



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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HONOLULU, HAWAII 96813

MAUNA KEA WORKING GROUP

Meeting Summary

July 14, 2021, 5 - 7 p.m. | Full Working Group meeting

Participants:

Rep. Mark Nakashima, Chair
Rep. Ty J.K. Cullen
Rep. Stacelynn K.M. Eli
Rep. David A. Tarnas
Ms. Jocelyn Leialoha M. Doane
Dr. Lui Hokoana
Dr. Pualani Kanaka'ole Kanahēle
Mr. Joshua Lanakila Mangauil

Ms. Brialyn Onodera
Mr. Shane Palacat-Nelsen
Dr. Noe Noe Wong-Wilson
Mr. Robert K. Masuda (DLNR)
Dr. Bonnie Irwin (UH)
Mr. Rich Matsuda (Maunakea
Observatories)
Excused: Mr. Sterling Wong (OHA)

- Presentation by Dr. Kanaka'ole and Mr. Mangauil sharing the cultural perspectives relating to Mauna Kea
- The possibility of subgroups was discussed with Chair Nakashima's request that members contact him with their thoughts and ideas.
- Members continued discussion about a site visit to Hawaii Island and Mauna Kea. There was agreement to work on an itinerary and logistics for this visit on August 7-8, 2021.
- The group also discussed significant sites to visit as part of their meeting.
- Next meeting: July 28, 2021, 5 – 7 p.m.