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Testimony for TCA on 3/25/2025 3:20:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Mike Moran	Testifying for Kihei Community Assoc (KCA)	Support	In Person

Comments:

Aloha Chair & members

The majority of South Maui district is a cul-de-sac. Since the latter part of the last century all manner of development has exploded without any corresponding transportation infrastructure. Now the cul-de-sac has grown with thousands of residents and visitors all having a single one way escape route. We need to have an alternative, the Kihei mauka bypass parkway. Mahalo

Mike Moran Kihei for KCA



Submitted on: 3/25/2025 11:58:57 AM

Testimony for TCA on 3/25/2025 3:20:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
John Laney	Testifying for Kihei Community Association	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

The Kihei Community Association is in total support of this resolution. South Maui has over 40,000 residents and tourists and only one egress point at the Piilani and Veteran's Highway.

We need another road mauka of the high school for traffic flow and safety.

Please pass this resolution!

John Laney

Submitted on: 3/25/2025 10:12:31 AM

Testimony for TCA on 3/25/2025 3:20:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Rob Weltman	Individual	Support	Remotely Via Zoom

Comments:

All of South Maui traffic is channeled from Piilani Highway through a single ingress-egress to Veterans' Highway. Several hours each workday traffic barely moves because of commuting vehicles. If there is a fire or severe flooding, the choke point could be catastrophic. The many additional developments planned for South Maui will only add to the congestion. In particular, the Kihei Mauka master-planned development mauka of Piilani Promenade and the High School will likely include 1,500 homes and need a way to get both south and north to get to Central Maui. A Kihei Mauka Road is needed both for the traffic and safety of the Kihei Mauka development as well as to ease traffic on Piilani Highway. Important segments of the Kihei Mauka Road will be constructed by the developments it will pass through - Līpoa, Kihei Mauka and Hawaiian Homelands - but it cannot connect to Veterans' Highway without State planning and implementation.

Please support SCR37 to get the ball rolling on the planning of this critical piece of infrastructure.



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Testimony for TCA on 3/25/2025 3:20:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Audrey Lester	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Please support the development of this critical life-saving road. South Maui is essentially a culde-sac. There are two roads that traverse most of the length of the area. One (S Kihei Road) is on the coastline. It is very old and annually is closed due to storms and mud floods. The other (Pi'ilani Highway) is bogged down with traffic that often backs up with long stoppages about a third of each day and when the coastal road is blocked, this main road is severely overwhelmed. It is practically a Parking Lot.

The situation is only going to get worse with more housing and development. In addition to over a 1,000 new luxury homes at the end of our 'cul-de-sac' in Wailea, there are plans for over a 1,000 homes planned in new neighborhoods near this mauka road. Developers would create piece meal sections of this road, which can be leveraged by state and county resources to complete the 'Kihei Mauka Connector Parkway'. This new road would provide an alternative route around the most congested sections of Kihei.

Please support SCR37 to get the ball rolling on the planning of this critical piece of infrastructure.

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Testimony for TCA on 3/25/2025 3:20:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Patricia Stillwell	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Please support SCR37: This Kihei Maui Parkway is needed now, with backed up traffic on a daily basis, consistant road closures due to accidents, floods and on-going road building projects. There is no plan for timely exit out the area in event of emergency.

It will take many years, maybe decades for this road to be completed and through to Maui Veterans Hwy but the planning has to start now.

Patricia Stillwell, Kihei



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Testimony for TCA on 3/25/2025 3:20:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
adele rugg	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha ..

PLEASE support SCR 37 .. for those of us who live in Kiihei .. we MUST another 'escape route' .. asking that the Department of Transportation and County of Maui work together - with the Kihei Community Association - to plan and implement the Kihei Mauka Road Project .. sooner rather than later !! mahalo !