
From: Souki, Jesse K.
To: 'Renee.Marler@dot.gov'
Sent: 10/30/2008 2:01:06 PM
Subject: RE: Hawaii State EIS Process

Next week Tuesday at 3:00 p.m. (PST) works for me. Since you're three hours ahead, I'll be ready at 12:00 p.m. (HST). My direct line is 808-768-5135.

Please let me know if there is anything in particular you would like me to review prior to our call.

I look forward to hearing from you.

From: Renee.Marler@dot.gov [mailto:Renee.Marler@dot.gov]
Sent: Thursday, October 30, 2008 1:46 PM
To: Souki, Jesse K.
Subject: RE: Hawaii State EIS Process

Mr. Souki,

Thank you for your email. I apologize that the press of business this week has prevented me from responding sooner. Yes, I would be pleased to talk with you Monday or Tuesday of next week. Approximately 3 pm pacific would work for me either day. Let me know if this is convenient for you.

Welcome to the project. I look forward to working with you.

Renee Marler

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From: Souki, Jesse K. [mailto:jsouki@honolulu.gov]
Sent: Thursday, October 23, 2008 5:54 PM
To: Marler, Renee <FTA>
Subject: Hawaii State EIS Process

Ms. Marler,

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I was recently hired by the City & County of Honolulu to work on legal issues related to Honolulu's proposed mass transit system. I will be working with attorneys Donna Woo and Don Kitaoka.

I was asked to return your request for information on Hawaii's EIS law, because I have a working knowledge of Hawaii's EIS laws and procedures. My background includes advising Hawaii's Senator on transportation policy in D.C., advising departments on transportation and public construction projects at the Washington State Attorney's General's Office, and more recently, working in the private sector in the areas of planning, environmental, and land use law. I must confess, however, that I have not reviewed a NEPA document since law school. I will review my NEPA notes for our discussion to provide some comparative analysis.

I am available for a telephone conference anytime on Monday or Tuesday. Let me know what works for you.

I look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

Jesse K. Souki

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