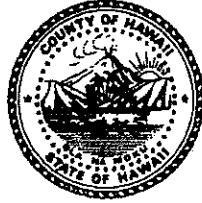


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AGENDA

DATE: Tuesday, May 16, 2023
TIME: 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.
PLACE: 25 Aupuni St., Puna Conference Rm., #1501, Hilo HI 96720

This meeting will be held through a combination of some board members being physically present at the meeting location and some members participating in an interactive video conference through Zoom. Members of the public may provide remote oral testimony by Zoom or at the public location noted above.

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STATEMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC:

The Commission will accept both written testimony and oral testimony. All written testimony will be a part of the permanent record and must be submitted either to 1) Barbara.Kossow@hawaiicounty.gov, 2) facsimile to (808) 323-4440, or 3) mail to Game Management Advisory Commission, 74-5044 Ane Keohokālole Hwy., Bldg C, 2nd FL, Kailua-Kona, Hawai'i 96740.

Oral testimony can be provided at the beginning of the meeting, when the respective agenda is called, or at the sole discretion of the Chair.

1. **CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL:** (9:00 am)
2. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** April 18, 2023
3. **STATEMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC ON AGENDA ITEMS:**
4. **COMMISSIONER REPORT BY DISTRICT:**
5. **COMMUNICATION:** 2023 Spring Turkey Hunting Season Review by Richard Hoeflinger
6. **PRESENTATION:**
 - a. Kim Kozuma, DVM, Animal Disease Control Branch, Hawaii Department of Agriculture, *Presentation Regarding Diseases in Game Animals*
7. **OLD BUSINESS:**
 - a. *Commissioner Leomana Turalde* - Draft Letter, as Amended, in Support of State House Concurrent Resolution 50: REQUESTING THE DLNR TO PROVIDE UPDATED STATISTICS AND FACTS RELATING TO THE DECLINE OF PALILA ON MAUNA KEA AND INVESTIGATE THE FACTORS CAUSING THE DECLINE OF THE PALILA POPULATION
8. **NEW BUSINESS:**
 - a. GMAC 2023 Second Quarter Report to Mayor Roth and County Council
 - b. *Deliberation & Decision Making:* Drafted Letter of Gratitude to House Rep. Mark Nakashima for introducing bills of GMAC interest, by *Chairperson Abraham Antonio*
 - c. *Deliberation & Decision Making* – HB 1089 RELATING TO A STATE BOATING FACILITY LEASE PILOT PROGRAM
 - d. *Deliberation & Decision Making:* Draft Letter of Thank you to Senator Lorraine Inouye as Chair of the Water and Land Committee regarding HB 1089, by *Commissioner Robert Duerr*
9. **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**
 - a. *Investigate Committee:* Investigate the Eradication of Game Animals on DHHL Land
 - b. *Investigative Committee:* Investigate Extent of Effects of Mass Feeding of Feral Animals, and Potential Solutions

- c. *Investigative Committee:* Rules and Regulations Related to Lobster Harvesting and Sale
- d. *Investigative Committee:* Regulations Affecting Keauhou Bay and Logistical Issues, and Potential Solutions
- e. *Investigative Committee:* DLNR expenditures of Pittman-Robertson grants, Dingle-Johnson grants, Boating Special Fund, and Off Highway Vehicle Fund in the County of Hawai'i
- f. *Investigative Committee:* Laupahoehoe Boat Ramp & Seawall Repair Update

10. ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- a. Reso 165-23, A RESOLUTION URGING THE MAYOR OF THE COUNTY OF HAWAI'I TO CONVENE A FERAL UNGULATE MANAGEMENT WORKING GROUP, introduced by Council Member C. Evans, to be heard in Governmental Operations and External Affairs Committee by the Hawaii County Council today, May 16, 2023.
- b. Next meeting will be on June 20, 2023, at 9:00 am to 11:00 am at the West Hawai'i Civic Center, Administration Office, Building C, 2nd Floor, 74-5044 Ane Keohokalole Highway, Kailua-Kona, Hawaii 96740.

11. ADJOURNMENT: (11:00 a.m.)

Executive Session: The Game Management Advisory Commission anticipates it may convene in one or more executive sessions regarding the above matters listed on the agenda, pursuant to HRS Sections 92-4 and 92-5 (a)(4), for the purpose of consulting with the Board's attorney on questions and issues pertaining to the Commission's powers, duties, privileges, immunities, and liabilities. A 2/3 vote pursuant to HRS Section 92-4 is necessary to hold an executive session. Executive session is closed to the public.

Anyone wishing to discuss an item that does not appear on the agenda should call the commission secretary at 808-323-4444 or email Barbara.Kossow@hawaiicounty.gov to have the subject placed on the next available agenda.

Note: A meeting held by interactive conference technology shall be automatically recessed for up to 30 minutes to restore communication when audiovisual communication cannot be maintained with all members participating in the meeting or with the "in-person" location identified in this agenda. The meeting may be in-person when either audiovisual communication is restored, or audio-only communication is established after an unsuccessful attempt to restore audiovisual communication. If it is not possible to reconvene the meeting as provided in this subsection within 30 minutes after an interruption to communication, then the meeting shall be automatically terminated.



Anyone who requires an auxiliary aid or service, other reasonable modification, or language interpretation to access this meeting please contact the Office of the Mayor at 808-961-8211 or 808-323-4444 as soon as possible, but no later than five (5) working days prior to the meeting date, to arrange for accommodations.

Board Packet: Pursuant to Hawaii Revised Statutes Section 92-7.5, the board packet

provided to members of this board for this meeting is available for public inspection forty-eight (48) hours before the meeting date during regular business hours at the Hilo Office of the Mayor, 25 Aupuni Street, Suite 2603, Hilo, Hawai'i, and at the Kona Office of the Mayor, 74-5044 Ane Keohokālole Hwy., Bldg C, Kailua-Kona, Hawai'i.

Notification Sign-Up: Members of the public can sign-up for email notifications for information from Game Management Advisory Commission on the Hawai'i County website, hawaiicounty.gov, under Boards and Commissions, tab "Sign Up for Boards and Commission Email Notifications", and fill out the e-form. Link: <https://www.hawaiicounty.gov/our-county/boards-and-commissions/sign-up-for-boards-and-commissions-email-notifications>

Notice to lobbyists: If you are a lobbyist, you must register with the Hawai'i County Clerk within five days of becoming a lobbyist. [Chapter 2, Article 15, Section 2-91.3(b), Hawai'i County Code.] A lobbyist means "any individual engaged for pay or other consideration who spends more than five hours in any month or \$275 in any six-month period for the purpose of attempting to influence legislative or administrative action by communicating or urging others to communicate with public officials." [Chapter 2, Article 15, Section 2-91.3(a)(6), Hawai'i County Code.] Registration forms and expenditure report documents are available at the Office of the County Clerk-Council, 25 Aupuni Street, Hilo, Hawai'i 96720.

ABRAHAM ANTONIO
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GAME MANAGEMENT ADVISORY COMMISSION