NĀ ALA HELE ADVISORY COUNCIL
HAWAI‘I ISLAND

MEETING AGENDA

NĀ ALA HELE ADVISORY COUNCIL MEMBERS:
Terrence Noda, Chairperson; Nani Pogline, Vice Chairperson; David Rietow, Secretary;
Roger Kanealii Jr.; Kawehi Ryder; Jeffrey Yamauchi; Christopher Seymour; Charles Flaherty;
Vacant; Jackson Bauer, ex-officio; Rick Gmirkin, ex-officio.

DATE: September 28, 2022
TIME: 6:00 P.M. – 8:00 P.M.
LOCATION: Council members, staff, public observers, and testifiers can choose to participate either in
person, via Zoom or by telephone.
• In-person at 19 E. Kawili Street (Division of Forestry and Wildlife Hilo Baseyard),
• Online via Zoom video conference:
https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88088333290?pwd=SkljempGNmZDUkIrYUcyUWtqSnIzUT09
Meeting ID: 880 8833 3290
Passcode: 1988
• Telephone conference: (669) 900-9128 (same Meeting ID and passcode above)

Meeting materials are available for public review in advance of the meeting at:
https://calendar.ehawaii.gov/calendar/

Testimony may be provided at any of the meeting location methods above. No registration is required to
attend the meeting or provide testimony. Written testimony that will be distributed to Council Members
prior to the meeting may be submitted no later than 24 hours prior to the meeting via:
• jackson.m.bauer@hawaii.gov, Subject: “Nā Ala Hele Advisory Council Testimony”
or
• Nā Ala Hele Advisory Council
  19 E. Kawili Street,
  Hilo, HI  96720

The Council may go into Executive Session pursuant to Section 92-5(a)(4), Hawaii Revised, Statutes.

Individuals requiring special assistance or auxiliary aids or services (e.g., sign language interpreter),
please contact staff at least 72 hours prior to the meeting at 808.657.8041 or
jackson.m.bauer@hawaii.gov so that arrangements can be made.
I. Call to Order (6:00 pm)
II. REVIEW and APPROVE MINUTES OF June 16, 2022
III. CHAIRPERSON’S ADDRESS
IV. PUBLIC TESTIMONY (Three minutes maximum)
V. UNFINISHED BUSINESS/COMMITTEE REPORTS
   A. Nā Ala Hele Program update (Nā Ala Hele staff)
      a. Program Trails updates
         i. Pololū Trail
         ii. Muliwai Trail/Waimanu Campground
         iii. Upper Waiākea ATV & Dirt Bike Riding Area (Terrence)
         iv. Kūlanihākoʻi Mountain Bike Park (Chris)
         v. Puna Trail
         vi. Other program trail updates
      b. Historic Trails updates
         i. Other historic trail updates
      c. Access updates
         i. Kaupakuea Access to Hilo Forest Reserve (Nani/Jackson)
         ii. Other access updates
      d. Administrative Tasks update
      e. Other NAH program updates
   B. Budget/Legislative Update (Nā Ala Hele staff)
   C. Ala Kahakai National Historic Trail Update (Ala Kahakai National Historic Trail staff)
   D. Subcommittee Reports:
      a. OHV Subcommittee (Terrence Noda, John Howerton)
      b. Volcano Solid Waste Transfer Station Access to Forest Reserve (Nani Pogline, Abraham Antonio)
   E. Information/Update: Tracking Tool (Jeff Yamauchi)
   F. E-bikes
      a. Discussion on e-bike use on Nā Ala Hele Trails
   G. Muliwai Trail and Waimanu Valley access via Waipi'o Road
      a. Presentation by Hawai‘i County Council Member Heather Kimball
   H. Council Member Concerns
   I. Council member trail experience forum
VI. NEW BUSINESS
   A. Letter of support for Waimanu caretaker homestead on DHHL lands (Kawehi)
   B. Report of July 27, 2022 Statewide Nā Ala Hele meeting (Terrence)
   C. RTP Program trails list for Hawai‘i Island. (Terrence)
   D. Set next meeting agenda
   E. Set next meeting date
VII. ADJOURNMENT

Enclosures:

Approved Minutes of Meeting, March 20, 2022