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#### **MEMORANDUM**

DATE: June 7, 2021, 2021

**TO:** Planning Commission

FROM: Clerk of the Commission

SUBJECT: 1st Addition to the Planning Commission 6/8/2021 Agenda

### F. HEARINGS AND PUBLIC COMMENT

## 2. New Agency Hearing

- a. 'Ele'ele Baptist Church
  - 3. Letter (6/3/2021) from Eve Domingcil.
  - 4. Letter (6/7/2021) from Craig Hayashi.
  - 5. Letter (6/7/2021) from Val Tokuuke.

### **Shanlee Jimenez**

From:

Planning Department

Sent:

Thursday, June 03, 2021 10:49 AM

To:

Shanlee Jimenez

Subject:

FW: Testimony for Public Hearing on Tuesday, June 8 2021

Attachments:

Eleele Baptist Church Expansion.docx

From: Eve Domingcil <evedomingcil@gmail.com>

Sent: Thursday, June 3, 2021 10:43 AM

**To:** Planning Department <planningdepartment@kauai.gov> **Subject:** Testimony for Public Hearing on Tuesday, June 8 2021

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Aloha,

Attached is my testimony for CLASS IV ZONING PERMIT (Z-IV-2021-9) and USE PERMIT (U-2021-8) Eleele Baptist Church

Thank you.

Eve L. Domingcil P.O. Box 777 Eleele, HI 96705

June 3, 2021

County of Kauai Planning Commission c/o County of Kauai Planning Department 4444 Rice Street, Suite A473 Lihue, HI 96766

RE: CLASS IV ZONING PERMIT (Z-IV-2021-9) and USE PERMIT (U-2021-8)

Eleele Baptist Church

**Dear Planning Commissioners:** 

I am Eve Domingcil whose residence address is 4531 Mimo Place Eleele and this testimony is in support of the proposed expansion of the Eleele Baptist Church located at 339 Mehana Road, Eleele.

I have resided in my current home since 1984 (37 years) which is located across Kaumualii Highway from the subject property. Throughout all these years, the Eleele Baptist Church has fully supported our community in providing much needed services that would otherwise not be available to many who live in this area. From recovery efforts following Hurricane Iniki, being a food pantry for the under privileged, and during the Covid 19 pandemic their congregation has supported Kupuna meals both with prepared food pick-up and delivery for homebound kupunas.

I believe that supporting Eleele Baptist Church expansion will lead to much greater services provided to my growing community. The church congregation is civic minded and care about those who are struggling with food insecurity, the elderly and disabled who are not able to provide for themselves and the community in general. I have never suffered any negative effects from the church, no excessive noise, no late night activities, no excessive traffic or any other disturbances from the church. Also, the church buildings and grounds have always been well maintained and a property our community can be proud to have.

Thank you for the opportunity to support the expansion of Eleele Baptist Church. Should you have any questions or require additional information, please feel free to contact me at the address above or by email at <a href="mailto:evedomingcil@gmail.com">evedomingcil@gmail.com</a>

Sincerely,

Eve L. Domingcil

### **Shanlee Jimenez**

From:

Planning Department

Sent:

Monday, June 07, 2021 10:09 AM

To:

Shanlee Jimenez

Subject:

FW: 6/8/2021 Public Hearing

Attachments:

EleeleBaptistChurchProjectSupport.pdf

Follow Up Flag:

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From: Craig Hayashi < bltcraighayashi@gmail.com>

Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 10:07 AM

To: Planning Department <planningdepartment@kauai.gov>

Subject: 6/8/2021 Public Hearing

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Attn: Marisa

Attached is a list of names taken yesterday for the support of the Eleele Baptist Church project. Kind of last minute but maybe it can help.

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Craig Hayashi

# "We the undersigned fully support the proposed project of the Eleele Baptist Church."

June 1, 2021 Print Name **Pvsical Address** Signature 015ds 4983 Hoi Rd. Horopepe (Lain Craig Hayash 1 2 8039A ULILIRD KEKAHA 9675 3733 Flau Kd. Kalakes 967A 3 Franus 10 577 HeWa St Eleele, HI 94705 4 S77 Acra St. Auson Lee 5 Fleele, HI 967 Elcele, HI 96705 Lisa Hale 3714 Kikea Rd Kalaha 4196741 7 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 Pear D. Maeda 4709 Melamele Ra. Elect. 17 corbin Halp 18 Eden Hale 339 Menana Rd Elercle H1 96705 19 39 Manual Rolle, Ele 960 Biesin Hale 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34

#### **Shanlee Jimenez**

From:

Planning Department

Sent:

Monday, June 07, 2021 3:38 PM

To:

Shanlee Jimenez

Subject:

FW: Eleele Baptist Church Improvements

**Attachments:** 

IMG\_5958.jpeg; Written Public Testimony - Eleele Baptist Church Improvements.docx;

Towards Eleele Baptist.pdf; DOC052821-002.pdf; DOC052821-003.pdf

From: Val Tokuuke <valstokuuke@gmail.com>

Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 3:34 PM

To: Planning Department <planningdepartment@kauai.gov>

Subject: Eleele Baptist Church Improvements

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Aloha,

I am Val Tokuuke, neighboring resident of the Eleele Baptist Church Improvement Project. Our address is 321 Mehana Rd. located directly south of the subject church property. Please find our Written Public Testimony attached to this email. In addition to the testimony are images corresponding to our concern.

The white arrows in the overhead image show the runoff direction.

Thank you for your consideration and time, Val Tokuuke Valstokuuke@gmail.com



Planning Commission C/O County of Kauai Planning Department 4444 Rice Street, Suite A473 Lihue, Kauai 96766

Subject: Eleele Baptist Church Improvements

Dear Planning Commission,

I am Val Tokuuke, neighboring resident of the Eleele Baptist Church Improvement Project. Our address is 321 Mehana Rd. located directly South of the subject church property.

Our concern with the proposed improvements is flooding we experience during heavy rain events. The attached images provides information on observed run off direction and levels. These improvements increase the impermeable surface areas, resulting in a higher volume of runoff.

The improvements should include design requirements to mitigate current and future runoff direction and volume to the adjacent properties. The drainage improvements should minimize potential water damage to the neighboring residence structures.

Sincerely, Val Tokuuke

Email: valstokuuke@gmail.com







