Meeting of the Board of Directors

Held via Teleconference

January 26, 2022
9:00 a.m.

Considering the evolving COVID-19 situation, protecting the health and welfare of the community is of utmost concern. As such, the meeting will be held remotely, with Board members, Staff and Applicants participating via online meeting venue as permitted by the Governor’s “Emergency Proclamation Related to Sunshine Law In-Person Meetings” dated December 29, 2021.

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Your microphone will be automatically muted. When the Chairperson asks for public testimony, you may click the Raise Hand button found on your Zoom screen to indicate that you wish to testify about that agenda item. The IT Specialist will individually enable each testifier to unmute their microphone. When recognized by the Chairperson, please unmute your microphone before speaking, and mute your microphone after you finish speaking.

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AGENDA

A. Call to Order

B. Roll Call

C. Approval of Minutes
   1. Board of Directors Meeting, November 10, 2021

D. New Business
   1. Presentation by Mike Faye of Kekaha Agriculture Association Regarding a Managed Wetlands Proposal
   2. Presentation by David Bissel of Kauai Island Utility Cooperative Regarding the West Kauai Energy Project
   3. Request for Approval to Issue a License to Hanahanapuni Farm for 259 Acres, More or Less, of Unit L in Kalepa, Kauai, Tax Map Key (4) 3-9-002.001 (por)
   4. Request for Approval to Issue a Land License to the University of Hawaii, College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources for Weather Recording Purposes in Central Oahu, Tax Map Key (1) 6-4-003-016 (por)
   5. Update Related to a “Notice of Violation” by City and County of Honolulu, Department of Planning and Permitting for “two dwelling structures constructed on property without the required building permit” Located on Premises Licensed to William H. Wise III dba Waihii Farms and Kalama Hardwood LLC
   6. Request for Approval to Pay Fines Related to a “Field Citation” Issued by State of Hawaii, Department of Health, Wastewater Branch for “unauthorized wastewater system” Located on Premises Licensed to William H. Wise III dba Waihii Farms and Kalama Hardwood LLC
   7. Request for Approval to Issue Licenses to the Tenant Review and Recommendation Committee’s Recommendations for ADC Land License
   8. Appointment of Members to the Standing “Administrative Committee” for the Purpose of Conducting the Annual Performance Evaluation of the Executive Director

“The Board may go into executive session, pursuant to H.R.S. 92-5(a)(2), to consider the evaluation of an officer or employee where the consideration of matters affecting privacy will be involved, and H.R.S. 92-5(a)(4), to consult with the Board’s attorney on questions and issues pertaining to the Board’s powers, duties, privileges, immunities, and liabilities.”
9. Request to Delegate Authority to ADC Executive Director to Negotiate and Purchase Three Deep Wells in Paalaa Uka, District of Waialua, Oahu from Dole Food Company, Inc.

“The Board may go into executive session, pursuant to H.R.S. 92-5(a)(3), to deliberate concerning the authority of persons designated by the Board to negotiate the acquisition of public property.”

E. Old Business

1. None

F. Executive Director’s Update

G. Adjourn
If you require special assistance or auxiliary aids or services to participate in the public hearing process please contact staff at (808) 586-0186 at least three (3) business days prior to the meeting so arrangements can be made.

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