

Item J-2

Kahalu'u bay

Please be careful in considering DOBOR recommendation to have you change thru amendment the changing of wording from surfboards to "all non motorized vessels". You should list what type of vessels allowed. There are many non motorized vessels I'm sure you would not like to have in this area. Maybe now is not the time for this amendment considering community also would like a rest period weekly. It would be good to vet what type of vessels and rest days at same time.

Mahalo,

Keone Downing
Save Our Surf

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Subject: FW: [EXTERNAL] (HAR) 13-256-152
Date: Wednesday, October 20, 2021 8:57:51 AM

Your testimony appears to be referring to Item J-2 of the October 22 Land Board agenda and is being forwarded to the Land Board.

Thank you,
DOBOR Staff

-----Original Message-----

From: Tosh Stratton <toshstratton@gmail.com>
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Aloha

My name is Tosh Stratton. I oppose (HAR) 13-256-152 because as a surf instructor this change would leave me and many others unemployed. Surfing is a highlight and goal on many tourists Hawaii vacations and restricting the amount of lessons would encourage people to go out without guidance and put themselves and many others around them at risk. I believe that this change would not only put several Kona residents livelihoods at risk but also would make Kahaluu a less desirable location for locals and tourists to enjoy. I hope that my input is considered in the decision made.

Mahalo
Tosh