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Aloha, I have been bowling at Pali Lanes for many years and think of it not only as a bowling alley but also as a community activity center, because all kinds of people, young and old, handicapped, school kids, tourists and locals, enjoy the place, for parties as well as leagues. We enjoy the colorful murals depicting local life, and the distinctive architecture. It has been a local landmark for almost 60 years now, and it would be a shame to see it go. It is the last alley on the windward side, one of the few left on Oahu outside the military bases (which not everyone has access to). It is not fancy, and some people look down on it as just a working class activity, but it's worth saving before Kailua becomes totally kitsch, high-priced and reserved for tourists. Please save Pali Lanes, for the sake of the community and lots of fond memories that live on in its socializing, cheerful atmosphere, and all those strikes and spares. Mahalo nui a loa, David Chappell