

NOTICE OF MEETING

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the OAHU METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION

POLICY COMMITTEE

will be held on
Wednesday, August 14, 2013 at 10:00 a.m.
Honolulu City Council Committee Meeting Room, room 205
530 South King Street, Honolulu, Hawaii

AGENDA

FOR DELIBERATION AND ACTION:

I. Minutes of the July 9, 2013 Meeting

II. Citizen Advisory Committee Membership Applications

OahuMPO staff has received two CAC membership applications – Hawaii Association of the Blind and Kaaawa Community Association. The Policy Committee will be asked to act on these applications.

III. Federal Certification Review and Action Plan

At least every four years, the Federal Highway Administration and Federal Transit Administration review the processes and procedures of the OahuMPO to ensure they comply with Federal requirements. The latest review occurred in July 2011, and the report from that review was released in May 2013. The results were a partial certification of OahuMPO, one corrective action, seven recommendations, and one commendation. OahuMPO has until August 16 to approve an action plan to address the corrective action and recommendations. The results of the review and the draft corrective action plan will be presented for consideration by the Policy Committee.

IV. Transportation Alternatives Program Development

Federal law requires OahuMPO to develop a competitive solicitation and selection process for the urban sub-allocation of funds from the Transportation Alternatives Program. In July, OahuMPO staff presented a draft process for the Policy Committees deliberation. Now, staff will attempt to achieve consensus among the Policy Committee members on key policy points.

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V. Filling Staff Vacancy

The Policy Committee will consider a request to allow the OahuMPO Executive Director to advertise for, select, and hire staff to fill a vacancy in the OahuMPO office.

FOR DISCUSSION:

VI. Citizen Advisory Committee Highlights

A brief summary of recent Citizen Advisory Committee meetings will be presented for informational purposes.

VII. Other Business (Announcements Only)

PUBLIC TESTIMONY will be accepted on any Policy Committee agenda item. Testimony will be **accepted** as **follows**:

Oral Testimony

Oral testimony is limited to three (3) minutes per person, per agenda item.

- Written documentation of oral testimony is requested (submit 1 original to OahuMPO staff).
- Any person wishing to speak on an agenda item may register by:
 - Calling 587-2015 <u>at least two (2) hours prior to the start of the meeting</u> (calls to testify at meetings starting before 10:00 a.m. must reach the OahuMPO office prior to the close of the preceding business day); or
 - o Signing up in person at the meeting prior to the start of the meeting.
 - <u>Note</u>: Submittal of written testimony does <u>not</u> automatically place you on the list for oral testimony. Those wishing to testify orally, must still register to testify.

Written Testimony

- One (1) original and fifteen (15) copies of each written testimony is required.
- Written testimony must reach the OahuMPO office at least 24 hours prior to the start of the meeting (for Monday meetings, written testimony must reach the OahuMPO office by the prior Friday morning).
- Written testimony sent to OahuMPO via e-mail (<u>OahuMPOTestimony@oahumpo.org</u>) or fax (587-2018) will be accepted under the following conditions:
 - E-mailed and faxed testimony must reach the OahuMPO office at least 24 hours prior to the start of the meeting (for Monday meetings, e-mailed and faxed testimony must reach the OahuMPO office by the prior Friday morning). To confirm receipt of your testimony, you may call the OahuMPO office at 587-2015.
 - E-mailed and faxed testimony should be <u>limited to the equivalent of 4 single-sided 8-1/2"</u>
 x 11" pages, including attachments and other supplemental information.

- If testimony exceeds this requirement, OahuMPO will only copy and distribute the allowable number of pages.
- OahuMPO staff will not be responsible for copying and/or distributing written testimony received
 after the deadline or brought to the meeting. Written testimony received after the deadline will not
 be copied or distributed to the Policy Committee members prior to the start of or during the
 meeting; late submittals will be sent to the Policy Committee members at a later date.
- Any written testimony brought to the meeting by a testifier may be distributed to the Policy Committee members <u>by said testifier</u>. The original of the written testimony should be given to OahuMPO staff for OahuMPO's records.
- <u>Note</u>: Submittal of written testimony does <u>not</u> automatically place you on the list for oral testimony. Those wishing to testify orally, must still register to testify.
- <u>Note</u>: Any personal information (such as home addresses, home phone numbers, cell phone numbers) included on the written testimony will become <u>public</u> information.

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