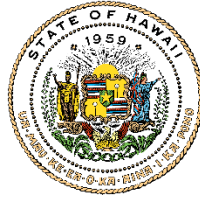


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April 17, 2023

**SUBJECT: Section 106 Consultation for Waiawa REPI project, O'ahu, HI**

To Whom It May Concern,

The Department of Land and Natural Resources Division of Forestry and Wildlife (DOFAW) is proposing to work on the project listed above with Federal funds. Under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act, DOFAW is consulting with Native Hawaiian Organizations and others related to historic properties or knowledge of Hawaiian practices. Historic properties include archeological sites, burial grounds, sacred landscapes or features, ceremonial areas, traditional cultural places and landscapes, plant and animal communities, and buildings and structures with significant association.

The Division of Forestry and Wildlife is partnering with Federal agencies to conduct a review of this project to comply with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act and its implementing regulations 36 CFR Part 800. We would like to invite you to be a consulting party in this review to help identify historic properties in the project area that may have religious and cultural significance to your organization or community, and if such properties exist, to help assess how the project might affect them. If the project might have an adverse effect, we would like to discuss possible ways to avoid, minimize or mitigate potential adverse effects.

The main objective of the fence portion of the project is to protect and preserve irreplaceable rare and endangered plants and animals and watershed function. Pig-proof fences are proposed to be constructed to protect three fence units. Pigs are damaging the native forest in these upland areas. The native forest is important for capturing cloud moisture that recharges the threatened aquifer of Pearl Harbor, and provides many other benefits such as flooding and erosion reduction, and carbon sequestration. Step-overs and gates will be included to continue to allow access into the fenced areas. These fences are in remote and rugged areas of the central Ko'olau mountains.

Additionally, this project involves two Division of Forestry and Wildlife baseyard improvement projects to rebuild existing buildings and to add or improve infrastructure. One of the two sites is part of the Waimano State Complex, a gated complex of buildings managed by the State Department of Health located at 2201 Waimano Home Road, Pearl City, HI 96782. The other is in Makiki, part of DOFAW's Makiki Baseyard located at 2135 Makiki Heights Drive, Honolulu, HI 96822. An environmental assessment was completed for the Makiki Baseyard improvements in 2016. Construction of buildings for both Waimano and Makiki baseyards will occur on the footprints of existing buildings. Additional

baseyard infrastructure improvements will be in areas that have been highly disturbed in the past such that no artifacts are expected to be encountered.

Once the consultation period is over, and if there are no major concerns presented, DOFAW will seek concurrence from the State Historical Preservation Division that no historical properties are affected. A 6E Historic Preservation Review letter and report will also be submitted. However, if any sites or artifacts are discovered, all work will stop, the proper authorities will be notified, and an assessment of significance will occur.

If you are interested in participating in this undertaking as a consulting party, want to provide comments on the proposed project Area of Potential Effect (APE) and any historic properties in the APE, or want to suggest additional key contacts, please respond by May 17, 2023 via email to [Emma.Yuen@hawaii.gov](mailto:Emma.Yuen@hawaii.gov).

We value your assistance and look forward to your response.

Sincerely,

/s/

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TMKs affected:

Waiau

[1] 9-7-026:001

[1] 9-8-001:008

Moanalua

[1] 1-1-013:001

Halawa

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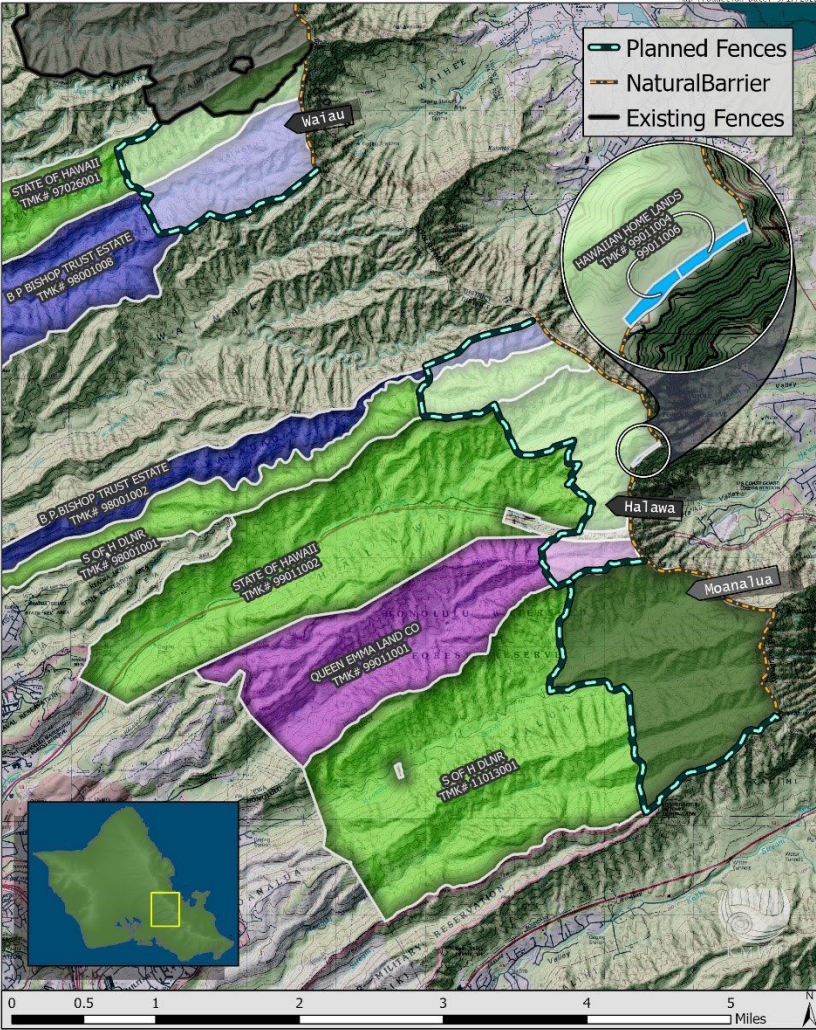
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Makiki

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# Planned REPI Koolau Fences

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Fencelines are approximate and subject to change within the listed TMKs.

## Planned Waimano Baseyard Construction



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# Planned Makiki Baseyard Construction



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