

Disaster Recovery, International Affairs, and Planning Committee (2025-2027)

on 2025-07-03 9:00 AM

Meeting Time: 07-03-25 09:00

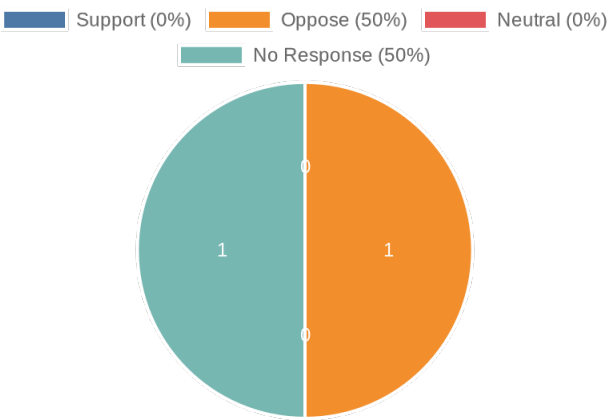
eComments Report

Meetings	Meeting Time	Agenda Items	Comments	Support	Oppose	Neutral
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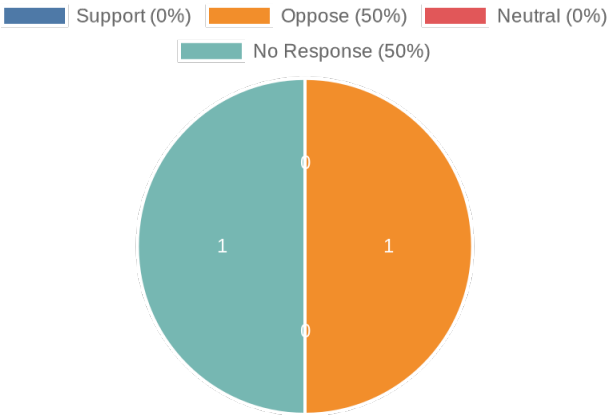
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Agenda Name	Comments	Support	Oppose	Neutral
DRIP-9(3) SOUTH MAUI COMMUNITY PLAN UPDATE PROCESS (DRIP-9(3))	2	0	1	0

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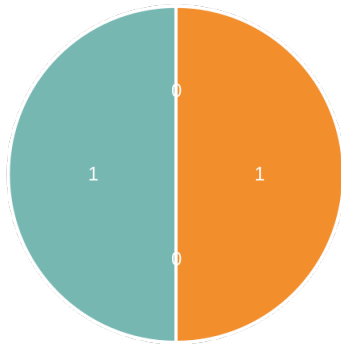
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Agenda Item: eComments for DRIP-9(3) SOUTH MAUI COMMUNITY PLAN UPDATE PROCESS (DRIP-9(3))

Overall Sentiment

Support (0%) Oppose (50%) Neutral (0%)
No Response (50%)



Guest User

Location:

Submitted At: 8:24am 07-03-25

Until the March 4, 2025 Planning Commission meeting minutes are published and the May 2025 Draft SMCP is updated to reflect the Commission's final recommendations, it would be premature and inappropriate to proceed with scheduling or deliberation. I strongly urge the Committee to defer any scheduling related to the SMCP Update until these critical procedural and recordkeeping issues are resolved. Proceeding otherwise would undermine the integrity of the planning process and erode public trust.

DRIP Committee

Location:

Submitted At: 2:16pm 07-02-25

Testimony received by DRIP Committee

DRIP Committee

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Good afternoon,

Attached please find testimony for the Disaster Recovery, International Affairs, and Planning Committee scheduled for 7/3/2025 at 9:00 AM.

Thank you,
Vanessa

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July 2, 2025

Maui County Council

Disaster Recovery, International Affairs, and Planning Committee

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Reference: South Maui Community Plan (SMCP) Update

Dear Honorable Chair Paltin and Members of the Disaster Recovery, International Affairs, and Planning (DRIP) Committee,

This comment is in regard to the July 3, 2025, agenda for the DRIP Committee to discuss scheduling of the South Maui Community Plan (SMCP) Update. I would request the Committee to not schedule meetings regarding the SMCP until the meeting minutes from the March 4, 2025 Planning Commission meeting are posted and updates have been made. There are discrepancies between the May 2025 Draft SMCP and the changes approved by the Planning Commission during the final March 4, 2025 meeting. The Council needs to have a full record and plan that fully incorporates the Planning Commission's recommendations. Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

Honua'ula Partners, LLC

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By:  _____

Rick Arambulo, Authorized Signatory