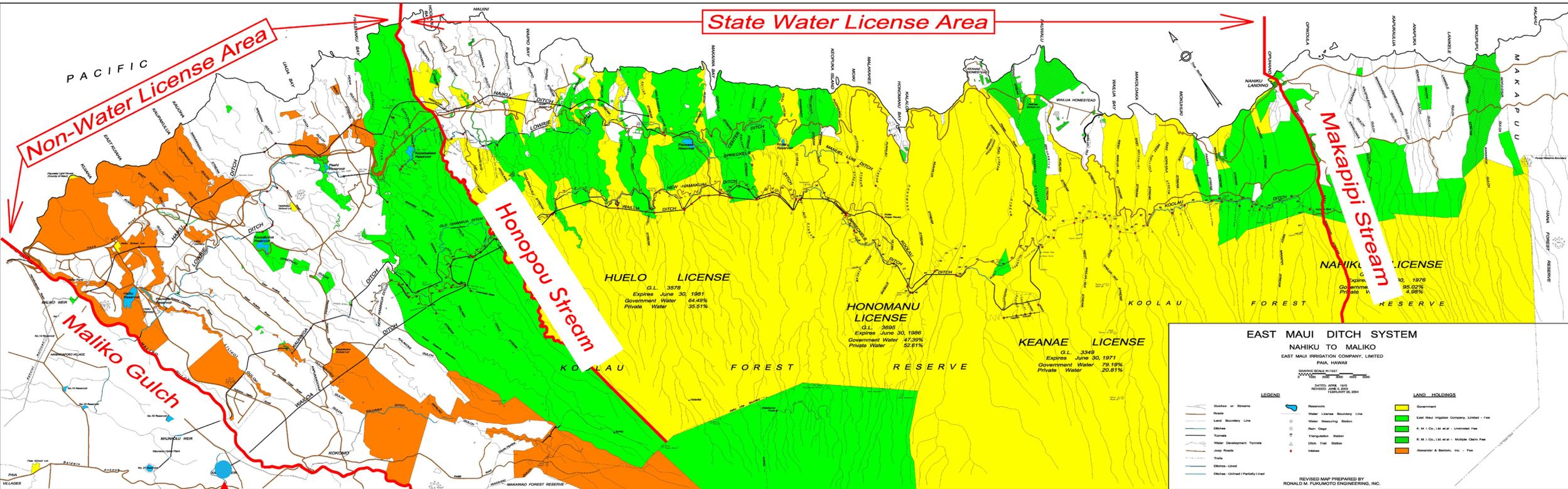




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