Issuance of Right-of-Entry Permit to John Willard of the Maui Surf Ohana as part of the Hawaiian Surfing Association for a Youth Surf Event at Haneoo, Hamoa, Hana, Tax Map Key: (2) 1-4-007: Portion of 009.

APPLICANT:

John Willard, of the Maui Surf Ohana and as part of the Hawaiian Surf Association.

LEGAL REFERENCE:

Sections 171-55, Hawaii Revised Statutes, as amended.

LOCATION:

Portion of Government lands of Haneoo situated at Hamoa, Hana, Maui identified by Tax Map Key: (2) 1-4-007: Portion of 009, as shown on the attached map labeled Exhibit A.

AREA:

200 sq. ft., more or less.

ZONING:

State Land Use District: Agriculture
County of Maui CZO: Agriculture

TRUST LAND STATUS:

Section 5(b) lands of the Hawaii Admission Act
DHHL 30% entitlement lands pursuant to the Hawaii State Constitution: NO

CURRENT USE STATUS:

The requested area of parcel 009 is currently unencumbered.

CHARACTER OF USE:

Youth Surf Competition purposes.

TERM OF RIGHT-OF-ENTRY:

One day event scheduled for September 26, 2015; with alternate dates of September 27, 2015, and October 3 and 4, of 2015.

Alternate dates will apply subject to weather and or surf conditions.

CONSIDERATION:

$20.00 (200 sq. ft. x $.10 per sq. ft. = $20.00)

CHAPTER 343 - ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT:

In accordance with the Division of Land Management's Environmental Impact Statement Exemption List, approved by the Environmental Council and dated June 5, 2015, the subject request is exempt from the preparation of an environmental assessment because the action will have minimal or no significant effect on the environment pursuant to Exemption Class No. 1, that states "Operations, repairs or maintenance of existing structures, facilities, equipment or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion or change of use beyond that previously existing." (51) Permits, licenses, registrations, and rights-of-entry issued by the Department that are routine in nature, involving negligible impacts beyond that previously existing.

DCCA VERIFICATION:

Place of business registration confirmed: YES x NO_
Registered business name confirmed: YES x NO_
Applicant in good standing confirmed: YES x NO_

APPLICANT REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant shall be required to:

1) Provide traffic control to assure that Haneoo Road remains clear and traffic
through the area is unobstructed.

2) Contact the Hana Police Department to inform them of the date and time of the scheduled event along with a traffic control plan.

3) Obtain approval and all required permits for this event from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, Division of Boating and Ocean Recreation.

REMARKS:

Mr. John Willard of the Maui Surf Ohana and the Hawaiian Surf Association has requested the use of 200 square feet of unencumbered land in an area above the shoreline at Koki Beach, Hana for their annual amateur Keki surf event. Two 10’x10’ pop up tents will be erected within the requested area of use and utilized for judging and staging during the competition.

As a chapter of the Hawaiian Surf Association, Mr. Willard and the Maui Surf Ohana organizes five, one day keiki surf competitions at different locations throughout the island of Maui annually. Through these events, children are afforded an opportunity to experience friendly competition and surfing is promoted in a positive manner with respect to fellow competitors as well as the ocean and land areas being utilized for these competitions.

No agency comments were solicited for this annual one day event.

RECOMMENDATION: That the Board

1. Declare that, after considering the potential effects of the proposed disposition as provided by Chapter 343, HRS, and Chapter 11-200, HAR, this project will probably have minimal or no significant effect on the environment and is therefore exempt from the preparation of an environmental assessment.

2. Authorize the issuance of a right-of-entry permit to John Willard of the Hawaiian Surf Association covering the subject area under the terms and conditions cited above, which are by this reference incorporated herein and further subject to the following:

   A. The standard terms and conditions of the most current right-of-entry permit form, as may be amended from time to time;

   B. Such other terms and conditions as may be prescribed by the Chairperson to best serve the interests of the State.
BLNR - Issuance of ROE
to John Willard of the Maui Surf Ohana.

September 11, 2015

RespectfullySubmitted,

Daniel Ornellas, District Land Agent

APPROVED FOR SUBMITTAL:

Suzanne D. Case, Chairperson
EXEMPTION NOTIFICATION
regarding the preparation of an environmental assessment pursuant to Chapter 343, HRS and Chapter 11-200, HAR

Project Title: John Willard of the Maui Surf Ohana

Project / Reference No.: 15MD-138

Project Location: Haneoo, Hamoa, Hana, Tax Map Key: (2) 1-4-007: Portion of 009.

Project Description: Youth Surf Competition.

Chap. 343 Trigger(s): Use of State Land

Exemption Class No. and Description: In accordance with the Division of Land Management’s Environmental Impact Statement Exemption List, approved by the Environmental Council and dated June 5, 2015, the subject request is exempt from the preparation of an environmental assessment because the action will have minimal or no significant effect on the environment pursuant to Exemption Class No. 1, that states "Operations, repairs or maintenance of existing structures, facilities, equipment or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion or change of use beyond that previously existing." (51) Permits, licenses, registrations, and rights-of-entry issued by the Department that are routine in nature, involving negligible impacts beyond that previously existing.

Recommendation: It is anticipated this project will probably have minimal or no significant effect on the environment and is presumed to be exempt from the preparation of an environmental assessment.

Suzanne D. Case, Chairperson

Date 8/25/15

EXHIBIT "E"