

TESTIMONY
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TESTIMONY OF MICAH A. KANE, CHAIRMAN
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TO THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON WATER, LAND, AGRICULTURE AND
HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS

ON SCR173/SR120

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES, THE
DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS, AND THE KAUAI POLICE DEPARTMENT TO
ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING REGARDING THE ENFORCEMENT OF
STATE LAWS AND COUNTY ORDINANCES AT ANAHOLA AND ALIOMANU BEACH AREA

April 6, 2009

Chair Hee, Vice-Chair Tokuda and Members of the Committee:

The Hawaiian Homes Commission and the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands supports the intent of SCR173/SR120. The issues raised in these resolutions are ongoing challenges and a memorandum of understanding among our department, the Department of Land and Natural Resources (DLNR) and the Kauai Police Department (KPD) is a step toward the effective enforcement of State laws and County ordinances in the Anahola and Aliomanu Beach Area. We also acknowledge the efforts of both DLNR and KPD in the past to help patrol our portion of Anahola-Aliomanu beach.

Our department is committed to assisting with the development of the MOU and a report of findings and recommendations, including proposed legislation, provided these activities do not have budget

implications in conflict with the Administration's budgetary goals and objectives.

Mahalo for the opportunity to testify on this important bill.

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From: mailinglist@capitol.hawaii.gov
Sent: Monday, April 06, 2009 7:29 AM
To: WTLTestimony
Cc: fauxdb-mail@yahoo.com
Subject: Testimony for SCR173 on 4/6/2009 2:45:00 PM

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Testimony for WTL 4/6/2009 2:45:00 PM SCR173

Conference room: 229
Testifier position: support
Testifier will be present: No
Submitted by: Debra Bodine
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E-mail: fauxdb-mail@yahoo.com
Submitted on: 4/6/2009

Comments:

I have been coming to Kauai since 1976 when my father moved there. Anahola is my family home and one of the most beautiful places on earth. It has always been a favorite place for local families to swim, fish and picnic. Increasingly, over the last few years it has also become a favorite location for rowdy, and most likely meth fueled, parties. It seems that because it is a part of Hawaiian Home Lands law enforcement looks the other way—or has their hands tied. In the end, the county is basically turning this beach over to druggies and thugs who race their trucks up and down the beach, have loud parties late into the night, leave smoldering fires that are a hazard both w/the smoke that fills local houses and the embers that can burn unsuspecting kids.

Please pass legislation that will keep this beach area the family friendly place it has been for the 30 plus years I've been frequenting it.

From: mailinglist@capitol.hawaii.gov
Sent: Monday, April 06, 2009 7:38 AM
To: WTLTestimony
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Conference room: 229
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Testifier will be present: No
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Submitted on: 4/6/2009

Comments:

My family and I have been going to Anahola beach my entire life. Lately it doesn't feel as safe. There seems to be a lot more partying and out of control behavior. Please pass SCR 173 to provide better law enforcement and safety for all who enjoy this beautiful beach.

From: mailinglist@capitol.hawaii.gov
Sent: Monday, April 06, 2009 8:54 AM
To: WTLTestimony
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Testifier position: support
Testifier will be present: No
Submitted by: Carolyn Bodine
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Submitted on: 4/6/2009

Comments:

I support SCR173 and SR 120 to combat the almost continuous lawbreaking on Anahola beach.

From: mailinglist@capitol.hawaii.gov
Sent: Monday, April 06, 2009 9:46 AM
To: WTLTestimony
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Submitted on: 4/6/2009

Comments:
As long time visitors to Kauai and Anahola Beach, my family & I support SCR 173.

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