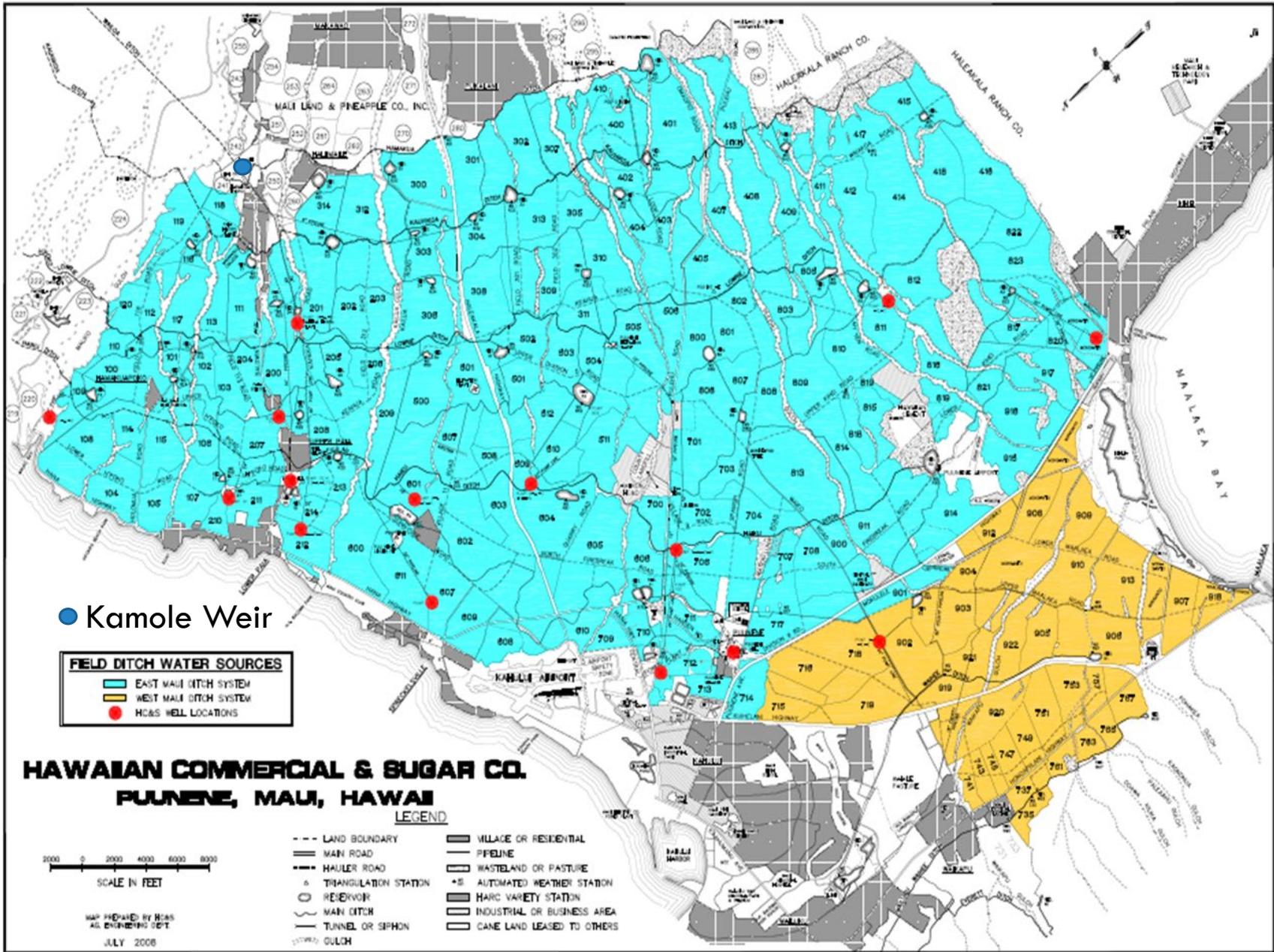
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# EMI DITCH SYSTEM SERVICE AREA

