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**HAWAI'I COUNTY COUNCIL  
COMMITTEE ON  
ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT  
1<sup>st</sup> Session**

**DATE:** December 19, 2006 (Tuesday)  
**PLACE:** Sheraton Keauhou Bay Resort and Spa  
78-128 Ehukai Street  
Kailua-Kona, Hawai'i  
**TIME:** 3:00 p.m.

(Note: Please turn cell phones, pagers and other mobile communication devices on silent mode.)

**CALL TO ORDER**

**STATEMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC ON ITEMS ON THE AGENDA**

**REFERRALS**

Comm. 2: WASTE TO ENERGY RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY (WTERT) COUNCIL - 2006 ANNUAL MEETING  
From Environmental Management Director Barbara Bell, dated November 15, 2006, transmitting the Out-of-State Trip report for the October 19-20, 2006 WTERT Conference in New York City, New York; includes conference agenda and list of conference participants.

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Comm. 7: SOLID WASTE REDUCTION PROJECT: RFP MONTHLY UPDATE - NOVEMBER 15, 2006  
From Finance Director William Takaba, dated November 16, 2006, transmitting the above report.

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**ADJOURNMENT**

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**VIEWING OF MEETINGS ON GOVERNMENT ACCESS TELEVISION - Channel 52 (Hilo/Kona)**  
Planning Committee meeting - Tuesdays, December 26, 2006 and January 2, 2007 at 8:30 p.m.;  
and Finance and Environmental Management Committee meetings - Thursdays, December 28, 2006  
and January 4, 2007, at 8:30 p.m.; and all three Committee meetings - Sunday, January 7, 2007,  
at 10:30 a.m.

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