# PLANNING IN A PANDEMIC: CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES

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#### CHALLENGES (AND OPPORTUNITIES)

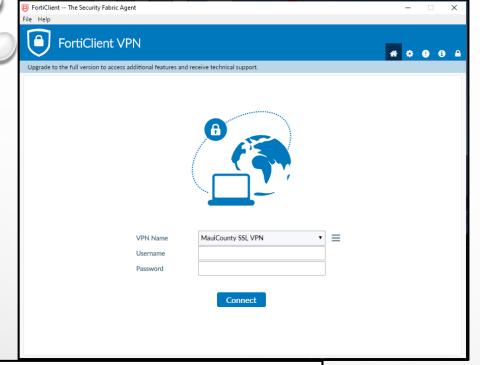
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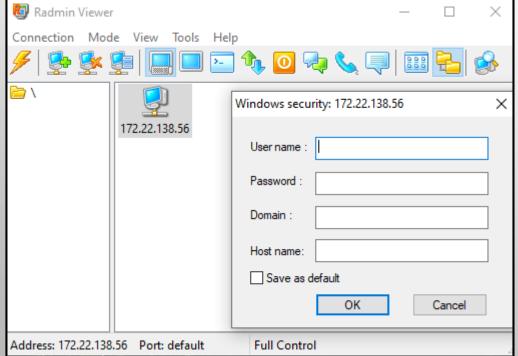
WFH (NOT WTF)

DATE	FRONT DESK	PLANNERS 630	PLANNERS 619
1 Thurs	Rachel	Jeff	Clayton Jared Laury
2 Fri	Туе	Jim?	Clayton Kurt, Kim Candace
5 Mon	Linda Loriann (Training)		Clayton, Ann Paul, Scott Tara
6 Tues	Rachel	Jeff	Clayton Jared Laury
7 Wed	Туе	Jim?	Clayton Kurt, Kim Candace
8 Thurs	Linda Loriann (Training)		Clayton, Ann Paul, Scott Tara



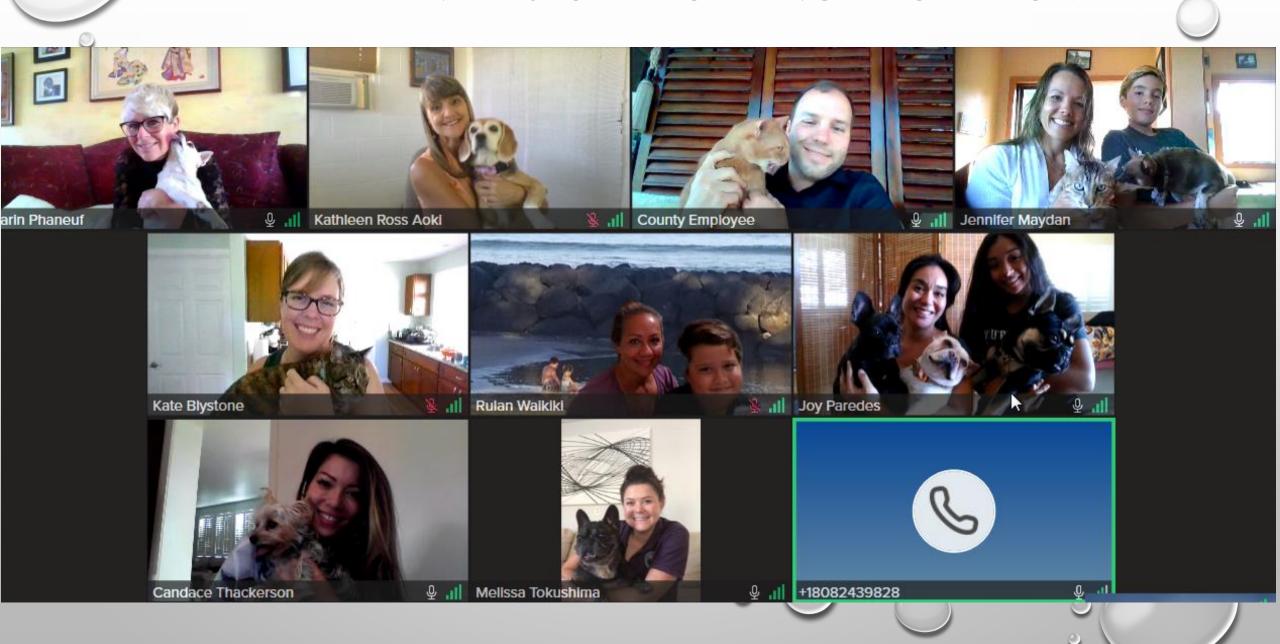








#### THE REAL BENEFITS OF WORKING FROM HOME.



# DESPITE APPEARANCES, WE ARE ACTUALLY HOSPITABLE AND HAPPY TO SEE OUR APPLICANTS.









### BOARD & COMMISSION MEETINGS WENT FROM THIS...



## ...AND THIS...



#### ...TO THIS



MORE PEOPLE ARE ABLE TO JOIN MEETINGS BY COMPUTER OR PHONE, BUT THE PARTICIPATION IS NOT AS MEANINGFUL.







