From: Sent: To: Subject: lowen1-Kyli on behalf of waltestimony Monday, February 11, 2013 1:04 PM lowen1-Kyli FW: Please Repeal the PLDC -- Approve HB 1133 as is

-----Original Message-----From: Lisa Grandinetti <u>[mailto:lisagrand003@hawaii.rr.com]</u> Sent: Monday, February 11, 2013 12:13 PM To: FINTestimony; waltestimony Subject: Please Repeal the PLDC -- Approve HB 1133 as is

Hi, I'm Lisa Grandinetti, I'm a senior at Mililani High School, I am your constituent, and I ask that you approve HB 1133 as is to repel the PLDC. Living in Mililani, it's easy to understand the benefits and detriments of development being in the middle of it. As one of the first master planned communities in Hawaii, Mililani set the example for a somewhat more responsible mode of development. But the extent to which development has expanded is both unrealistic and unsustainable. This is the point that it is necessary to level off the development of our islands and shift to a mode of thinking where solutions can be made for the problems of existing development. Despite this dire and obvious need, we are doing precisely the opposite. This bill, as you know, gives the PLDC the access to virtually any land it pleases. The possibility that this power will be used to expand agriculture, a more favorable option, is unlikely and the implications of this broadly worded bill are inescapable. A privately conducted project that hits close to home is Koa Ridge. After decades of justified and logical resistance by the public, Koa Ridge, just one of countless antiagriculture development plans, was approved. Koa Ridge will create an entire community of thousands of homes that central Oahu is just not equipped for. All surrounding areas, including mililani, will be forced to endure the effects of this development. This is a story that people all around the islands share and we have come together against Act 55 to save our future. Giving private entities control over public land will lead to even more stories just like Koa Ridge and we will continue to fight until the PLDC is repealed to prevent such events from unfolding.

If HB 1133 is not approved, the PLDC will result in a lifetime of recovery efforts on the part of my generation. Although I would be completely willing to do this, I'd rather focus my efforts on a more positive rather than reactive movement. Save us from this terrible fate, let us dedicate our lives to bettering our lands instead of restoring them from the results of this bill, please, approve HB 1133 and repeal Act 55.

Thank you

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From: Randy Wolfshagen [mailto:indatube@gmail.com] Sent: Monday, February 11, 2013 10:26 AM To: waltestimony; vmitestimony; TRNtestimony; TOUtestimony; LMGtestimony; FINTestimony; WAM Testimony; CPN Testimony; WTLTestimony Subject: Please SUPORT HB1133

I feel the PLDC is an illegal, back alley land grab that is NOT in the best interest of the Hawaiian citizenry.

Please support and vote IN FAVOR of HB1133.

This bill repeals the Public Land Development Corporation.

www.capitol.hawaii.gov/measure_indiv.aspx?billtype=HB&billnumber=1133&year=2013&utm_source=supporter_message&utm_medium=email_

Mahalo for all you do,

Randy Wolfshagen Kekaha, HI 96752

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From: Richard Furst <u>[mailto:richardfurst@yahoo.com]</u> Sent: Monday, February 11, 2013 11:17 AM To: waltestimony; FINTestimony Cc: <u>sens@hawaii.capitol.gov</u>; <u>reps@hawaii.capitol.gov</u> Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of HB1133

Aloha Representatives,

My name is Richard Furst, and I am a resident of Honolulu. I am writing to urge your support for HB 1133 to repeal the PLDC. Please pass this important bill as is, do not weaken it! The PLDC was a terrible idea in the first place, and allowing it to remain in any form is still a bad idea. Public lands are meant to be held in perpetuity for the good and enjoyment of future generations, not sold off to make a profit for a few current citizens or corporations. And no entity, whether public or private, should be exempt from, laws meant to protect public interest, such as environmental and land use statutes.

Please kokua, pass HB 1133 in its current form and remove the threat of private profiteering from the sale and development of our precious public lands.

Mahalo for your support.

Richard Furst Honolulu, Hawaii