



You are invited to a Beneficiary Town Hall Session
Waiehu Kou on July 28, 2021 at 5pm – 7pm
via zoom held as a part of the *Maui Beneficiary Ho`ouli Project*
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The goal for this 2-hour discussion session is to try to better understand the experiences of beneficiaries (you) and gather input about ways in which the Hawaiian homelands leasing and management process could work better in the future. The ideas shared by you and other beneficiaries in these sessions will be included in a final product that will serve as a tool for homestead associations and native Hawaiian leaders to more effectively engage with elected officials and DHHL. This project hopes to ultimately develop a productive partnership that enables homestead associations to help DHHL properly implement the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, develop a process that respects beneficiaries' desire to be fully informed and appropriately engaged, and, as a result, enables more native Hawaiian to create thriving homes, farms, and businesses on their homelands.

The discussion will focus on the following topics:

1. Experience on waitlist
2. Selection process and/or receiving awarded lot
3. Purchasing turnkey homes or building home on lot
4. Participation in planning efforts for new homesteads
5. Resources available to lessees
6. Leasing of homelands to non-beneficiaries
7. Visions for overhauling implementation of Hawaiian Homes Commission Act

Throughout the discussion, we will ask participants to consider the following questions:

- What was the purpose/intent of the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act?
- Has that intent or purpose been filled?
- If not, what went wrong and most importantly, how would you fix it?
- What has worked?

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