

## EACP Committee

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**Subject:** Hana Hwy Visitor Reservation System

The Hana Highway Regulation represents the consensus of residents along the Hana Highway, ranging from Paia to Kanaio and opposes a Hana Highway Reservation System until resident-based visitor management mechanisms are implemented to assist with the back log of visitor industry impact on East Maui. The suggestions that have submitted to date by the community need to be initiated. Support for effective solutions must be put in place before attempts to commodify the East Maui watershed. Our organization will not tolerate the County's allocation of resources for developing a reservation system until visitor management is addressed. I am reiterating that a Visitor Reservation System will not solve the issues occurring along the Road to Hana that stem from a lack of Visitor Management. The County of Maui has a responsibility to tend to the pre-existing issues related to the Hana Highway before attempting to, in any way, commercialize the experience.

The gun violence incident of 12-12-19 (#19-050841) needs to be thoroughly investigated as it leaves our East Maui community and Hana Highway vulnerable to a gunman who shot a resident of East Maui with an AR15 and has yet to be prosecuted for the attempted murder. This report was mis-logged by MPD Officer Kyle Badayos as merely an Assault 1 charge. The report has yet to be completed by Detective Matthew Bigoss, prolonging the Prosecuting Attorney's office from their ability to bring charges against the gunman Henry Hanalei Day who is an Alexander & Baldwin sublessor and Mahi Pono Holdings LLC affiliate rancher.

We expect the County of Maui tend to these issues of safety and visitor management before lending time and resources to the concept of a Visitor Reservation System.

Mahalo,

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