



Hale Pili Cultural Center & Village Market



Proposal/Outline



The Vision

We the 'Ohana of Kahikinui share in the vision of starting economic growth within our moku. For 20 years we've used Hale Pili as a place of gathering for our hui and we see this place as a crucial area to educate as well provide our community with sustainable revenue.

1. Education: through the use of visual aids and educational displays we are able to educate our visitors to give them a better understanding of Kahikinui and it's unique ecological, historical and cultural background.
2. Economics: by harnessing the audience within our space, we are able to generate revenue that will help sustain our community and also create a much needed employment and economic opportunity for all of our community members through vending, staffing and as well as having a retail space that caters to our community.

The Place

Hale Pili is a well established gathering place that has held many meetings over the past 20 years. Located at the very center of our moku and perfectly set off of Pi'ilani Highway within mile marker 23. Situated miles away from the nearest public facilities.



The Problem

For over a decade since the first of the 'Ohana broke ground and decided to commit to the off-grid lifestyle that comes with living in Kahikinui, we've yet to embark on creating our own economic development until now. Most 'Ohana's need to commute four hours daily outside of our moku to work and maintain employment. With no economic means to sustain our community, living in kahikinui is no easy task.

The Solution

We believe that one of the key pillars to any community is its economic stability. We see the potential in harnessing the constant flow of visitors as they make their way through Kahikinui.

1. By providing a safe and clean place of rest in the vast Kua'aina of Kahikinui.
2. Create a flourishing center of commerce where practitioners and artisans can sell their crafts
3. Create programs that generate revenue for the 'Ohana and employment/economic opportunity for its members.
4. Create a space for education & cultural practice ie. Makahiki celebration, Halawai, Ho'olaulea, Aina based education & community engagement

Vision for space

Hale pili is a special place for the Kahikinui 'Ohana and it serves as our primary area for gathering. Our goal is to create a comfortable space for all the public as well as our Hui (Group) that will make Hale Pili the focal point for all our events and fairs.

Cultural Practice: our vision is to be able to use the Hale Pili space for cultural practice. Our goal is to fill the space with plants used for creating Na mea Hawaii (Hawaiian Crafts) like lauhala, wauke, wiliwili as well as open this space for practitioners to share their ike (Wisdom).

Visitors center: at large the public rarely gets insight into what we do here in Kahikinui. How do we engage the public and educate them about the unique ecology as well as its rich cultural historical background? This will be accomplished through a designated space in which educational displays and information gives our guest an interactive look into Kahikinui.

Community Partners

Ka 'Ohana o Kahikinui has gained community partners who share in our vision of building a sustainable community resource.

Valley Isle Excursion: a locally owned tour operator who has gone above and beyond to kokua our community has provided toilets and pumping service for our community center.

Leeward Haleakala watershed partnership: Leeward has been a crucial part of the reforestation effort on the leeward slopes of Haleakala. They serve as the technical partner in any and all flora and fauna restoration operations.



Programs

1. Kahikinui aloha Forest project
2. Educational Outreach program
3. Hale Pili Dryland project
4. Hale Pili food & crafts vending project

The economic hub would allow Ka 'Ohana O Kahikinui to bring our regional plans of reforestation full circle. With the ability to generate much needed revenue for our community and help support community farms and nurseries. We believe that we can give visitors a way to help reforest and contribute in ways that directly impact our ecosystems.

1. Allow guest of Kahikinui to psponsor Acacia Koa starters for out planting within in our moku.
2. Planting of native plants surrounding near Hale pili like a'ali'i, wiliwili and other Native shrubs in our dry forest.
3. Create vending program within our center that empowers our residents.

Kahikinui Aloha Forest Project

Through our Aloha forest tree sponsorship program we are able to directly begin planting of our native species in our forest.

Trees would be outplanted once a month/quarterly

- Plants would be grown and purchased through a Kahikinui nursery
- Guest would receive gps coordinates. As well as see monthly/annual updates on the progress of the trees planted.
- Plants would be planted in sequence from A1000 to Z1000 which equates to 27,000 trees to be planted in current planting zone.
- New zones can be created when planting capacity is reached

Guest can purchase a tree to be planted in Kahikinui with purchase a certificate which will be emailed directly to them and made sharable via social platforms such as FB

As well as provide GPS and RFID tag.

