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# Notice of Interagency Food Systems Working Group Meeting

Held via Teleconference with In-Person Viewing Location

OCTOBER 17, 2025 1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Pursuant to section 92-3.7, *Hawaii Revised Statutes*, this meeting will be held using interactive conference technology (ICT). Board members, staff, people 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 people may submit written testimony in advance of the meeting, which will be distributed to Board members prior to the meeting. If possible, we request that testimony be received by our office not less than seventy-two hours prior to the meeting to ensure that staff in time to disseminate it and that Board members have time to review it. Written testimony may be submitted electronically to <a href="mailto:dbedt.adc@hawaii.gov">dbedt.adc@hawaii.gov</a> or sent via U.S. Postal Service, or delivered to:

Agribusiness Development Corporation 235 S. Beretania Street, Suite 205 Honolulu, Hawaii 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 minutes of testimony per agenda item.

The public may participate in the meeting via:

https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting\_NzUxZDIzNWUtY2ViMy00MGRiLTk4MWEtMTQyMGQzNmVkMzFk%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%223847dec6-63b2-43f9-a6d0-58a40aaa1a10%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22fd1c10fe-d6de-43c9-9e53-03095feee2da%22%7d

Meeting ID: 290 428 316 312 3

Passcode: Pr37iv9U

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#### **ICT ACCESS**

To view the meeting and provide live oral testimony, please use the link above. You will be asked to enter your name in order to access the meeting as an attendee. 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.

As an attendee, 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 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 ICT 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.

Instructions to attend State of Hawaii virtual board meetings may be found online at <a href="https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/files/2020/08/State-of-Hawaii-Virtual-Board-Attendee-Instructions.pdf">https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/files/2020/08/State-of-Hawaii-Virtual-Board-Attendee-Instructions.pdf</a>.

#### **IN-PERSON ACCESS**

There will also be one meeting location, open to the public, which will have an audiovisual connection. That meeting will be held at:

Capitol District Building 250 South Hotel Street 5th Floor, Room 507A, Honolulu, Hawaiʻi 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 minutes to restore connectivity with all board members and the public inperson access location noted above. In the event that audio connectivity is reestablished within thirty 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 thirty minutes, the meeting will be automatically continued to a date and time to be posted on the ADC website at https://dbedt.hawaii.gov/adc/ no later than close of business the next

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business day. New ICT, telephone, and in-person access information will be posted on the website no less than twenty-four 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 meeting process, including translation or interpretation services, please contact staff at (808) 586-0186 or by email at dbedt.adc@hawaii.gov.

Please allow sufficient time for ADC staff to meet requests for special assistance, accommodation, modifications, auxiliary aids, translation, or interpretation services.

NOTE: MATERIALS FOR THIS AGENDA WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR REVIEW IN THE ADC OFFICE, 235 S. BERETANIA STREET, SUITE 205, HONOLULU, HAWAII 96813 A MINIMUM OF THREE FULL BUSINESS DAYS (WEEKENDS AND STATE AND FEDERAL HOLIDAYS EXCLUDED) PRIOR TO THE MEETING.

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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:

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## **AGENDA**

- 1. Call to Order & Roll Call
- 2. Approval of Minutes
  - a. None.
- 3. Action Items
  - a. Review Accomplishments and Activities to Date.
  - b. Assign Sections of Report including governance, coordination efforts, implementation plans, recommendations, and proposed legislation.
  - c. Establish Report Structure and Timeline for the Interagency Food Systems Working Group.
- 4. Adjourn

The Board may go into executive session on any agenda item pursuant to the exceptions provided under section §92-5, Hawaii Revised Statutes.