From:	Miyamoto, Faith
To:	'Turchie, Donna (TRO-09)'; Barr, James (TPE)
CC:	Sukys, Raymond (TRO-09); Mulvihill, Carolyn (TPE); Ossi, Joseph (TPE); Lawrence Spurgeon (spurgeon@pbworld.com); Nami Ohtomo (ohtomo@pbworld.com); Banao, Kenneth; Kurio, Phyllis
Sent:	3/22/2006 9:34:00 AM
Subject:	RE: Honolulu High-Capacity Transit Corridor Project - Environmental Justice

Hi Everyone –

The conference call to discuss Environmental Justice has been scheduled for Tuesday, March 28 at 10:00 a.m. HST, noon PST and 3:00 p.m. EST. We will be using PB's Raindance Conference Calling System. Please let me know if you would like to participate.

I will be sending out a brief agenda and the call-in information by the end of this week.

Faith

From: Turchie, Donna (TRO-09) [mailto:Donna.Turchie@fta.dot.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 20, 2006 7:42 AM
To: Barr, James (TPE); Miyamoto, Faith
Cc: Sukys, Raymond (TRO-09); Mulvihill, Carolyn (TPE); Ossi, Joseph (TPE)
Subject: RE: Honolulu High-Capacity Transit Corridor Project - Environmental Justice

Hi: I'm agreeable to either date. Ray is out today and will be be a meeting tomorrow, so I don't know when he'll get back with you. I definitely want to be involved in the discussion. Thanks. DT

From: Barr, James (TPE)
Sent: Monday, March 20, 2006 8:00 AM
To: Miyamoto, Faith
Cc: Sukys, Raymond (TRO-09); Turchie, Donna (TRO-09); Mulvihill, Carolyn (TPE); Ossi, Joseph (TPE)
Subject: RE: Honolulu High-Capacity Transit Corridor Project - Environmental Justice

Faith:
Let's try for March 28 or 29 (next Tuesday or Wednesday) around 3 or 4 EST.
Maybe Ray and Donna can help with the times.
Thanks.
Jim

From: Miyamoto, Faith [mailto:fmiyamoto@honolulu.gov]
Sent: Friday, March 17, 2006 9:38 PM
To: Barr, James <FTA>
Subject: FW: Honolulu High-Capacity Transit Corridor Project - Environmental Justice

Hi James -

We would still like to discuss this matter with you. Is there a convenient time next week for a conference call with you and whoever you think should be included on this call?

Thanks.

Faith

From: Miyamoto, Faith
Sent: Tuesday, March 07, 2006 9:56 AM

To: 'Barr, James (TPE)'
Subject: RE: Honolulu High-Capacity Transit Corridor Project - Environmental Justice

Hi James -

Thanks. I will review the link you provided and hope we can talk early next week.

Faith

From: Barr, James (TPE) [mailto:James.Barr@fta.dot.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, March 07, 2006 9:36 AM
To: Miyamoto, Faith
Subject: RE: Honolulu High-Capacity Transit Corridor Project - Environmental Justice

Please review this link;
http://www.fhwa.dot.gov/environment/ejustice/facts/index.htm

From: Miyamoto, Faith [mailto:fmiyamoto@honolulu.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, March 07, 2006 2:12 PM
To: Barr, James (TPE); Turchie, Donna (TRO-09); ohtomo@pbworld.com
Cc: Ryan, James (TPE); Sukys, Raymond (TRO-09); scheibe@pbworld.com; Hamayasu, Toru
Subject: Honolulu High-Capacity Transit Corridor Project - Environmental Justice

Hi James -

We are currently in the process of developing our methodology to address environmental justice impacts of the proposed alternatives and need some guidance. I spoke with Donna Turchie about this last week and she suggested that I contact you.

We are seeking guidance on the following:

- Federal definition of "minority" and Hawaii as a special case
- Focus on other socio-economic factors (such as low-income and limited English proficiency) vs. "minority"
- Determining appropriate "threshold" for defining minority populations in Hawaii
- Comparisons with the Oahu MPO method for environmental justice analysis
- Definition of the study area - Corridor-wide vs. island-wide

We would like to propose a conference call on either Thursday (3/9) or Friday (3/10) afternoon your time to discuss these topics. Our consultant, Parsons Brinckerhoff Quade and Douglas has offered to set up the call using their conference calling system. If this is ok with you, let me know when it would be convenient for us to talk and who should be involved in this discussion.

Looking forward to hearing from you.

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