

AH Committee

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To: AH Committee
Subject: 201A Polanui Gardens Testimony

Aloha e Maui County Council,

My name is Ceridwen "Kahi" McClellan. I want to testify in support of 201A Polanui Gardens. My Uncle and Aunty testified last Wednesday, but because of the argument earlier that day they didn't get across everything they wanted too.

Polanui Gardens was part of Land Commission Award Number 8559B Apana 25 awarded to Charles Lunalilo. Charles Lunalilo was the first monarch to have a stipulation in his will for the Hawaiian people. That stipulation became Lunalilo Home. The essence of Polanui Gardens being an agri-hood with farm to table capabilities falls in line with Lunalilo Home's new program of Farm to Kupuna. A full circle.

Side note: Charles Reed Bishop was the executor of Lunalilo's will which could be why Pauahi's will was written the way it was for the keiki of Hawaii.

Having the agri-hood will replace the brush that is there and essentially eliminate the possibility of future fires.

My uncle was trying to tell you about the water situation everyone brought up before he was told to get back on the subject of Affordable Housing. He has given A LOT to Hawaii by being an original Hokule'a crew member and went on many legs of Malama Honua. I wish the council would have given him a chance to talk about what he had seen travelling the world in regards to global warming and how it affects Lahaina as well. Especially with the water situation.

I attended the hearing because I was told the council was biased. It proved true. I watched several people testify on their own agenda without being told to get on the subject of Affordable Housing. I watched one testifier use swear words throughout his testimony, who also called the developer an A-hole, and yet he was able to continue. I re-watched him on video saying "Mrs. Kahi McClellan you fraud F'n son of a beep" and yet he was allowed to have another 2 minutes to testify when his time was clearly up before hand. Why?

Maui really deserves an unbiased county council.

Sincerely,

Ceridwen "Kahi" McClellan