

**Hāmākua CDP Steering Committee Meeting &
Community Information Gathering Workshop
for Rural South Hilo, October 9, 2010 - Pāpa'ikou Gym Annex**

Purpose: On the ground mapping of what the community values as treasured places and/or places that have problems.

This workshop will focus on the lands within Rural South Hilo (Wainaku/Kaiwiki to Wailea/Hakalau). Similar workshops in November will focus on North Hilo and Hāmākua. The public is invited to attend each workshop and see what is going on in the rest of the planning area.

What to Expect: Drop in whenever is convenient between 9:00 am to 12:00 noon. There will be different “stations” with maps and key questions that the CDP team would like the community to help answer. The public can also ask questions, put dots on the maps and have their mana'o recorded. Also, this workshop will be an opportunity for the public to learn more about how the County approaches the land development process and information on mauka and makai public access, with brief informational presentations on those topics.

Why Come:

- **Fishing, Hunting, Surfing, Hiking. Etc.** - Identify areas that you like to go to, or have problems with access, or think should remain closed to the public.
- **Economic Opportunities.** Identify existing or potential business establishments, existing farms, “wish list” of businesses that you wish were nearby but you currently have to drive to Hilo or elsewhere, important “assets” that support agriculture (e.g., farmers markets, incubator kitchens, irrigation systems or reservoirs, good agricultural land presently used or vacant).
- **Historic and Cultural Heritage.** Identify buildings or places that tell the story of your community.
- **Scenic Views.** Identify the special places that have exceptional beauty and the best vantage points to view these places.
- **Adequacy of Public Facilities or Utilities.** Identify any problems you may have with roads, drinking water, wastewater, flooding, transfer stations, recycling, parks, schools, libraries, medical facilities, broadband internet service, energy, etc.
- **Growth Management.** Identify areas that you believe should or should not be available for development.

Schedule:

9:00 - Opening (by Hāmākua CDP Steering Committee)

9:30-10:00 - Informational Presentation: Development Review Checklist

(learn about government review of land development proposals)

10:30-11:00 - Informational Presentation: Public Access—Learn about how public accesses are established and the challenges that must be met when opening up new accesses.

12:00-1:00 Hāmākua CDP SC Business - Public Testimony, Old Business, New Business, Closing

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