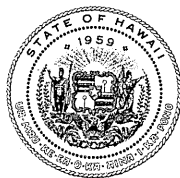


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October 11, 2019

Dear DHHL Hanapēpē Lessees and Homestead Leaders,

The Department of Hawaiian Home Lands (DHHL) is conducting a community meeting to inform beneficiaries as well as the larger West Kauaʻi community about the development of a new DHHL homestead community on 365 acres of DHHL lands in Hanapēpē, Kauaʻi. The project is envisioned as a mix of residential and subsistence agriculture homestead areas, along with areas for community use and commercial development. The project will be developed in phases, and when completed it will provide many opportunities for beneficiaries on the residential and agricultural homestead waiting lists (see the enclosed Fact Sheet for project description and location map). The purpose of the project is to provide residential and subsistence agriculture homesteading opportunities to DHHL beneficiaries, within a well-planned community that has been designed with beneficiary input. For more information on the project, please visit the DHHL website at <https://dhlh.hawaii.gov/hanapepe-homestead-project/>

This letter is an invitation for you and your ʻohana to join DHHL staff and the larger West Kauaʻi community for an open house to share what we have heard to date from Beneficiaries, and get your input and manaʻo on a preferred alternative for the master planning and environmental review process.

The **Hanapēpē Homestead Project Community Open House** will be held on:

**October 26, 2019 9:30 A.M. to 1:30 P.M.**  
**ʻEleʻele Elementary School Cafeteria**  
**4750 Uliuli Road, ʻEleʻele, Hi 96705**

This is an opportunity to learn more about what is being envisioned and help shape the future development of new homesteading opportunities in Hanapēpē. We encourage you to attend this meeting and share your manaʻo. Should you have further questions, please contact Nancy McPherson, DHHL Planner, at (808) 620-9519 or [nancy.m.mcpherson@hawaii.gov](mailto:nancy.m.mcpherson@hawaii.gov).

Aloha,

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