



Hāmākua Soil & Water Conservation District FINAL MEETING AGENDA

Date: Tuesday, January 6, 2026

Time: 3:00pm

Place: Teleconference connecting the following locations:

- 1) NRCS Hilo Field Office, 154 Waianuenue Ave, Room 203, Hilo, HI 96720
- 2) NRCS Waimea Field Office, 67-1185 Mamalahoa Hwy, Ste. H148, Kamuela, HI 96743
- 3) East Hawaii Regional SWCD Office, 202 Waianuenue Ave, Hilo HI 96720

For more information on the meeting, call (808) 289-3132

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Meeting ID: 297 128 186 673

Passcode: 4nemiU

TESTIMONY:

Interested people can submit written testimony in advance of each meeting that will be distributed to the Board of Directors prior to this meeting. Written testimony must be submitted no later than 24 hours prior to the meeting to ensure time for Board Members to review. Late written testimony will be retained as part of the record, but it is not guaranteed that Board Members will receive it with sufficient time for review prior to decision-making.

Submit written testimony to hamakuaswcd1990@gmail.com

To provide live oral/video testimony during the online meeting, email your request to hamakuaswcd1990@gmail.com at least 24 hours in advance, with your name, phone number email address, and the agenda item on which you would like to testify. You will need a computer with internet access, video camera, and microphone to participate. Testimony will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes per person per agenda item.

The Board may go into Executive Session pursuant to Section 92-5(a)(4), Hawaii Revised Statutes, in order to consult with its attorney on questions and issues pertaining to the Board's powers, duties, privileges, immunities, and liabilities.

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- I. Call to Order - Beaton
- II. Approval of the Minutes - Manor
- III. Cooperator Activities/ New Cooperator/ Plan Approvals/ Revisions/ Updates/ Cancellations
 - a. Kaaohomestead Ranch- New Cooperator
 - b. Raymond Lorenzo/ RK Farms- New Cooperator
- IV. Subdivision/Change of Zoning/ Additional Farm Dwelling Application Reviews
 - a. PL-SUB-2025-000376: Camille Deubel Mahuna, Scott K.S. Collins
 - b. PL-SUB-2025-000377: Skilled Services, LLC/Thomas James Viernes & Kristin Ann Rogler
 - c. PL-SUB-2025-000378: Hilo Orchard Farm, LLC
- V. Conservation Planner Update
 - a. Perimeter Fence Program Updates
 - b. CTA Plans
 - i. HuiMAU
 - c. NACD Annual Meeting, early bird extended till January 5, 2026
 - d. Laulima Community Cost-Share Program
 - i. Draft MOA received
 - e. 2025 Feral Swine Eradication and Control Pilot Program Proposal with APHIS
- VI. NRCS DC Report- Hilo and Waimea Field Office - Fujii/Nagata
- VII. FSA Report: circulated via email
- VIII. Correspondence Received
- IX. Treasurer's Report - Shropshire
- X. New Business
- XI. Old Business
 - a. HACD Legislative Committee
 - i. Green Fee program
 - b. HACD Island VP- Doug Beaton, confirmed
 - c. UH/CTAHR Seeds of Wellbeing Podcast, JB Martin & Doug Beaton
 - d. 2026 HACD Annual Meeting survey
- XII. Open Forum
- XIII. Next Meeting: 2/3/2026
- XIV. Adjournment

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