Oceanic Cable Television Oahu Franchise Renewal

Questionnaire on Community Needs and Olelo’s Services

Residence: Are you a resident of the City & County of Honolulu?  ___ yes   ___ no

Part A – Community needs. Select the response for each question that best represents your opinion.

1. The number of channels (4 for Olelo, 1 for UH, 1 for DOE) currently used for programming about and by local schools, government agencies, community agencies and individuals by Olelo are:
   __ about the right number, given community needs
   __ insufficient; more channels are needed to meet community needs
   __ more than enough; less channels would meet community needs
   __ no opinion

2. The financial support provided by Oceanic which is “passed through” to subscribers for public, education, and government access facilities, equipment, and services is:
   __ about the right amount, given community needs
   __ insufficient; more support is needed to meet community needs
   __ more than enough; a lesser amount would meet community needs
   __ no opinion

3. As cable service develops in the direction of digital and high definition transmission, how important is it that public, education and government access (Olelo’s) programming is provided to viewers with convenience of access, signal quality, and other technical features comparable to those which are provided for broadcast stations (KHNL, KHON, KITV, KGMB, etc.) and other popular commercial programming?
   __ very important
   __ somewhat important
   __ not important
   __ no opinion

4. The current or existing capability of the cable system to transmit live or recorded video programming provided via the Olelo channels from various sites around Oahu is:
   __ very important to meet community needs
   __ somewhat important to meet community needs
   __ not important to meet community needs
   __ no opinion
5. The availability of public, education and government access programs via live or archived video streaming via the Internet (currently provided through Olelo at www.olelo.org) is:

__ very important to meet community needs
__ somewhat important to meet community needs
__ not important to meet community needs
__ no opinion

6. On a scale of 1 to 5, (5 being the highest), what is your level of interest in having available for viewing the following types of local programs?

Local government meetings, legislative sessions, county council meetings, neighborhood board meetings, special events, schedules and information about various services? _______

Secondary or higher institutional educational programs (UH/DOE), classes, events, long distance learning and other instructional programs? _______

A variety of shows produced by local citizens and organizations on topics of their choice. For example: local hula recitals or performing arts programs; forums for local political candidates; health, nutrition, cooking and fitness shows; local documentaries; video news coverage of community events; a bulletin board of community events; etc. _______

7. Do you, or organizations you belong to, find it of interest to have facilities, equipment and support available for producing television shows about your organization's activities, to show on a local cable PEG access channel (e.g., channels 49, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56)?

__ Yes  __ No  __ Don't Know

8. Are there any other matters that you believe should be addressed through the franchise renewal process to help assure that the Oceanic cable system meets community needs? If so, please comment below (use back of last page if necessary):
**Part B – Olelo services.** Public, education, and government access services on Oahu are currently delivered by Olelo Community Television.

1. Are you or your organization an active user of Olelo services? ___ yes ___no

   1a. If yes, provide any comments you may have on what Olelo services are especially helpful to you and/or what Olelo might do to better assist your productions (use back of last page if necessary):

   1b. If no, what services would Olelo have to provide for you to consider utilizing Olelo facilities and services?

2. What types of current Olelo programming (or names of specific programs), if any, do you value most (use back of last page if necessary)?

3. Are there other services or programming you would like Olelo to offer to better address community needs (use back of last page if necessary)?

4. Provide any other comments you may have on how current Olelo services do or do not help to meet community needs (use back of last page if necessary):
Part C – Other comments. If you have any additional comments not addressed above regarding community needs that you believe should be addressed in the franchise renewal process please note them in the space below (use back of last page if necessary):

Please complete this questionnaire and return it during this community forum. If you did not personally participate in the forum, but have seen it on a cable access channel or are completing the questionnaire with an explanation from a forum participant, please fill it out and return it no later than September 30, 2008 via mail, fax or scanned e-mail attachment to:

DCCA-CATV, P.O. Box 541, Honolulu, HI 96809.
Phone (808) 586-2620, Fax (808) 586-2625.
E-mail: Cabletv@dcca.hawaii.gov

Thank you very much for your participation in the cable franchise renewal process. Please indicate your name, address and phone # below for possible follow-up purposes:

Name: _________________________________________Phone:________________

Address: _____________________________________________________________

If you represent an organization, an institution, or a division of government please indicate its name below; otherwise write “individual”):

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