



Outlook

[EXTERNAL] Testimony in Opposition to TMT and Any "Relocation" on Mauna Kea (Agenda Item E)

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Aloha Chair and Members of the Mauna Kea Stewardship and Oversight Authority,

O wao o Kilikina Navoa-Auza, No Kalihi mai au, Hele au i ke kula 'o Hālau Kū Māna. I am submitting this testimony in **strong opposition** to any proposal or discussion to relocate the Thirty Meter Telescope on Mauna Kea.

The continuation of desecration to our 'āina and mo'omeheu is what brings me here today. It's like we're in this never-ending cycle where all you guys do is throw problems at us left and right, but when does it stop? When does the desecration stop? When are you going to look around and realize that instead of doing your job, all you're doing is tearing us down? This reconsideration is just one part of the problem; it is the continuation of problems. Our 'aina is deeply rooted in each and every one of us so for the people who are supposed to have our best interest in mind you only have yours in mind. The more the continuation of these types of problems happen the more you hurt our 'aina who is a living and breathing person and the more you damage her you damage the people. The people who will be the future one day so as the people who are supposed to be helping us, do it. Stop all this nonsense and see that what you are doing is hewa.

Mahalo for your time