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Your Voice

Draft Plan Review

# PHASE IV BEGINNING JULY 2020 Maui Planning Commission Review

>> Click here to view meeting information and more <<

#### Welcome

We are West Maui represents an exciting effort to update the West Maui Community Plan. The Maui County Planning Department looks forward to working with you to shape the future of West Maui.

This new website connects you to the update process. You can:

- Communicate your priorities through online engagement tools
- Get updates on upcoming events and meetings
- Track progress of the Community Plan through an interactive timeline, and much more!

Learn more about We are West Maui!

# HOW DO YOU COMMUNITY PLAN WITHOUT IN-PERSON EVENTS?

# THE GOOD OL' DAYS OF DESIGN OPEN HOUSES!



#### WE ARE MAULIS EXPANDING

Stay tuned for a new island-wide community planning website!

#### LET'S CONNECT



Community planning in South Maui is just getting started. Sign up below to stay in the loop!





Looking for updates on the West Maui Community Plan?

VISIT THE WEST MAUI WEBSITE

SUBSCRIBE

# ASSISTING WITH AIRPORT SCREENING



Hotels/Motels in Maui County Approved for Quarantine by State of Hawaii and County of Maui as of 9/15/2020 \*

Property Name	Open?
Four Seasons Hotel Lanai at Koele, A Sensei Retreat	Yes
Four Seasons Resort Lanai	Yes
Hotel Lanai	NO
Andaz Maui at Wailea Resort & Spa	NO
Aston at the Maui Banyan	Yes
Aston at The Whaler on Kaanapali Beach	Yes
Aston Kaanapali Shores	Yes
Aston Mahana at Kaanapali	Yes
Aston Paki Maui	NO
Courtyard Maui Kahului Airport	Yes
Days Inn by Wyndham Maui Oceanfront	
Fairmont Kea Lani, Maui	NO
Four Seasons Resort Maui at Wailea	NO
Grand Wailea	NO
Honua Kai Resort & Spa	Yes
Hotel Wailea Maui	NO
Hyatt Regency Maui Resort and Spa	NO
Kaanapali Alii	NO
Kaanapali Beach Hotel	NO
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#### HTA Seeks Community Input to Its Destination Management Action Plans

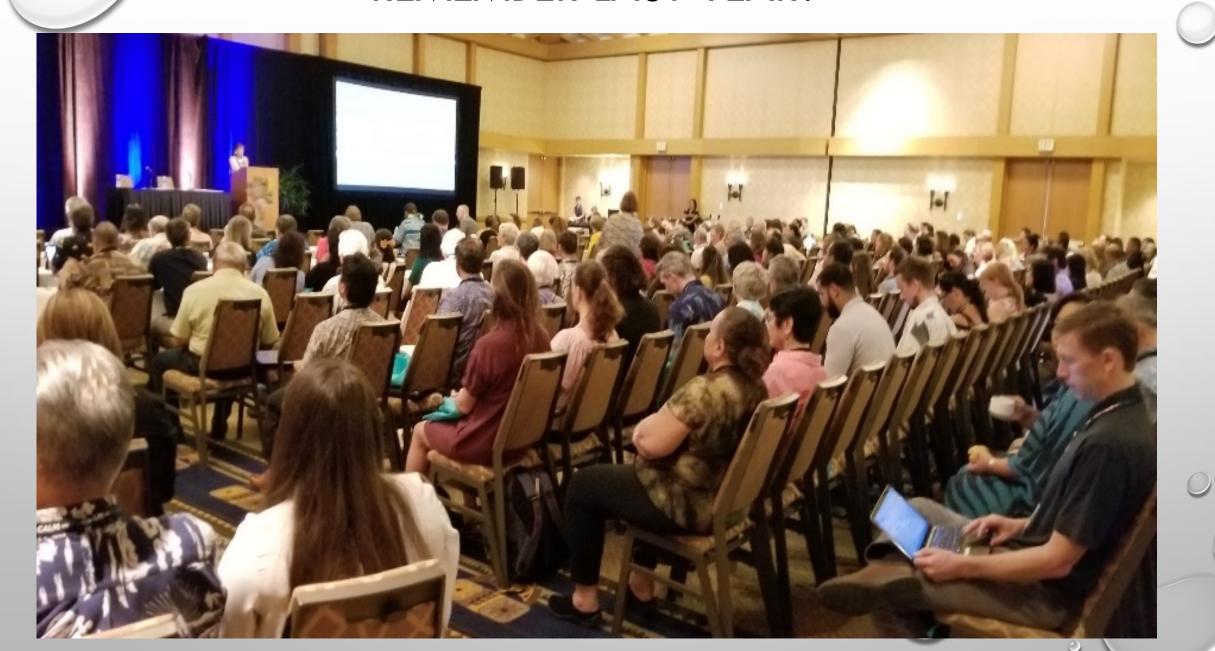
For Immediate Release: October 6, 2020 HTA Release (20-183)

