



O'ahu Nā Ala Hele Trails and Access Program
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NĀ ALA HELE O'AHU ADVISORY COUNCIL

AGENDA

DATE: Tuesday, March 18, 2025

TIME: 4:00pm. To 5:30pm.

PLACE: Oahu Division of Forestry and Wildlife Makiki Branch Office
Conference Room. 2135 Makiki Heights Dr. Honolulu, HI 96822

Council members, members of the public, testifiers and staff can choose to participate either in person, via Zoom or by telephone.

Zoom Virtual Meeting Link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83259950074?pwd=5yPxF5tlaQYS0b0vxiJD6izJg9Enlc.1>

Meeting ID: 832 5995 0074 Passcode: 8GxXki Phone: 1-669-900-9128

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MEETING AGENDA ITEMS:

1. Introduction and Announcements (3 minutes)

2. Acceptance of January minutes (2 Minutes)

3. New Business: (5 Minutes)

- **Federal Funding Status**
- **Ma'akua Trail Closed due to Little Fire Ant "LFA"**

4. Trail and Access Specialist Staff Report (15 minutes)

a) Staffing Update – New Specialist and Technician positions pending.

b) Status of Program Projects and On-going Operations

i) Projects and Contracts – See Tracking sheet

- **NAH Rules Rewrite**
- **Capacity Study**
- **Nā Manu 'Elele Stewardship**
- **Program Plan**
- **Kaiwa Ridge CIP**
- **Maunawili Falls CIP**
- **Helemano**
- **Honouliuli**
- **Kamananui Vally Management Plan**
- **Tantalus Trail improvement -**
- **Peacock Flats Trail**
- **Makiki WAI**
- **Adding the Pauoa Flats Trail to the O'ahu Commercial Trail Tour Activity (CTTA) Inventory.**
- **HMA MOU**

ii) Crew and Volunteer Projects:

- **Trail Crew accomplishments**
- **Trail Clearing Permits**

5. Trail User Group Representatives Bi-Monthly Reports: (5 minutes each)

(Please provide a short written and oral report including user group activity Highlights Incidents and Request)

- a. Cultural Advisor & Rock Climbing - Skye Kolealani Razon**
- a. Hunting – Roy Kainoa**
- b. Hiking – Ken Suzuki**
- c. Mountain Biking – Yuko Barretto**
- d. Off Highway Vehicles – Motocross/Dirt Bike – Terry Galpin**
- e. Equestrian – David Fahrenwald**
- f. Trail Runners – Marian Yasuda**
- g. Environmental Education Todd Cullison**
- h. Off-road 4x4 - Sean Goo**

6. Other Business

- **Next meeting**

7. Adjournment