- Fields in Central Maui
- Upcountry Maui DWS & Ag Parks
- Nahiku













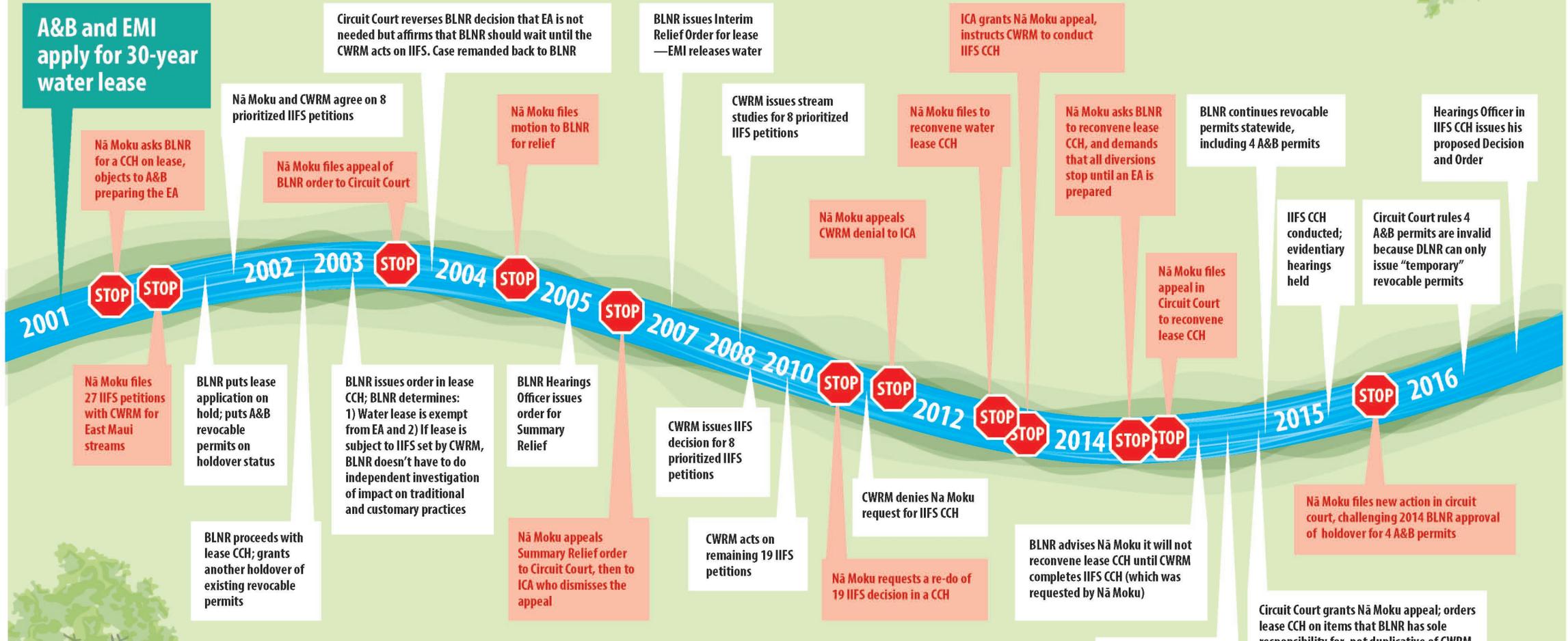




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# EAST MAUI STREAM PROCEEDINGS TIMELINE



## LEGEND

- |             |   |                |  |
|-------------|---|----------------|--|
| <b>BLNR</b> | Board of Land & Natural Resources       | <b>EA</b>      | Environmental Assessment   |
| <b>CCH</b>  | Contested Case Hearing                  | <b>ICA</b>     | Intermediate Court of Appeals                                      |
| <b>CWRM</b> | Commission on Water Resource Management | <b>Nā Moku</b> | East Maui farmers represented by Native Hawaiian Legal Corporation |

Hearings Officer appointed for IIFS CCH; scope expanded to include all 27 petitions

Circuit Court grants Nā Moku appeal; orders lease CCH on items that BLNR has sole responsibility for, not duplicative of CWRM IIFS issues

## Environmental Impact Statement Preparation Notice



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# MAHI PONO

A Maui Farming Company





# WHO WE ARE



# COMMITTED TO SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE ON MAUI



**It starts with our name, Mahi Pono. We will farm properly, carefully and correctly.**

- Stewards of 41,000 acres of prime agricultural land
- Committed to food security and self-sufficiency
- Dedicated to sustainable agriculture
- Prioritizing conservation and natural resource management



OUR VISION

# MAHI PONO FARMS IS FOCUSED ON AGRICULTURE AND RELATED USES.

## We are farmers, not developers.

- Solicit input from the community and interested stakeholders
- *Grow organic and non-GMO crops*
- Focus on producing high-quality foodstuffs for local consumption and with export potential
- Promote sustainability through the use of conservation practices such as silvopastoral systems, agroforestry and soil remediation
- Make initial investments and commitments to Maui farmers





# BUILDING RELATIONSHIPS WITH THE COMMUNITY

OUR SUCCESS WILL BE DEPENDENT ON YOUR SUPPORT.

- Engage the Native Hawaiian community to learn about traditional Hawaiian farming practices
- Create meaningful partnerships with Maui farmers and lend our expertise, resources, equipment, development and farming capital to improve the viability of sustainable agriculture on Maui
- Invest in Maui farmers and their future by providing education and business courses
- Support community initiatives that promote sustainability like the 'Aina Pono Hawai'i State Farm to School program that was initiated by Former Lt. Governor Shan Tsutsui



# MANAGING WATER THE PONO WAY

COMMITTED TO PRESERVING AND PROTECTING HAWAI'I'S PUBLIC TRUST RESOURCES



1.

**Use only what we need**

2.

**Share with others**

3.

**Preserve for future generations**



# NEXT STEPS

# ASSEMBLING THE MAHI PONO TEAM

Hiring a local team that is passionate about agriculture – and Maui.

- Led by former Lt. Governor and Maui native, Shan Tsutsui
- Offering positions to all active agriculture personnel from A&B
- Generating hundreds of direct and indirect jobs for Maui residents over time
- Providing job training and educational programs to employees





**MAHALO**