



MAUNA KEA STEWARDSHIP AND OVERSIGHT AUTHORITY (MKSOA) BOARD MEETING

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MEETING AGENDA
Thursday, February 8, 2024
10:00 am

In person at 19 E. Kawili Street,
Hilo, HI

Online via ZOOM, livestreamed at
<https://www.youtube.com/@MaunaKeaSOA>

Board members, staff, and testifiers can choose to participate either in-person, via Zoom or by telephone. Note: The Board members will be participating via live or Zoom for this meeting. Members of the public are asked to wear a mask if attending in-person.

- I. CALL TO ORDER AND WELCOME PROTOCOL
- II. PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS
- III. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE JANUARY 11, 2024 MEETING
- IV. CHAIR REPORT– Public Testimony taken (written or oral) on any of these items
 - A. Introducing Ryan Kanakaole as the DLNR Chair Designee
 - B. Report on the Senate Higher Education Committee Hearing regarding the Sunshine law
 - C. Report on the Senate Water and Land Committee Hearing regarding SB 2297
- V. GOVERNANCE – Public Testimony taken (written or oral) on any of these items

VI. ADMINISTRATION – Public Testimony taken (written or oral) on any of these items

VII. FINANCE– Public Testimony taken (written or oral) on any of these items

VIII. OPERATIONAL UPDATE: Center for Maunakea Stewardship– Public Testimony taken (written or oral) on any of these items

IX. EXECUTIVE SESSION– Public Testimony taken (written or oral) on any of these items

A. The Authority anticipates convening in Executive Session pursuant to Section 92-5(a)(2), HRS, to consider and deliberate on the hiring of an employee and pursuant to Section 92-5(a)(3) to consult with the Board’s attorney on questions and issues pertaining to the Authority’s power, duties, privileges, immunities, and liabilities in the following matter:

- i. Briefing on Office of Hawaiian Affairs vs. State of Hawaii lawsuit against the Authority
- ii. Discussion on terms of employment for prospective Executive Director hire
- iii. Briefing on potential impact of Senate Bill 2297 on the Authority’s powers, duties, and privileges
- iv. Briefing on potential impact of Senate Bill 2761 on the Authority’s powers, duties, and privileges under the Sunshine Law

X. ANNOUNCEMENTS

A. NEXT AUTHORITY MEETING- MARCH 14, 2024, 10:00AM-12:00PM

B. COMMUNITY TALK STORY SESSION- MARCH 13, 2024, 6:00PM-8:00PM
DLNR-DOFAW HILO BUILDING- 19 E. KAWILI ST.

XI. ADJOURNMENT

MAUNAKEA STEWARDSHIP OVERSIGHT AUTHORITY (MKSOA),

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To provide in person testimony:

Attend live at 19 E. Kawili Street, Hilo, HI

(Note: Testimony may be limited to 3-minutes)

To provide written testimony:

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Email your request to mka.testimony@hawaii.gov, with the agenda item on which you would like to testify. Once your request has been received, you will receive an email with the Zoom link via which to testify. Requests may be made during the meeting and will be processed as soon as practicable.

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Dial: +1 669 444 9171. At the prompts, enter: Meeting ID: 997 0926 0478 Passcode: KqE29P

*Note: To unmute, press *6*

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