



McCULLY-MŌ'ILĪ'ILĪ NEIGHBORHOOD BOARD NO. 8

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April 20, 2018

The Honorable Ernest Y. Martin  
Chair and Presiding Officer  
and Members of the  
Honolulu City Council  
530 South King Street, Room 202  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Chair Martin and Councilmembers:

Subject: Public Hearing Testimony on Bill 15 (2018), CD1

I understand that the City Council is considering cuts to the budget of the newly created Department of Land Management (DLM). I offer the McCully-Moiliili Neighborhood Board's experience with this department for your consideration.

DLM staff have attended our board meetings to provide information on two developments in McCully-Moiliili at 1902 Young Street and 1936 Citron Street. The DLM staff attending the meetings and available to us outside of meetings have been a useful source of information. The staff have also served as points of contact to help efficiently address community concerns, cutting down on the standard delay between meetings that we must typically wait for responses to other questions. Moreover, this process appears to have provided some additional accountability and transparency for these public projects.

Honolulu's high cost of living alongside its limited housing supply has the ability to create insecure living situations for families and individuals. I appreciate the DLM's analysis of property in our neighborhood to equitably share the City's public resources with our residents. These developments will contribute to the wellbeing of our neighborhood.

Thank you for your consideration as you make an important decision about the budget and the services the community receives from its tax dollars. Should you have any questions, please contact me at [tstreitz.nb8@gmail.com](mailto:tstreitz.nb8@gmail.com).

Sincerely,

Tim Streitz  
Chair

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