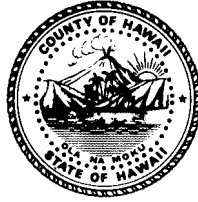


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Chair

Donald Ikeda
Vice Chair



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Pete Hoffmann, *Member*
Bob Jacobson, *Member*
Emily I. Naeole, *Member*
K. Angel Pilago, *Member*
Dominic Yagong, *Member*

**HAWAI'I COUNTY COUNCIL
COMMITTEE ON FOOD & ENERGY SUSTAINABILITY
1st Session**

DATE: December 4, 2007 (Tuesday)

PLACE: Councilroom
Ben Franklin Building
333 Kīlauea Avenue, 2nd Floor
Hilo, Hawai'i

TIME: 10:30 a.m.

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CALL TO ORDER

STATEMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC ON ITEMS ON THE AGENDA

REFERRAL

Comm. 826: PRESENTATION ON PUNA GEOTHERMAL VENTURE'S (PGV) OPERATION AND FUTURE PLANS BY PGV PLANT MANAGER MIKE KALEIKINI
From Councilmember Emily Naeole, dated November 21, 2007, requesting time for a brief presentation.

Close File

Votes:

Ayes: Committee Members Ford, Hoffmann, Jacobson
Naeole, Pilago, Yagong and Chair Yoshimoto.

Noes: None.

Absent: Committee Members Higa and Ikeda.

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