2020-10-06 HTA Seeks Community Input to Its Destination Management Action Plans

**HONOLULU** – Do you have ideas on how the state and counties can reset tourism in Hawaii through destination management, prioritizing community, cultural and environmental needs? If so, the Hawaii Tourism Authority (HTA) would like to hear from you.



#### REMEMBER LAST YEAR?





#### MICHAEL P. VICTORINO Mayor

SANDY K. BAZ Managing Director



#### OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

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MAYOR'S DIRECTIVE 2020-11 May 28, 2020

#### MEMORANDUM

TO:

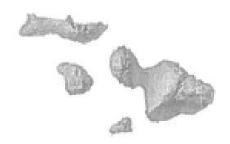
All Executive Department and Agency Heads

FROM:

Michael P. Victorino, Mayor Michael P. Virt

SUBJECT: Expedited Permitting for Closed and Partially Closed Businesses

This directive calls for all permitting departments and agencies to expedite permits for certain repairs and renovations during the COVID-19 crisis for businesses that are fully or partially closed pursuant to the Governor's and my emergency proclamations. While these businesses are suffering to help flatten the curve, they should be given the opportunity to do this work while they are closed.





## MAYOR'S TASK FORCE TO MAKE **RECOMMENDATIONS** ON SPENDING ~\$67 MILLION IN FEDERAL CARES ACT **FUNDING FOR COVID** RELIEF AND SUPPORT

# **#MauiCARES**



#### August 2020

This paper is a collective list of recommendations identified through a series of sector and small-group meetings held between July 8, 2020 - August 15, 2020.



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#### **Sector Teams**

Sector Teams focused on Immediate use recommendations to provide relief, create jobs and support community through diversified industry partnerships, job creation and opportunities to improve, strengthen and diversify our economy moving forward.

Tourism & Commerce

- Improved communications
- Managed tourism with improved experience
- Cultural competency

Facilitator: Peter Merriman

Food & Farm

- Farmer support
- Food production and deployment
- Cross-sector partnership

Facilitator: Teena Rasmussen

Healthcare

- Meal delivery
- Focus: Kupuna, frail and homebound
- · Hiring/Career pathway

Facilitator: Wes Lo

Culture, Arts & Education

- Distance learning & artsbased curriculum
- Kupuna tech training
- · Equity in access

Facilitator: Saedene Ota

Housing & Construction

- Improved efficiency
- Affordable and workforce housing
- Inter-operability and advocacy

Facilitator: Ryan Churchill

Environment

- Natural environment protection & preservation
- Education & engagement
- Job creation

Facilitator: Ekolu Lindsey

#### MORE THAN \$20 MILLION APPROVED

- ADAPTABILITY FUND (\$5.2 MILLION) SMALL BUSINESS GRANTS TO ADAPT TO POST-COVID
- HEALTHCARES HUI (\$1.5 MILLION) TRAIN NEW HEALTH CARE WORKERS & SUPPORT KUPUNA
- HAWAII EMERGENCY LAULIMA PARTNERSHIP (\$5 MILLION / CONTINUATION) RENT, MORTGAGE
- MAUI FOOD BANK, FEED MY SHEEP, SALVATION ARMY (\$2 MILLION PLUS \$700,000 TO PURCHASE FROM LOCAL FARMERS AND RANCHERS)
- SUPPORT FOR ON-ISLAND FARMERS AND PRODUCERS (\$5 MILLION)
- PAID STUDENT INTERNSHIPS TO SUPPORT BUSINESSES AND NON-PROFITS (\$148,000)
- LIVESTREAM AT THE MACC FOR LOCAL ENTERTAINERS (\$1.25 MILLION)









#### CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES

- WORKING FROM HOME: LESS STRESS, GREATER PRODUCTIVITY, ENVIRONMENTALLY FRIENDLY, QUALITY OF LIFE
- BOARDS / COMMISSIONS AND PUBLIC HEARINGS: GREATER OPPORTUNITY FOR INPUT
- COMMUNITY PLANNING AND PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT: NEW OPPORTUNITIES FOR INPUT
- TOURISM: BETTER MANAGEMENT
- ECONOMY: DIVERSIFICATION

