
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO KAMILO NUI VALLEY.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that since the 1970s,
2 Kamilo Nui valley has provided a safe haven from the rapid urban
3 growth of east Honolulu. Kamilo Nui valley is the largest and
4 last parcel of undeveloped land in east Honolulu and the only
5 remaining agricultural lands in the area.

6 The farmers of Kamilo Nui valley have been farming for more
7 than thirty years, raising a variety of agricultural products
8 that includes vegetables and plants. These farmers have taken
9 an active role in the State's sustainable future.

10 The legislature further finds that Kamilo Nui valley
11 contributes to the preservation of Hawaii's environment and is
12 an important agricultural resource.

13 The purpose of this Act is to preserve Kamilo Nui valley
14 for agricultural use in order to maintain Hawaii's farming
15 livelihood, provide a sustainable food source for the State, and
16 protect Hawaii's environment.



1 SECTION 2. Chapter 205, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
3 and to read as follows:

4 "§205- Kamilo Nui valley; agricultural designation. (a)
5 Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, the land use
6 classification of the Kamilo Nui valley farm lands shall be
7 agricultural.

8 (b) For the purposes of this section, "Kamilo Nui valley"
9 means the usable farm land in east Honolulu bounded by Hawaii
10 Kai drive, Kaiwi road, and the mountain side along Kaluanui
11 road."

12 SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored.

13 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Kamilo Nui Valley; Agricultural Designation

Description:

Changes the land use classification of Kamilo Nui valley from urban to agricultural.

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