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Comments:

YES and NO. I do support the need for new court facilities in West Hawaii. BUT, the location being proposed in Reso No. 198 is not consistent with the Kona Community Development Plan (KCDP), which was adopted by Ordinance. The KCDP states that new urban growth in West Hawaii shall be directed to compact, mixed-use villages located along major transit routes. Further, that Honokohau Village, which is the site of the new West Hawaii Civic Center, shall be developed as West Hawaii's centralized government service center. At the time of the drafting of this language for the KCDP, the future court facilities were envisioned to be within this Honokohau Village government service center. The County of Hawaii Department of Planning, with public input, has completed a draft plan for Honokohau Village.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely, Nancy Pisicchio