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June 30, 2014

Joseph C. Bratton 101 Aupuni Street, Suite 216 Hilo, HI 96720

Dear Mr. Bratton:

EXISTING LOTS OF RECORD DETERMINATION A Portion of Grant 6018, Grant 6019 & Grant S-14039, Also Being a Portion of Lot 11 and All of Lot 12, Hakalau Iki, South Hilo, Hawai'i

TMK: 2-9-001:010

We have received your letter of June 5, 2014, regarding the above subject property.

We have reviewed the documents submitted, our department records and those of the Department of Finance–Real Property Tax Division (RPT). Our review of the records has found the following:

- 1. Lots 1 through 20 (Grants 6008 through 6027, respectively) were created as the Hakalau Iki House Lots in September 1921 on Hawai'i Territorial Survey (HTS) Plat 751, Registered Map No. 2549. On the first Tax Map Plat dated August 21, 1934, Parcel Number 10 was assigned to a portion of Lot 11 and all of Lot 12, with a 2,550 square foot portion of Lot 11 designated as Parcel 16.
- 2. The subject Grants are shown within Parcel 10. Final Consolidation No. CON 10-C, which was approved by the Planning and Traffic Commission and the Planning Director on October 22, 1962, and is described as the "Consolidation of the following parcels: ... 3. Lot 12, portion of Lot 11, & abandoned flume right-of-way..." resulting in a 53,837 square foot lot as presently depicted on the Tax Map Plat.

No other consolidation or subdivision action has occurred for this parcel, and it thus remains as a 53,837 square foot parcel, Residential Single-Family, seven thousand square foot minimum building site area (RS-7.5). This lot is subdividable, but not through Section 23-7 of the Hawai'i County Code (HCC) nor through the request for a separate Tax Map Key parcel number.

In accordance with Ordinance No. 99-112, you may appeal the director's decision as follows:

- (a) Any person aggrieved by the decision of the director in the administration or application of this chapter, may, within thirty days after the date of the director's written decision, appeal the decision to the board of appeals.
- (b) A person is aggrieved by a decision of the director if:
 - (1) The person has an interest in the subject matter of the decision that is so directly and immediately affected, that the person's interest is clearly distinguishable from that of the general public; and
 - (2) The person is or will be adversely affected by the decision.
- (c) An appeal shall be in writing, in the form prescribed by the board of appeals and shall specify the person's interest in the subject matter of the appeal and the grounds of the appeal. A filing fee of \$250 shall accompany any such appeal. The person appealing a decision of the director shall provide a copy of the appeal to the director and to the owners of the affected property and shall provide the board of appeals with the proof of service.
- (d) The appellant, the owners of the affected property, and the director shall be parties to an appeal. Other persons may be admitted as parties to an appeal. Other persons may be admitted as parties to an appeal, as permitted by the board of appeals.

The board of appeals may affirm the decision of the director, or it may reverse or modify the decision, or it may remand the decision with appropriate instructions if based upon the preponderance of evidence the board finds that:

- (1) The director erred in its decision; or
- (2) The decision violated this chapter or other applicable law; or
- (3) The decision was arbitrary or capricious or characterized by an abuse of discretion or clearly unwarranted exercise of discretion.

In view of the above and for your reference, we have enclosed the GENERAL PETITION FOR APPEAL OF DECISIONS BY PLANNING DIRECTOR form.

Joseph C. Bratton Page 3 June 30, 2014

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact Jonathan Holmes of this department.

Sincerely,

DUANE KANUHA Planning Director

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Enc.: General Petition for Appeal of Decisions by Planning Director

xc: Tax Maps and Records Supervisor

Real Property Tax Division-Hilo

Manager, DWS

G. Bailado, GIS Analyst (via e-mail)

COUNTY OF HAWAII BOARD OF APPEALS

GENERAL PETITION FOR APPEAL OF DECISIONS BY PLANNING DIRECTOR

(Type or legibly print the requested information)

APPELLANT:	
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ADDRESS:	
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APPELLANT'S NATURE OF APPEAL AND REQ	UEST:
LAND OWNER:	
	AREA OF PROPERTY:
STATE LAND USE DESIGNATION:	COUNTY ZONING:
STREET ADDRESS OF PROPERTY:	
APPELLANT'S REPRESENTATIVE:	
	DATE:
REPRESENTATIVE'S ADDRESS:	
TITLE:	
 a. A description of the property in the public to precisely locate b. A statement explaining the nature c. A statement explaining: (i) How the decision appealed (ii) How the decision appealed (iii) How the decision appealed (iii) How the decision appealed (characterized by an abuse of discretion. 	DIRECTOR OF FINANCE AND: his completed petition with the following: nvolved in the appeal in sufficient detail for the property. re of the appeal and the relief requested. from violates the law; or

- 2. Proof of Service by the Appellant on the Planning Director for an appeal from the Planning Director's decision relating to the Zoning Code.
- 3. A list of the names, address and tax map keys of all owners of property within boundaries established by Section 8-11(d)of the Board of Appeals Rules of Practice and Procedure.