cape			BC: should be Lae o Hi‘iaka; no promontory there; more research needed
4	2634503	Ohaikea (historical)	Populated Place	‘Ōhaikea (historical)	HBGN	BC: Was part of Kapapala Ranch; PNH: ‘Ōhaikea, but for a different location; HBGN: associative, 1-11-17
4	2634504	Ohaikea Houses (historical)	Populated Place	‘Ōhaikea Houses (historical)	HBGN	BC: Were part of Kapapala Ranch; PNH: ‘Ōhaikea, but for a different location; HBGN: associative, 1-11-17
4	363066	Palima Point	Cape	Pālima Point	HBGN	PNH: Pālima, but different location; HBGN: spelling correction, 1-11-17
4	363571	Punaluu Beach Park	Park	Punalu‘u Beach Park	PNH	PNH: Punalu‘u Beach Park, 1-11-17
4	365344	Punaluu Heiau	Locale	Punalu‘u Heiau	PNH	PNH: Punalu‘u Heiau, 1-11-17
4	365183	Punaluu Kahawai	Populated Place	Punalu‘u Kahawai	HBGN	PNH: Punalu‘u; HBGN: spelling correction, 1-11-17

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4	363990	Puu Moo	Summit	Pu'umo'o	HBGN	HBGN: spelling correction; per Ahahui guidelines, 1-11-17
4	363682	Pu'u Ele'ele	Summit	Pu'u'ele'ele	HBGN	HBGN: spelling correction; per Ahahui guidelines, 1-11-17
4	364075	Puu Pili	Summit	Pu'upili	PNH	PNH: Pu'upili, 1-11-17
4	364074	P'uu Pili	Summit	Pu'upili	PNH	PNH: Pu'upili, 1-11-17
4	364112	Puu Waawaa	Summit	Pu'uwa'awa'a	PNH	PNH: Pu'uwa'awa'a, 1-11-17
4	363886	Pu'ukuanene	Summit	Pu'ukuanēnē	HBGN	HBGN: spelling correction, 1-11-17

AGENDA ITEM 7: Review of Lāna'i Island Place Names.

The Board did not review place names on the island of Lāna'i.

AGENDA ITEM 8: Adjourn

Mr. Marzan adjourned the meeting at 12:11 pm.

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, February 8, 2017, at 10:00 a.m., at the Office of Planning Conference Room.