

Maui County Arborist  
Regular Meeting  
March 14, 2012

1. Call to order 1:35 PM
2. New Business - Public Testimony
  - a. Ulua Mokapu Beach Park - Elaine Malina of the Maui Outdoor Circle, Mike Moran and Marilyn Colvin of the Kihei Community Association (KCA) Street Tree Committee, Pete Kirkman & Donnie Wong of Ulua Village Resort and Laurel Murphey of the Maui News all expressed outrage that the Monkey Pods could be bulldozed with no input from the Arborist Committee or the public. Laurel Murphy suggested that Maui County adopt an ordinance similar to Oahu that has a Division of Forestry as part of it's Parks Department. There is framework already in the Planting Plan to create this ordinance so that future projects can be routed through the proper channels. Jordan did a draft letter to William Spence of the Planning Department regarding the committee's view of being left out of the process. After discussion a motion was made to accept the letter as amended.
    - a. Motion William Jacintho
    - b. Second Monroe Bryce
    - c. Vote Unanimous
  - b. Paia Elementary School – Principal Susan Alivado and Rodney Toba of DAG's asked the committee's permission to remove a large Monkey Pod and Jacaranda tree that is close to the new cafeteria being built at the school. A motion was made to work around the tree and save it.
    - a. Motion Jeannie
    - b. Second Monroe
    - c. Vote Unanimous
  - c. Exceptional Tree nomination – Tom Calhoun and Penny Souder presented the committee with pictures and a description of the tree. The species was in question but Bob Hobdy said he would confirm what it is. The committee then made a motion to accept the addition of this Ficus to the list
    - a. Motion Richard Kempf
    - b. Second Monroe Bryce
    - c. Vote Unanimous
  - d. Maui Lani Parkway trees will be deferred until April 11, 2012 meeting.
  - e. Baldwin Avenue Shower Trees – A motion was made to send a letter to the Public Works about the over pruning.
    - a. Motion Jeannie Pezzoli
    - b. Second Monroe Bryce
    - c. Vote Unanimous

f. Jordan Hart and Richard Kempf received a certificate of appreciation from the Mayor for all their work with the committee.

3. Committees

a. It was decided to defer this until next months meeting.

4. Arborist's Report – None

Agenda Development

- a. Baldwin Avenue Shower Trees
- b. Damaged tree on Peahi side of Baldwin Avenue
- c. Maui Lani Parkway
- d. Ulua Mokapu Beach Park
- e. Letter regarding injection wells

9. Adjournment 4:05 PM

- a. Motion Jeannie Pezzoli
- b. Second Monroe Bryce
- c. Voted Unanimous

Submitted by Deanna Kahae-Saimon

Present:	Jordan Hart, Chair	Harlan Hughes
	Monroe Bryce	Chris Reynolds
	William Jacintho	Jeannie Pezzoli
	Dennis Morihiro	Robert Hobdy
	Richard Kempf	

Also Present:

Arine Bulkley	Elaine Malina
Susan Alivado	Rodney Toba
Pete Kirkman	Donnie Wong
Mike Moran	Marilyn Colvin
Penny Souder	Tom Calhoun
Deanna Kahae-Saimon	