



# DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS

## BENEFICIARY CONSULTATION



### ACCOMPLISHMENTS 2009 - 2011

#### **Consultations**

- Completed 14 Consultations including:
- Energy Policy and Renewable Energy Projects at West Kaua'i and Kalaeloa, O'ahu
  - Acquisition of Lands at Makahā, Varona, to fulfill the trust
  - West Hawai'i and Anahaki-Mo'omomi Land Use Designation Amendments
  - Kalaupapa Planning
  - 'Āina Mauna Legacy Plan
  - Office of Hawaiian Relations, USDOl
  - SUTA-USDA and DHUD Consultations
  - Hawaiian Home Lands at Waimānalo

#### **Leadership Meetings**

Periodic Meetings of Beneficiary Leaders at State, Island, and Community Levels

#### **Beneficiary Group Support**

Basic administrative support for the Sovereign Councils of the Hawaiian Homelands Assembly (SCHHA), Hui Kāko'o, and Nā Kūpa'a

### BENEFICIARY CONSULTATION

***Beneficiary consultation improves the quality and effectiveness of our plans and decisions.***

#### **Types of Consultation:**

1. Information on Existing Programs and Services.
2. Development of Departmental Plans
3. Changes in Island Plan Land Use Designations
4. Development of Statewide Policies
5. Development Partnerships

#### **The 7-Step Consultation Process:**

1. Proposed Action or Issue for Discussion which include statewide policies and changes in Island Plan Land Use Designations
2. Notification given to all lessees and applicants impacted by the proposed activities.
3. Presentation and Feedback
4. Draft Report with Comments Received
5. 30-day Review Period
6. Final Report to the Hawaiian Homes Commission.
7. Decision-Making by the Hawaiian Homes Commission.

### INITIAL THOUGHTS 2011 - 2013

#### **Consultations**

Use of DHHL Website to publicize consultations and provide information  
Create an Advisory Committee to improve existing process.

#### **Leadership Meetings**

Use leadership meetings to discuss proposed DHHL budget, legislation, and rules.

Use leadership meetings to discuss HHC and DHHL decision-making processes.

#### **Beneficiary Group Support**

Convert to competitive grants for statewide beneficiary groups.



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<http://hawaii.gov/dhhl/beneficiary-consultation>