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Subject: City Council Public Hearing Testimony

May 4, 2012

Dear members of the City Council and Sub Committee on Parks,

I wish to submit written testimony regarding proposed Bill 11(2012) and the more recent Proposed CD1 for Bill 11(2012).

In considering Bill 11 and CD1, please keep in mind that Kailua Beach Park is not a "Neighborhood" park or a "Community" park or a "District or Regional" park. It is a special kind of park – a "Beach" park. And, as such it is intended for all residents of Hawaii and the Island of Oahu including tourists. It is not the private domain of the residents of Kailua / Lanakai Town.

By restricting commercial use, you will be restricting and limiting the intended use of such a park to the people who can walk to and from the area and their home for food and drink and access to normal beach and water recreational equipment. Our state constitution envisioned unlimited use of our beaches. Please do not waist money by setting up an unnecessary constitutional confrontation.

Sincerely

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April 16, 2012

Dear members of the City Council and Sub Committee on Parks,

I wish to submit written testimony regarding proposed Bill 11(2012) and the more recent Proposed CD1 for Bill 11(2012).

I would like to remind your committee of the existing "official" Hawaii Tourist Authority's **Hawaii Tourism Strategic Plan – 2005 - 2015**

http://www.hawaiitourismauthority.org/default/assets/File/about/tsp2005_2015_final.pdf
And the current world wide promotions by the HTA and it's contractors for Lanakai and Kailua Beach Parks Oahu Beaches: A Guide to the Best Beaches on Oahu | GoHawaii.com

Please take a minute to re-review these documents. I'm sure you will agree with me that Bill 5 which you have already passed and the actions you are now considering in Bill 11 and CD1 are counter to both the intent and the specifics of these documents.

I implore you to stop all activity on Bill 11 and CD1 and rescind Bill 5 and meet with State and HTA representatives to develop actions which are in sync with this Strategic Plan (for all stakeholders not just the residents of Kailua Town).

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