

PRL Committee

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It would be absurd to close the Waiehu golf course!! It would deal a very serious blow to all retirees on Social Security and others on limited income who love to play golf (MYSELF INCLUDED!!)!!! This is a very fine facility and the ONLY one on the island which is affordable to people like myself on limited income. **I cannot afford to play any other courses on the island. IF THE PRICES WERE DOUBLED IT WOULD STILL BE BY FAR THE MOST AFFORDABLE GOLFING ON THIS ISLAND!!!** As a senior and a county resident, I can play this course for \$8 if I elect to walk (weekdays) and only \$12 on weekends!! Add \$10 per nine for a riding cart and it is still by far the most affordable golfing on the island. I would say the AVERAGE price for 18 holes of golf on the island is around \$100 with many of them MUCH higher than that. I am retired on Social Security and am getting to the stage where I cannot walk the course as I used to due to heart issues, so my options are very limited. I play golf several times a week and will continue to do so even if you double the price to pay Waiehu. If you close this course, I don't know what to do as golf is my outlet and I have a real passion for the game! **I absolutely cannot afford to play anywhere else!!!!** My name is Kenneth Swinson and my cell phone number is 808-250-2830. I have a conflict on Tuesday or I would be at the meeting!!!!!!!!!!!! PLEASE DO NOT CLOSE THE COURSE!! I WOULD GLADLY PLAY TWICE THE PRICE RATHER THAN SEE THIS MAGNIFICENT FACILITY CLOSED!!!!!!