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[EXTERNAL] Testimony in Support of DR21-73 Honoipu Hideaway

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Dear LUC Commissioners,

Thank you for hearing my testimony in support of DR21-73--Honoipu Hideaway LLC boundary interpretation. My husband and I were stationed at USCG Loran Station Upolu Point many years ago when it was still in operation. Our family lived in one of the rectangular duplex homes along the shoreline road that you can see in the aerial photos from 1965.

As you can also see in the photo, our home was surrounded by a large pasture both behind the house and in front of the house between the road and the ocean. The station grew lots of fruits and vegetables such as bananas, avocados, and papaya. Each house had its own banana tree next to it. The families would have their own garden to grow various vegetables to help supplement their food supply as there was a lack of fresh produce options nearby because of the remoteness of where we were stationed.

I returned to the former USCG base a few years ago and discovered the station buildings and road are exactly the same as when we lived there when it was still in operation. It was like stepping back in time--nothing had changed. It is quite clear to me having lived there many years before my return that the LUC 1974 Boundary Map does not depict my former home at all or the location of the paved road in front of it, even though the house was built in 1961.

Sincerely,
Connie Greiner
Former resident, USCG Lorsta Upolu Point, Hawaii