Each and every one of us has a reason for planting a tree. In memory of a loved one or just to give back to a beautiful project that will help revive our most rare and endangered ecosystems.

No matter the occasion or intention of becoming a legacy tree sponsor we can ensure that those intentions are forever immortalized within our native forest

Ka Ohana O Kahikinui

CONSERVATION AWARD

IS AWARDED TO

Valley Isle Excursion

This award signifies the pledge of support given to Ka Ohana O Kahikinui and it's partners in their work of reforestation of the Haleakala Native Koa forest. This certificate is connected to a legacy tree that is planted in honor of your donation on the southern slope of Haleakala in the Moku of Kahikinui Maui, Hawai'i.

Me Ke Aloha Āina

KALEO CULLEN

President Ka Ohana O Kahikinui



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TREE #

9/21/2019

Conservation tiers

Plant a tree

A one time contribution of \$60 would support the planting of one tree Acasia Koa.

Accompanied by a conservation certificate in honor of a person or an organization.

Plant a Forest

For those who would like to adopt more than a single tree we can accommodate the planting of as many trees as they desire.

100 trees or more will be accompanied by a plaque made of a fallen koa tree logs from our native forest.

'Ohana Partner

For those who wish to partner and create new planting zones to allow us to create more paddocks to grow and protect our native forest.

1000 trees or more would be accompanied by a personal tour of the paddock by air as well as a plaque to commemorate the contribution.

Community Driven Nurseries



Educational Outreach Program

At the center of this space is our education center. A place that houses all of the historic, ecological and educational data of Kahikinui.

1. Through place based education we are able to tell the unique history and ecological data of the place.
2. Advocate for forest restorations while implementing programs that allows the public to engage in reforestation.
3. Provide a space for Aina based learning ie. outplanting, invasive species removal, and forest and coastal management education

Hale 'ike Educational Center







Kahikinui Aloha Forest Intake Form

Aloha Tree Intake Form

An Aloha Tree can be given to honor an individual, commemorate an event, or memorialize a loved one. Every tree dedication is a living legacy, and a gift which will grow grander year after year.

Sponsor Name*

First

Last

Email *

Phone

Tree 1 *

Select a Tree

Add Tree

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Select a Tree

Acasia Koa - \$60.00

Iliahi Sandlewood - \$110.00

WiliWili - \$50.00

Halapepe - \$40.00

Save

PAYMENT

CREDIT CARD NUMBER

MM/YY

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WOULD YOU LIKE TO PLEDGE 1 DOLLAR A YEAR TO HELP US IN SUPPORTING THIS LEGACY TREE?

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YES

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NO

CHECK BOX TO RECIEVE UPDATES & OUR NEWS LETTER

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PLANT TREE

Hale Pili Dry Forest Program

The moku of Kahikinui is vast diverse space from the Lewa to the Wao Akua to our Wao Kanaka then down to our dry forest and shoreline everything is interconnected. Our success is directly proportional to the 'aina that surrounds us.

The Hale Pili Dry forest program would allow for the immediate out planting of our dry Forest varieties such as Wiliwili, Lama, Ohia lehua, A'ali'i.

Our vision for the project is to have guest purchase an outplant directly on our dry Forest surrounding Hale Pili.

Hale Pili Food & Crafts Vending Program

By creating a space for our Membership to come and sell their goods, we believe that Hale Pili can become the heart of the economics within our moku providing a beautiful safe place for visitors to stop and enjoy the vistas within the Moku of Kahikinui.

For residents of Kahikinui we propose a \$50 a month vending fee to use the space to sell their crafts & goods.

For non beneficiaries and non residents we propose a \$25 daily fee for use of the space to sell their food, crafts and goods.

The primary use of the revenue generated through our vending program would be used to pay for the commercial liability insurance as well as site improvements and operating cost.