

Waimea Trails and Greenways

MEETING NOTES

April 14, 2008

PRESENT: Clem Lam, Lynn Taylor, Avi Okin, Leningrad Elarionoff, Peggi Kamisato

1. Last week we walked from Magoon's to Lindsey Road Bridge to scope out the trail. In back of Magoon's the trail is nicely cleaned out. In back of the Catholic Church it is very thick.
2. Clem met with David Imata and James Komata in Hilo on Tuesday to discuss the new consultants work.
 - He has put a team together and will meet with them in the next 2 weeks. His first thing will be to get Mike Krauss out to do a tree evaluation.
 - They will have to do a CLOMAR because of the work in the flood zone. This could take some time
 - David does not think he would have the final drawings done by September. However he and James were talking about putting a portion of the work out to bid by September or have the bid process start while the CLOMAR and other lengthy permit processes are being done.
3. Work day - last Saturday MKS&WC and WOC did a work day where they cleared vegetation overgrowth in the Waikoloa Stream. It showed how we need to be very organized and visible if we want to get people out and feel good about the work we ask them to do. The lunch was superb.
4. Workday:
 - Date - Some time in September - Peggi to check for conflicting events.
 - Work segments - Leningrad to organize these - he would like to walk this with Clem to see where the boundaries would be. He will then evaluate them to see what needs to be done, what tools would need to be gathered.
 - Project leaders - we would come up with work party leaders from the community to organize workers.
 - Community workers
 - school kids (older ones - high school to make sure they can work - younger ones may have to provide day care so they won't get in the way.
 - military
 - clubs and organizations
 - have challenges like Keck vs CFHTC
 - Food
 - equipment

cc. Kaz Shigezawa, Greg Mooers, James Komata