Meeting of the ADC Board of Directors

Held via Teleconference

August 17, 2022
9:00 a.m.

Pursuant to section 92-3.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, this meeting will be held using interactive conference technology (ICT). Board members, staff, persons with business before the Board, and the public may participate remotely online using ICT, or may participate via the in-person meeting site which provides ICT.

Interested persons may submit written testimony in advance of the meeting, which will be distributed to Board members prior to the meeting. We request that testimony be received by our office not less than 72 hours prior to the meeting to ensure that staff has time to disseminate it and that Board members have time to review it. Written testimony may be submitted electronically to dbedt.adc@hawaii.gov or sent via U.S. Postal Service to: Agribusiness Development Corporation, 235 South Beretania Street Rm 205, Honolulu HI 96813.

When testifying via ICT, via telephone, or in-person, you will be asked to identify yourself and the organization you represent, if any. Each testifier will be limited to two (2) minutes of testimony per agenda item.

The public may participate in the meeting via:

ICT:  https://zoom.us/j/95400937014

Telephone:  (669) 444-9171,  Web ID:  954 0093 7014

In-Person:  at the meeting location indicated below

ICT ACCESS
To view the meeting and provide live oral testimony, please use the link at the top of the agenda. You will be asked to enter your name. The Board requests that you enter your full name, but you may use a pseudonym or other identifier if you wish to remain anonymous. You will also be asked for an email address. You may fill in this field with any entry in an email format, e.g., ****@****.com.

Your microphone will be automatically muted. When the Chairperson asks for public testimony, you may click the Raise Hand button on your Zoom screen to indicate that you wish to testify about that agenda item. The Chairperson or staff 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 have finished speaking.

For both ICT, phone, and in-person access, when testifying, you will be asked to identify yourself and the organization, if any, that you represent. Each testifier will be limited to two minutes of testimony per agenda item.

TELEPHONE ACCESS
If you do not have ICT access, you may get audio-only access by calling the Telephone Number listed at the top on the agenda.

Upon dialing the number, you will be prompted to enter the Meeting ID which is also listed at the top of the agenda. After entering the Meeting ID, you will be asked to either enter your panelist number or wait to be admitted into the meeting. Please wait until you are admitted into the meeting.

When the Chairperson asks for public testimony, you may indicate you want to testify by entering “#” and then “9” on your phone’s keypad. After entering “#” and then “9”, a voice prompt will let you know that the host of the meeting has been
notified. When recognized by the Chairperson, you may unmute yourself by pressing “#” and then “6” on your phone. A voice prompt will let you know that you are unmuted. Once you are finished speaking, please enter “#” and then “6” again to mute yourself.

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IN-PERSON ACCESS
There will also be one meeting location, open to the public, which will have an audio-visual connection. That meeting will be held at:

State of Hawaii, Leiopapa A Kamehameha
State Office Tower Building
235 S. Beretania St, Room 204
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

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LOSS OF CONNECTIVITY
In the event of a loss of ICT connectivity, the meeting will be recessed for a period not to exceed thirty (30) minutes to restore connectivity with all board members and the public in-person access noted above. In the event that audio connectivity is re-established within 30 minutes without video connectivity, interested participants can access the meeting via the telephone number and Meeting ID number noted above.

In the further event that connectivity is unable to be restored within 30 minutes, the meeting will be automatically continued to a date and time to be posted on the ADC website at https://hdoa.hawaii.gov/adc/ no later than close of business the next business day. New ICT, telephone, and in-person access information will also be posted on the website no less than twenty-four (24) hours prior to the continued meeting date. Alternatively, if a decision is made to terminate the meeting, the termination will be posted on the ADC website.

SPECIAL ASSISTANCE
If you require special assistance, accommodations, modifications, auxiliary aids, or services to participate in the public hearing process please contact staff at (808) 586-0186 at least three business days prior to the meeting so arrangements can be made. To request translation or interpretation services please contact staff at (808) 586-0186 or email: hdoa.adc@hawaii.gov. Please allow sufficient time for the Agribusiness Development Corporation to meet translation or interpretation services requests.

NOTE: MATERIALS FOR THIS AGENDA WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR REVIEW IN THE ADC OFFICE, 235 S. BERETANIA STREET, ROOM 205, HONOLULU, HAWAII, ON AND AFTER August 11, 2022

Agribusiness Development Corporation Non-Discrimination Statement

The Agribusiness Development Corporation does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, national origin, age, or disability, or any other class as protected under applicable federal or state law, in administration of its programs, or activities, and the Agribusiness Development Corporation does not intimidate or retaliate against any individual or group because they have exercised their rights to participate in actions protected by, or oppose action prohibited by, 40 C.F.R. Parts 5 and 7, or for the purpose of interfering with such rights.

If you have any questions about this notice or any of the Agribusiness Development Corporation’s non-discrimination programs, policies, or procedures, you may contact:

Delanie Prescott-Tate
Acting Title VI Non-Discrimination Coordinator
c/o 235 S. Beretania Street, Room 205
Honolulu, HI 96813
(808) 586-0186
dbedt.titlevi@hawaii.gov

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AGENDA

A. Call to Order

B. Roll Call

C. Approval of Minutes
   1. Board of Directors Meeting, June 15, 2022

D. New Business
   1. Request for Approval to Extend the Term of License Agreement Nos. LI-K1702 (Kokee Ditch) and LI-K1703 (Mana Reservoir) Issued to Kauai Island Utility Cooperative in Kekaha, Kauai, Tax Map Keys (4) 1-2-002:001 (por.)
   3. Request for Approval to Issue a Grant of Easement to Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc. for the Installation of Electrical Service at Galbraith Small Farm Lots at Wahiawa, Oahu, Tax Map Key (1) 7-1-012:001 (por.)
   4. Request for Approval to Accept the Settlement Offer from Waste Management of Hawaii Inc. for the Over-Excavation of Soil in Kekaha, Kauai, Tax Map Key (4) 1-2-002:001 (por.) Between August 2008 and November 2019
      “The Board may go into Executive Session pursuant to exceptions provided under Section 92-5, Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS), including to consult with the Board’s attorney on questions and issues pertaining to the Board’s powers, duties, privileges, immunities, and liabilities, pursuant to Section 92-5(4), HRS.”
   5. Request for Approval to Amend License Agreement No. LI-KA1405 Issued to Elesther Calipio, an Individual, for 305.43 Acres, More or Less, in Kalepa, Kauai, Tax Map Keys (4) 3-9-002:020 (por.) and (4) 3-9-002:009 (por.)
   6. Request for Approval to Issue a Revocable Permit to Kekaha Agriculture Association for 1 Acre, More or Less, in Kekaha, Kauai, Tax Map Key (4) 1-2-002:001 (por.)

E. Old Business
   1. Annual Performance Evaluation of the Executive Director
      “The Board may go into executive session, pursuant to §92-5(a)(2) HRS, to consider the evaluation of an officer or employee where consideration of matters affecting privacy will be involved, and §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.”

F. Executive Director’s Update

G. Adjourn
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