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AGENDA
FOR THE MEETING OF THE
COMMISSION ON WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

DATE: May 16, 2023
TIME: 9:00 a.m.
PLACE: DLNR Boardroom, Kalanimoku Bldg.
1151 Punchbowl Street, 1st Floor / & Online via Zoom
Meeting ID: 824 3640 0223/ passcode: 790456

This meeting will be held using interactive conference technology under section 92-3.7, Haw. Rev. Stat. Commission members, staff, applicants, testifiers, and the public can choose to participate in person, online via Zoom, or by telephone. The public may also view the live meeting via its live stream at: <https://www.youtube.com/user/dlnrcwrn/>

To Provide Written Testimony

We encourage interested persons to submit written testimony in advance of the meeting to allow Commissioners time to review. Please submit written testimony via email to nadine.h.pomroy@hawaii.gov or to dlnr.cwrn@hawaii.gov; or mailed to: P.O. Box 621, Honolulu, Hawaii 96809. Written testimonies may be posted upon the Commission on Water Resource Management website so please be mindful that any personal information will be shared. Late written testimony will be retained as part of the record and distributed to Commissioners as soon as practicable, but we cannot ensure the Commission will receive it in sufficient time to review, prior to decision-making.

To Provide In-Person Oral Testimony (masks are highly encouraged):

Attend in-person at: 1151 Punchbowl St. Room 132 (Kalanimoku Building), Honolulu, Hawaii

To provide video/Zoom testimony: Send your request in a timely manner to:

nadine.h.pomroy@hawaii.gov with your information, email address, and the agenda item you wish to testify on. Once your request has been received, you will receive a confirmation email with pertinent information.

To provide Testimony by Telephone - on the day of the meeting at the start of the agenda item you wish to testify on, dial: 1-669-900-6833 (Zoom); input the meeting ID & passcode and follow the prompts.

Note: All phone in and day of requests depends on whether they can be accommodated in sufficient time before the item has been addressed by the Commission; kindly note that due to meeting constraints only timely testimony can be addressed.

We kindly ask that all oral/video testimony be limited to not more than three (3) minutes.

A. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

April 18, 2023

B. ACTION ITEMS

1. Approval of Stream Diversion Works Permit Application (SDWP.5990.6) and Special Conditions, East Maui Irrigation Company, LLC, Modification of Diversion Nos. 215, 185, 308, 196, 194 to Fix Leaks and Provide Habitat Connectivity; Ho‘olawa, Kailua, ‘O‘opuola, and Ka‘aiea Streams, Maui; Tax Map Key(s): (2) 1-1-001:042; 2-9-014:035; and 2-9-014:007; and

Declare that Project is Exempt from Environmental Assessment Requirements under Hawaii Revised Statutes Chapter 343, and Hawaii Administrative Rules Chapter 11-200.1

2. Approval of Stream Diversion Works Permit Application (SDWP.5991.6) and Special Conditions, East Maui Irrigation Company, LLC, Abandon Registration of Stream Diversion Works Nos. 234, 254, 238, 273, 260, 150, 262, and 173; Remove Pipes and Seal Intakes; Ho‘olawa, Waipi‘o, Oanui, West ‘O‘opuola Tributary, ‘O‘opuola, ‘O‘opuola Tributary, and Makanali Streams, Maui; Tax Map Key(s): (2) 1-1-001:042; 2-9-014:001-002, 007, and 009; and

Declare that Project is Exempt from Environmental Assessment Requirements under Hawaii Revised Statutes Chapter 343, and Hawaii Administrative Rules Chapter 11-200.1

C. NON-ACTION ITEMS / INFORMATIONAL BRIEFINGS

1. Summary on Current Fieldwork Activities in the Stream Protection and Management Branch, Statewide
2. Legislative update presented by Deputy Manuel on legislative bills, budget, and CIP

D. COMMISSION MEETING SCHEDULE (*tentative*)

June 20, 2023 (Tuesday)

July 26, 2023 – (Wednesday)

August 15, 2023 (Tuesday)

NOTE: Items may be taken out of order and will be announced at the start of the meeting

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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 our office at 1151 Punchbowl Street, Room 227, and will also be available at the meeting.

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In some of the matters before the Commission, a person may wish to request a contested case hearing. If such a request is made before the Commission's decision, then the Commission will consider the request first before considering the merits of the item before it. A person who wants a contested case may also wait until the Commission decides the issue, then request the contested case after the decision, it is up to you. Any request must be made orally by the end of the meeting and followed up in writing within ten days. If no request for contested case is made, the Commission will make a decision. The Department will treat the decision as final and proceed accordingly.

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