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Dear Members of the South Maui CPAC:

Earlier today I became aware that a list of 159 sites had been presented on short notice to the Committee for inclusion in the South Maui Community Plan as significant historical or archaeological sites. It is represented that some of these sites are “currently listed in the State Inventory of Historic Places and on file with the State and National Registers of Historic Places.” In fact, few, if any, of these sites are listed on the State or National Registers. Where Site numbers are shown it simply means that a site has been identified in an archaeological inventory survey and assigned a number.

I am familiar with Chapter 6E HRS and the state historic preservation process. A large number of the sites listed are already protected by preservation plans. This list indiscriminately mixes sites of differing significance. For example, there are references to segments of old roads without recognition of their integrity or lack thereof. Some sites should not be listed at all because they are burial sites not intended to be public.

This list should not be adopted, even if some list would be appropriate. Thank you for the opportunity to offer these brief comments.

Sincerely,
Dana Naone Hall