

**From:** [Rebecca Brack](#)  
**To:** [DLNR.BLNR.Testimony](#)  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Management Plan and Associated Environmental Assessment of the Kapāpala Koa Canoe Management area,  
**Date:** Thursday, April 25, 2024 8:10:59 AM

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Aloha Kakou,

I am Richmond H.D. Brack, representing the Mākaha Canoe Club, and I extend warm regards to all members of the committee.

I am writing to express my full support for the approval of the Management Plan and Associated Environmental Assessment of the Kapāpala Koa Canoe Management area, along with the Issuance of a Finding of No Significant Impact. Additionally, I endorse the approval of an allocation process for Koa Canoe Log Harvest permits from the Kapāpala Koa Canoe Management Area.

As stewards of our cultural heritage and practitioners of this revered tradition, it is imperative that we maintain access to koa logs for Na Kalaiwa'a. These logs are not only essential for teaching purposes but also for crafting vessels that will carry our legacy forward for generations to come.

Mahalo nui,

Richmond H.D. Brack

Board Member

Mākaha Canoe Club

**From:** [Tahmi Cleveland](#)  
**To:** [DLNR.BLNR.Testimony](#)  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Kapāpala Koa Canoe Bill  
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Aloha Mai Kākou,

My name is Tahmi Cleveland, Vice President and Coach of Mākaha Canoe Club. I am in support to approve the Management Plan and Associated Environmental Assessment of the Kapāpala Koa Canoe Management area, and Issuance of a Finding of No Significant Impact. I also support the approval of an allocation process for Koa Canoe Log Harvest permits from the Kapāpala Koa Canoe Management Area. As Cultural Practitioners of this tradition and sport, it is vital that we have access to koa logs for Na Kalaiwa'a to teach and to build for our future paddlers.

Mahalo NUI,

Tahmi Cleveland, Vice President/Coach  
Mākaha Canoe Club

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**From:** [Harriet Strothers](#)  
**To:** [DLNR.BLNR.Testimony](#)  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Kapāpala Koa Canoe Management Area  
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*I, Harriet Strothers, of Mākaha Canoe Club am in support to approve the Management Plan and Associated Environmental Assessment of the Kapāpala Koa Canoe Management area and an Issuance of a Finding of No Significant Impact.*

*I also support the approval of an allocation process for Koa Canoe Log Harvest permits from the Kapāpala Koa Canoe Management Area.*

*As Cultural Practitioners of this tradition and sport, it is vital that we have access to koa logs for Na Kalaiwa'a to teach and to build for our future paddlers.*

*Mahalo NUI,*

Harriet Strothers  
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**Harriet A Strothers**

*April 24, 2024*

*Aloha Mai Kākou,*

*My name is Marlene R. Kahoonei, President of Mākaha Canoe Club. I am in support to approve the Management Plan and Associated Environmental Assessment of the Kapāpala Koa Canoe Management area, and Issuance of a Finding of No Significant Impact. I also support the approval of an allocation process for Koa Canoe Log Harvest permits from the Kapāpala Koa Canoe Management Area. As Cultural Practitioners of this tradition and sport, it is vital that we have access to koa logs for Na Kalaiwa'a to teach and to build for our future paddlers.*

*Mahalo NUI,*

*Marlene R. Kahoonei, President  
Mākaha Canoe Club*

**From:** [Lindsay Strothers](#)  
**To:** [DLNR.BLNR.Testimony](#)  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Kapāpala Koa Canoe Management Area  
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*I, Lindsay Strothers, of Mākaha Canoe Club am in support to approve the Management Plan and Associated Environmental Assessment of the Kapāpala Koa Canoe Management area and an Issuance of a Finding of No Significant Impact.*

*I also support the approval of an allocation process for Koa Canoe Log Harvest permits from the Kapāpala Koa Canoe Management Area.*

*As Cultural Practitioners of this tradition and sport, it is vital that we have access to koa logs for Na Kalaiwa'a to teach and to build for our future paddlers.*

*Mahalo NUI,*

Lindsay Strothers  
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