

# Waimea Trails and Greenways

## MEETING NOTES

March 29, 2010

PRESENT: Clem Lam, Leningrad Elarionoff, Peggi Kamisato, Laura Dierenfield

1. The meeting last Wednesday was quite well attended. No big surprises. Equestrian community did not come out to question equestrian use (Peggi pointed out that the lack of equestrians is a stipulation of some landowners and not the trail committee.)
2. The news paper article brought out a phone call from a Dennis Norman who lives around Sandalwood and objected to the use of Kahawai Street as an access. He claimed that the residents of his subdivision own it collectively and that they could gate it if they chose to. This is the purpose of the EA - to bring these claims, concerns, etc up in the open.
3. Laura wrote a grant to the Richard Smart Foundation for the trail and we have been awarded a \$10,000 grant. It is for the purpose of opening up a trail between Kahawai Street and Opelo Road and can be used for heavy equipment, hosting of a community work day and to clear the trail way for public use. The grant is good for one year until March 20, 2010. It is contingent on the County assisting in buying materials for the required fencing at the Lalamilo Research Station (through Kanu o ka Aina campus) and the Parker Ranch segment to Kahawai Street.
4. Clem will ask Bobby Command to assist us in getting the County to put up the fence (permanent) so we can have this workday before the money expires.

Clem Lam

cc. Bobby command, Bob Fitzgerald, James Komata