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Kaua`i's Role in the Hawa`i Clean Energy Initiative

Lihu`e, Kaua`i, HI – The public is invited to attend a free community forum that will outline the state's new framework for energy solutions for the islands. The evening forum, "*Hawai`i Clean Energy Initiative and What it Means for Kaua`i*," is set for Tuesday, February 10 at the Lihu`e Missionary Church auditorium from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Doors open at 6:00 pm.

The Hawai`i Clean Energy Initiative (HCEI) was announced by Governor Lingle late last year. The initiative addresses the strategic changes that are needed in Hawai`i's energy policies, regulatory structure, energy delivery systems and use of renewable energy sources.

The forum will discuss this transformative process and Kaua`i's potential to implement more sustainable practices within the industry.

The presenters include Bill Parks, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Electricity & Energy Reliability, U.S. Department of Energy; Ted Peck, Energy Administrator, Hawai`i State Energy Office; Robert Alm, Executive Vice President, Hawaiian Electric Company (HECO); and Randall Hee, President & CEO, Kaua`i Island Utility Cooperative (KIUC).

Lihu`e Missionary Church is located at 4383 Rice Street, across from the Historic County Building.

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The event is organized by the Kaua'i Planning & Action Alliance (KPAA) in partnership with Apollo Kaua'i, the Kaua'i Economic Development Board and Kaua'i Island Utility Cooperative.

To register, contact Kaua'i Planning & Action Alliance at 632-2005 or email kpaas@kauainetwork.org.

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