

**From:** [Thomas Daubert](#)  
**To:** [DLNR.BLNR.Testimony](#)  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Testimony for BLNR 7/16/24 Agenda OCCL Item K-2  
**Date:** Wednesday, July 10, 2024 11:27:55 AM

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Aloha Chair Chang and Members of the Board,

My name is Thomas Daubert. I am Executive Director of Friends of Kauai Wildlife Refuges, a nonprofit organization established to support our native Hawaiian wildlife.

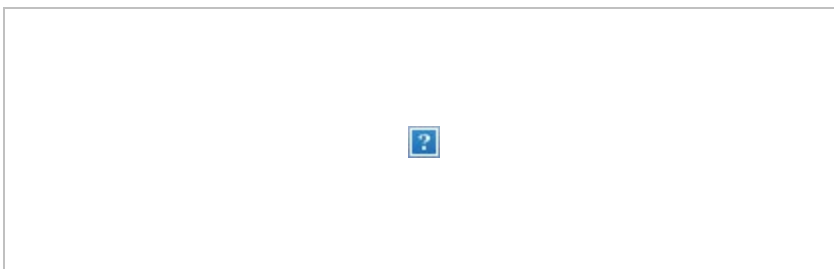
I write in strong support of Item K-2 (Agenda Items C-5, C-6, and K-1 of the April 26, 2024, Board Meeting), the DOFAW and OCCL enforcement actions for the death and destruction of native Laysan Albatross and Yellow-Faced Bees and their coastal habitat at Marconi.

As the DOFAW and OCCL submittals explain in detail, the death of Ho'okipa and 300 Yellow-Faced Bees, 106 trees, and two acres of habitat is a tragic loss of our native species. The alleged actions of the developers/owners and their agents indicates intentional, reckless, and careless actions that violate our state laws that protect these species and their habitat. The alleged violations are very serious, numerous, and deserve the substantial fines and remedies as proposed by DOFAW and OCCL.

Friends of Kaua'i Wildlife Refuges serves as a nonprofit "Friends Group" supporting the environmental and wildlife conservation, historic preservation and community education programs of the Kaua'i National Wildlife Refuge Complex, which is administered by the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service and includes Kīlauea Point National Wildlife Refuge (NWR), Hanalei NWR and Hulē'ia NWR. The organization helps to fill in the gaps in the programs administered by the Refuge team by providing much-needed funding and staffing support. Friends of Kaua'i Wildlife Refuges also manages the Nature Store and Visitor Center at Kīlauea Point NWR, supports education programs, administers an annual scholarship, conducts community outreach, and more.

Mahalo nui loa for standing up for our native species and ecosystems and for supporting the proposed enforcement actions.

With aloha,  
Thomas Daubert



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**From:** [Diane Gabriel](#)  
**To:** [DLNR.BLNR.Testimony](#)  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] K-2 Testimony  
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BLNR,

I am writing in support of K-2 and ask that the Yue-Sai Kan settlement be adopted. This seems like a fair solution.

Thank you for your consideration.  
Diane Gabriel

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**From:** [Cindy Jenness](#)  
**To:** [DLNR.BLNR.Testimony](#)  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] K-2 YUE SAN Settlement  
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I support the the Yue Sam settlement at Marconi. It is a positive way to support further growth of the wildlife in the area and stop illegal activities in the area.

Thank you for helping save a natural space for future generations of wildlife and people.

Thank you,

Cynthia Jenness

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**From:** [Diana King](#)  
**To:** [DLNR.BLNR.Testimony](#)  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Support of K-2, Transfer of Unit 1 from Yue-Sai Kan to the North Shore Community Land Trust  
**Date:** Tuesday, July 9, 2024 4:50:43 PM

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Aloha,

I wish to offer my support for the proposed transfer of prime coastal habitat from Yue-Sai Kan to the North Shore Community Land Trust. While the tragic events that preceded this offer have not dimmed, the transfer is a good faith effort to right a wrong, and create additional safe habitat for Laysan albatross and other native plants and animals. Habitat loss is one of the most significant reasons so many species are endangered globally, and this move is a welcome step in the right direction.

Sincerely,

Diana L. King  
Kailua, Hawaii

**From:** [Paul Krushelnycky](#)  
**To:** [DLNR.BLNR.Testimony](#)  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Testimony for 7/12/2024 #K2  
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Aloha Chairman Chang and board members,

I am writing to express my support for K-2 and to urge the Board of the DLNR to accept the settlement offer with Yue-Sai Kan.

sincerely,

Paul Krushelnycky

**From:** [Sara McKay](#)  
**To:** [DLNR.BLNR.Testimony](#)  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Re:Yui Sai Kan settlement  
**Date:** Wednesday, July 10, 2024 2:27:55 AM

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Aloha,  
Please support the Yui Sai Kan settlement as a vital way to protect Hawaii's wildlife and natural habitats.  
Aloha,  
Sara McKay  
Sent from my iPhone

**From:** [William Steiner](#)  
**To:** [DLNR.BLNR.Testimony](#)  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Testimony in favor of 7/12/2024 #K2  
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To the Board of the Department of Land and Natural Resources,

Dear Chairperson Chang and Board Members;

this is a request to please support and accept #K2 in the Yue-Sai Kan Settlement at Marconi Point. The settlement of the Marconi enforcement actions against Yue-Sai Kan, the owner of Unit 1 (next to Turtle Bay), solves claims and actions by the by donation of her property to the North Shore Community Land Trust (NSCLT) and allows taking down the destructive wrought iron fence around the property that was dividing the Laysan Albatross habitat and entangled Ho'okipa! Acceptance also saves time and money to continue pursuing the case besides providing protection of the native bird (and yellowface bee) habitat. It sets a very nice precedent which BLNR can point to as a win-win for everyone.

Mahalo im advance for this action

Most sincerely,

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William Moekahi Steiner, Ph.D.  
Pacific Agricultural Land Management Systems

**From:** [Anita Wintner](#)  
**To:** [DLNR.BLNR.Testimony](#)  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Testimony for 7/12/2024 #K2  
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Chair Chang and Board members,  
I strongly support #K2 and want to say MAHALO! Anita Wintner Maui

Sent from my iPad



**From:** [mari hartman](#)  
**To:** [DLNR.BLNR.Testimony](#)  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] In support of K-2 settlement with Yue-Sai Kan  
**Date:** Tuesday, July 9, 2024 7:23:07 PM

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To the Board of Natural Resources of Hawaii,

I am asking you to support the K-2 Settlement with Yue-Sai Kan.

Although settling this claim by the donation of the property to the NSCLT would be an amazing step for conservation and wildlife. We hope that it will also serve as a reminder of the damage to the fragile wildlife and natural and native habitat of flora and fauna when one's vision is selfish.

We must continue striving to recognize and protect, maintain and nurture to assure the natural habitat survives for us and the generations to come.  
Please accept this settlement K-2.

Mahalo!  
Mari Zane-Hartman  
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Haleiwa, HI 96712

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Sent from my iPhone