

PIA Committee

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Aloha!

I have grown up here in the islands and have a deep appreciation for our land and beauty that surrounds us! It is so sad that so many people that grew up here are forced to leave because of how expensive it is. And it is shameful that we allow all these malihini to take over our amazing small community. I support the short-term Real Estate Transfer tax because I know that it works in other places like Aspen and we need to do something drastic to get this show on the road now. Our people need it so they don't have to commute from other towns just to make ends meet. We as a people need to come together to help us not outsiders looking to make a quick buck off us.

Aloha and Mahalo from Arika Rains