

1 RED HILL TASK FORCE - FCT UPDATED

2 Friday, October 30, 2015

3 9:35 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.

4 919 Ala Moana Boulevard, Fifth Floor

5 Honolulu, Hawaii 96814

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7 MR. KAWAOKA: Let's call the meeting to  
8 order for S.C.R. 57, S.D 1, H.D. 1. Good morning  
9 everyone. My name is Keith Kawaoka. I am the deputy  
10 director for Environmental Health, Department of Health.  
11 And before we go through some logistics, I just want to  
12 welcome the task force members that were here for last  
13 year's task force. There are some new members. I would  
14 just like you to introduce yourselves, starting on this  
15 end.

16 MR. LEOTA: Frank Leota, I am the  
17 military affairs officer for Councilman Gabbard.

18 MR. ONOUE: I'm Steven Onoue, President  
19 for Moanalua Valley Community Association.

20 MR. YOMES: David Yomes, I am with  
21 Neighborhood Board 18, Salt Lake, Aliamanu, and Foster  
22 Village.

23 CAPTAIN TUFTS: Dean Tufts. I am the  
24 commanding officer of Naval Facilities Engineering  
25 Command in Hawaii and Navy's Regional Engineering.

1 MR. LAU: Ernie Lau, Board of Water  
2 Supply.

3 MR. CASEY: Patrick Casey. Commission on  
4 Water Resource Management.

5 MR. YAMAMOTO: Alan Yamamoto. Senator  
6 Hirono's office. Keith, can I just also add, I know  
7 this is our -- the first time that our office is  
8 attending this meeting. Because I believe the  
9 delegation was added to S.C.R. 57 during this last  
10 session. I had asked -- and this was before Senator  
11 Wakai took over jurisdiction of the relevant committee.  
12 I had asked both Senator Gabbard and Representative Lee  
13 if they can clarify for me what is the specific purpose  
14 for adding the delegation as part of this task force.  
15 And they stated just because of our roles, at the  
16 federal level working with the Navy, DLA and the EPA,  
17 they thought that they could be helpful.

18 But I think Keith, you know and  
19 others parties, Ernie knows, we've been working with  
20 all of the parties throughout, even before. So we  
21 are happy to participate and play a role, whatever  
22 the legislature feels how we can be productive.

23 MR. KAWAOKA: Appreciate those comments.  
24 Thank you.

25 SENATOR WAKAI: Glenn Wakai, state

1 senator. This is my first meeting but for different  
2 reasons. I am the brand new chair for the economic  
3 development and the environmental committee.

4 MR. KAWAOKA: So for all the task force  
5 memberships past and current, welcome. Just introduce  
6 everyone in the audience, if we can.

7 MS. REZENENTES: Cynthia Rezentes,  
8 Congressman Takai's office.

9 MR. COX: Carroll Cox, citizen.

10 MR. KAWATA: Erwin Kawata, Board of Water  
11 Supply.

12 MS. DAWSON: Teresa Dawson, Environment  
13 Hawaii.

14 MR. USAGAWA: Barry Usagawa, Board of  
15 Water.

16 MS. NAKAMOTO: Shawn Nakamoto. Board of  
17 Water Supply.

18 MR. SEKI: Dean Seki, Board of Water  
19 Supply.

20 MR. CRISESTOMO: Jeremia Cristestomo,  
21 citizen.

22 MS. BERNIER: Jenny Bernier, DOH.

23 MR. CHENET: Robert Chenet, Commission  
24 Water Resource Management.

25 MR. HARDY: Roy Hardy, Commission Water

1 Resource Management.

2 MR. NOGA: Joshua Noga, Sierra Club.

3 MR. HENSARLING: Cody Hensarling, manager  
4 for Aaron Ling Johanson.

5 MS. DANG: Karen Dang, office of Senator  
6 Glenn Wakai.

7 MR. TOWNSEND: Marti Townsend, Sierra  
8 Club.

9 MS. ISAKI: Bianca Isaki, Sierra Club.

10 MR. TAKABA: Richard Takaba, DOH.

11 MS. PERRY: Thu Perry with DOH.

12 MR. YAMADA: Stuart Yamada, Environmental  
13 Management Division.

14 MS. KWAN: Roxanne Kwan, DOH.

15 MR. POENTIS: Aaron Poentis, representing  
16 the Navy.

17 MR. KAWAOKA: And I forgot to mention, we  
18 have some people on the telecon. So can you introduce  
19 yourself. Bob, you there?

20 MR. PALLARINO: (via telephone) Yes.  
21 This is Bob Pallarino. I am with EPA office in San  
22 Francisco underground storage, project coordinator for  
23 the Red Hill project as part of the administrative  
24 order.

25 MR. PETERMAN: (via telephone) And this

1 is Tom Peterman with the US EPA, Region IX. I manage  
2 the Red Hill branch, which includes the underground  
3 storage tank program.

4 MR. KAWAOKA: Is that it for EPA?

5 MR. PETERMAN: (via telephone) Yes.  
6 This is Tom Peterman.

7 MR. KAWAOKA: Okay. I got that. Is  
8 there anybody else on the line right now? Could you  
9 please identify yourself if you are.

10 Hearing none. And I forget to  
11 mention as we went around the room, we do have a  
12 court reporter here this morning. So if you can,  
13 when you are asked, not the task members per say,  
14 but especially in the back of the audience, if you  
15 have any comments or questions as we go through the  
16 meeting, could you speak loudly and clearly so she  
17 can kind of understand who you are and the comments  
18 that you make.

19 Just before we go into the agenda, I  
20 just want to get some expectations out, it was kind  
21 of mentioned about Senator Gabbard's intent because  
22 he was the primary, along with Representative Lee  
23 who is not here yet. Just to go over what the  
24 intent of the resolution is. We will go through it  
25 in the agenda.

