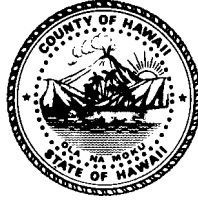


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**HAWAI'I COUNTY COUNCIL
COMMITTEE ON PARKS &
ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT
18th Session**

DATE: April 6, 2004 (Tuesday)
PLACE: Councilroom
TIME: 1 p.m.

(Note: Please turn cell phones, pagers and other mobile communication devices on silent mode.)

CALL TO ORDER

STATEMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC ON ITEMS ON THE AGENDA

REFERRALS

Comm. 549:
(Bill 245) AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 21 OF THE HAWAI'I COUNTY CODE 1983 (1995 EDITION), RELATING TO SEWERS (LATERALS) (Requires that when a lateral is required by the county in order for the landowner to receive the final inspection approval, the county shall construct the lateral within six months from the date of the requirement.)
From Council Chair James Y. Arakaki, dated March 4, 2004, transmitting the above bill.

Comm. 559: APPOINTMENT OF MS. ROWENA L. TIQUI OF COUNCIL DISTRICT 7 TO THE COUNTY OF HAWAI'I COMMITTEE ON AGING
From Mayor Harry Kim, dated March 11, 2004, informing that he has appointed Ms. Rowena L. Tiqui to the County of Hawai'i Committee on Aging.

Ms. Tiqui is a 57-year resident of Hawai'i and currently serves as the Executive Director for the Kona Adult Day Center. Not affiliated with any political party, she will serve a term co-terminus with the Mayor's.

Note: This appointment does not require Council confirmation.

Comm. 566:
(Bill 250)

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 21, OF THE HAWAI‘I COUNTY CODE 1983 (1995 EDITION), RELATING TO SEWER CONNECTION REQUIREMENTS (by deleting provisions that allow exceptions to the connection requirements for lots accessible to a sewer and establishes a process for requesting a variance/exemption to the connection requirements)

From Barbara Bell, Director, Department of Environmental Management, dated March 23, 2004, transmitting the above bill, which would bring the County into compliance with Section 11-62-06(b), Hawai‘i Administrative Rules (HAR) that states “All building(s) generating wastewater and located within or near proximity of an available sewer system as determined by the director [of health], shall connect to the public sewer.”

Transmits copy of a July 2, 2002, letter to Mayor Harry Kim from the Environmental Management Commission, informing of their approval of the ordinance bill at its May 22, 2002 meeting. Also transmits copy of a July 2, 2002, letter to the Council from then Acting Director Galen M. Kuba, transmitting the subject ordinance bill.

STATEMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC/ADJOURNMENT

The meeting place is accessible for persons with physical disabilities. Persons who need special accommodations to attend this meeting should call 961-8245 by Friday, April 2, 2004. Persons using TDDs may call 961-8521.

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VIEWING OF MEETINGS ON GOVERNMENT ACCESS TELEVISION - Channel 52
(Hilo/Kona) Public Works & Intergovernmental Relations Committee and Finance Committee meetings - Tuesdays, April 13 and 20, 2004, at 8:30 p.m.; Parks & Environmental Management Committee meeting - Thursdays, April 15 and 22, 2004, at 8:30 p.m.; and all three Committee meetings - Sunday, April 25, 2004, at 10:30 a.m.