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Good morning and aloha!

It's my opinion that the Hawai'i County General Plan 2045, although supported by many good people with honorable motives, is 'frog in the pot' governance with the heat turned up a lot. Some of us frogs are very uncomfortable with its dominating, controlling details from the U.N. and other globalists and we appreciate the opportunity to voice our concerns in an effort to reject it. By rejecting the plan I support the spirit and the letter of the Declaration of Independence, the Bill of Rights and the Constitution which seem to be lost in the many overreaching details of the current plan.

My concerns include:

1. Changing land use definitions and zoning without the full knowledge and approval of property owners
2. Regulating off-grid living
3. Further stressing the electric grid and increasing the costs of electricity
4. Giving outside "stakeholders" undue influence in local affairs

I believe that any plan for our future must include the 1993 Apology Bill which clearly exposes the theft of the Kingdom of Hawai'i by the U.S.A. in 1893.

<https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/STATUTE-107/pdf/STATUTE-107-Pg1510.pdf>

I believe that any plan for our future must include the provable history of our happy days and enormous backyard wealth generated here by a robust Cannabis economy in the 1980's.

In 120 days we can have a world famous, multimillion dollar Cannabis hemp harvest for health, wealth, happiness, holiness and renewable ag economy. We simply need more freedom and less oversight, more freedom and fewer grants.

The plan must include that Hawai'i County helped to destroy that safe, natural and renewable economy and lifestyle and replaced it with poverty, meth, homelessness and crime which exists to this day. When the marijuana eradication program was proven to be the cause of the troubles the county hid the study and continued the disastrous program until I shut it down with an impeachment lawsuit in 1999. The county government is not to be trusted and needs to listen to the guidance of the citizens and not globalists, not SMART City advocates and other outside "stakeholders".

We the people need, want, deserve and demand that our individual rights and freedoms to be strengthened, not reduced by the plan as it exists.

P.S. The censorship of my friend Megan Isaac in a recent hearing was unacceptable.

Thank you.

May unexpected blessings and love keep coming to you and from you,

Roger Christie

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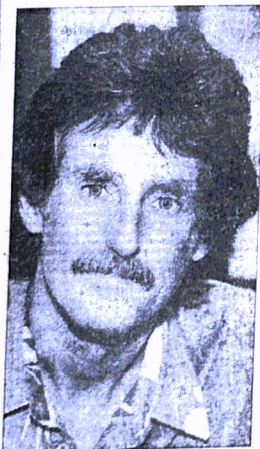
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High-tech Capitol

The Legislature will become a lot more "user friendly" if a couple of high-tech oriented state representatives have their way
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Hawaii losing drug war

*Attorney General Price values
pot crop at \$10 billion a year*



Attorney General Price
"It really got out of control"

By Walter Wright
Advertiser Staff Writer

Hawaii's marijuana industry, out of control and overwhelming law enforcement, can be destroyed by tracking down growers in the field and their couriers and shipments at air and seaports, Attorney General Warren Price said yesterday.

"Green Harvest" eradication efforts alone aren't "reducing, much less eliminating" the marijuana industry, he said.

Price said he is asking federal drug enforcement czar William Bennett for money to help intercept an annual marijuana crop that he valued at up to \$10 billion.

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"We are a major drug supplier to the United States, and we should admit it. We don't like it, but it really got out of control very quickly, and we need help," Price told The Advertiser.

Hawaii's isolation as an island state makes it a likely laboratory for a "border interdiction" drug-control program, he said.

"The bulk of the marijuana produced (in Hawaii) leaves by air. . . . Given sufficient funding and/or assistance, Hawaii could be 'shut down' to drug trafficking, and the enormous marijuana industry could be econom-

ically dried up," he said.

He proposed immediate creation of a joint federal, state and county task force to develop a plan and estimate the costs to implement it.

Specific tactics would probably include increased use of dogs to sniff for drugs in luggage and other air shipments, surveillance of likely couriers with searches authorized under warrants, and staking out marijuana patches to catch or track growers "green-handed."

Similar stake-out tactics by rangers at Hawaii Volcanoes National Park on the Big Island, coupled with stiff sentences for growers by federal

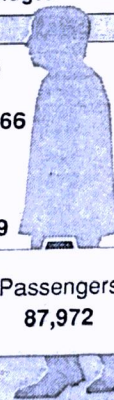
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In & out of
Hawaii by air
Daily averages

Cargo
(lbs.)
1,821,366

Mail
(lbs.)
240,159

Passengers
87,972



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Christie Forces County Politicians Into Circuit Court

By Elliot Klein
Ka Olelo O Kona
PABOA—

Roger Christie, self-proclaimed "Religious, Medical & Industrial Practitioner of Cannabis Hemp" has succeeded in forcing Mayor Yamashiro and six members of the Hawaii County Council before the Circuit Court to answer allegations that they "continue to willfully and repeatedly violate the spirit and letter of the Charter of the County of Hawaii, and their sworn oath of office

by authorizing, funding and levying a paramilitary 'civil war' (the marijuana eradication program, aka 'Green Harvest', Counter-Cannabis, etc.) upon the people and lands of the county in blatant violation of Section 3-16, Mandatory Program Review. Their actions have resulted in massive and sustained personal, familial, social, economic and cultural damage to the inhabitants of the county, and the state as a whole."

His lawsuit charges also that "the defendants have

engaged in deceptive political practices designed to subvert our democratic institution by voting on a 'program review' and then failing to deliver one."

The petition to the court continues "Programs authorized and funded by the defendants have denied justice, destroyed domestic tranquility, reduced the general welfare, created crime, encouraged hard drug abuse, and lessened the blessings of liberty for all inhabitants."

"County, state and federal appropriations to fund

the marijuana eradication program were not 'duly made'. Obligations knowingly incurred and payments knowingly authorized by the above defendants were and still are, in violation of the provisions of Hawaii County Charter Section 10-11, Payments and Obligations Prohibited: Verifications; Penalties."

Christie claims that according to a number of International, Federal and State laws, the possession and use of cannabis hemp or marijuana is legal. He

cites the first, fourth, ninth and fourteenth amendments to the U.S. Constitution; Article 18 of the United Nations Declaration of Human Rights; President Clinton's Executive Order 12919, Part IX, Sec. 901; NAFTA, Article 708, Sec. (b), page 7-5, HS 53.02; and the Hawai'i Right to Privacy for marijuana at home law H.R.S. 712-1240.1 and H.R.S. 703-301 all as supportive of his civil lawsuit.

Additionally Christie believes the Holy Bible, in Genesis 1:29, Exodus 3:2 and 30:1, Ezekiel 34:25-31, Revelations 22:2, and Psalm 104:14 justifies the use of marijuana.

The Institute of Medicine reported in March of 1999 that cannabis does have medical value. Christie as-

serts that cannabis is approved for legal use under the U.S. Penal Code "Justification Clause" article III, Section 3.01-02; and 21 U.S.C. 321 (p), as a pre-1938 grandfathered medicine".

In bringing this lawsuit, Christie hopes that the public at large will be made aware of the officers' abuses of power, that civil and criminal investigations of the officers will result and that the officers will be removed from office and "rehabilitated within the community".

Hemp has been in use as a natural resource for clothing, food, shelter, medicine and fuel for thousands of years in many civilizations. The Constitution of the United States was written on hemp paper.

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