

TESTIMONY FOR SB 319 HD 1

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MONDAY, MAR 25, 2013 3:00PM ROOM 325



OCEAN CLEAN-UP USING JET SKI'S ,BOATS,RADIOS,UNDERWATER CAMERAS,GPS;

I Frank Ruiz volunteer to start this new Division of Ocean Cleanup ,at my own expense ,to begin an organization that could truly have an impact on the coming trash from the Japan Tsunami ,and on getting a handle on the abuse of our own residents

DANGERS IN THE WATER:

Plastic bags in the water look like jelly fish ,Turtles favorite food,they eat them and die....I always pick them up when Jet Skiing ,that's what started this,I also found 2 huge abandon drift nets ,one at Makua and one by ST. Johns road...,I reported them with my hand radio to the coast guard and waited till they got there .it was good.I also assisted on 2 occasions divers who were in trouble ,one was out of air and trying to make it to shore,and the other had a full net and a broken float .These are just a couple of the many things that happen out there....that we could help with.

WHAT I WANT TO START

Fly a Blue Planet flag so the lifeguards will know who it is and have radio contact with them, and be able to scour the inner coastline to pick up bags and look for where trash has collected:
Have radios,cell phones,underwater cameras,GPS capability

WHAT I SEE IN THE FUTURE :

I took a class with Sam Pai to get registered for my jet ski & I took the second class for tow in surfing.....I see a third class to register volunteers as Blue Planet or DLNR participants .To inform and certify them of our plan ,I don't want this privilege abused,we will have to work out the do's and don't of this new idea,because we will be coming close to shore.I would say 10 miles per hour tops..I don't want any show offs or big heads.We will need the help of boats to help with the clean up once we have found it.if it's to big.And a plan of where to tow it to,then someone on land to scoop it up and haul it away.

I can see this starting out in Waianae....,going island wide and then state wide & with all the best intension's....to clean the Ocean...with the Good Lord's help Nation wide,....

with the utmost sincerity.....Frank Ruiz 696-1639 or 341-4262 86-210 Leihua st Waianae HI 96792

