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Dear Chairman Keawe and Members of the Kaua'i Planning Commission,

At the monthly KNA meeting of July 11, 2017, Attorney Ian Jung presented for the nonprofit 'Aina Ho'okupu o Kilauea and the County of Kaua'i's joint application for a Use Permit, Class IV Zoning Permit and Subdivision Amendment for buildings to support agriculture and community gatherings as well as for parking, entrance, egress on Kilauea Road.

Yoshito L'Hote, Executive Director of 'Aina Ho'okupu o Kilauea and President of the KNA recused himself from the discussion and any vote. Shaylyn Kimura, who is also on the both boards, recused herself.

The KNA Board approves the concept of the Kilauea Agricultural Center support facilities. However, some of the Board and the 23 community members who attended the meeting were not aware of the application. Most of us saw it for the first time and certainly had not read or reviewed it.

Because the public hearing is this Tuesday, the Board anticipates learning more about the recommended conditions for the use permit, including any limits on number of events weekly, hours of operations for various activities and lighting requirements at the hearing. In short, we need more time to digest the application and to envision the daily and special activities of the Ag Center before giving you, the Commission, more informed and specific community response and input.

Respectfully,

Beryl Blaich
Planning Committee
Kilauea Neighborhood Association.

