Harry Kim Mayor



Christopher J. Yuen Director

Brad Kurokawa, ASLA LEED® AP Deputy Director

County of Hawaii PLANNING DEPARTMENT

101 Pauahi Street, Suite 3 • Hilo, Hawaii 96720-4224 (808) 961-8288 • FAX (808) 961-8742

May 15, 2008

Mr. Byron Moku, V.P. Cultural Resources 1250 Oceanside Partners, Inc. 78-6831 Alii Drive, Suite K15 Kailua-Kona, HI 96740

Dear Mr. Moku:

Shoreline Park at Hokulia

This is to follow-up on your April 1, 2008, meeting with Norman Hayashi of this office regarding a clarification of the Americans With Disabilities Act (ADA) accessible requirements for the Shoreline Park as permitted under Special Management Area (SMA) Use Permit No. 401. There is no condition in this permit that mandated the park be ADA accessible. However, the findings portion of the permit does state that, "Sections of the trail will meet appropriate American With Disabilities Act (ADA) specifications to allow barrier free access to portions of the park." Accordingly, it is our determination that having portions of the park be ADA accessible would meet the intent of the SMA Use Permit.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact Norman Hayashi at this office at 961-8288, x205.

Sincerely,

CHRISTOPHER J. YUEN Planning Director

P.wpwin60\norm\2008\letters\moku - Hokulia shoreline park 5-14-08

MAY 1 9 2008

Hawai'i County is an Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer.