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The Policy Board Chair
O'ahu Metropolitan Planning Organization
707 Richards Street, Suite 200
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Re: Membership to the O'ahuMPO Citizen Advisory Committee

Dear Chair:

Ulupono Initiative has attended the required four meetings within a 12-month period and is respectfully requesting membership to the O'ahuMPO Citizen Advisory Committee (CAC).

Attached is our completed application form for your review. The representative will be Kathleen Rooney, Ulupono's Director of Transportation Policy & Programs. The alternate will be Micah Munekata, Ulupono's Director of Government Affairs.

Thank you for your time. We look forward to participating as a member of the CAC.

Sincerely,



Murray Clay
President
Ulupono Initiative





Application for Membership to the Citizen Advisory Committee

Please fill out this application using a typewriter or dark ink. Incomplete applications will be returned. Call OahuMPO at 587-2015 if you have any questions or require assistance in filling out this application.

Organization Information:

1. Full Name of Organization:

Ulupono Initiative

2. Organization Mailing Address:

2a. Street Address: 999 Bishop St, Suite 1202

2b. City: Honolulu 2c. Zipcode: 96813

3. Organization Contact Information:

3a. Street Address(if different from above): _____

3b. City: _____ 3c. Zipcode: _____

3d. Phone Number: _____ 3e. Fax Number: _____

3f. E-mail/Website: www.ulupono.com

4. Name of Organization's Presiding Officer (e.g., Chair, President):

4a. Last Name: Clay

4b. First Name: Murray 4c. Title: President

5. Please list Affiliations with National or International Organizations:

The Omidyar Group

Why does this organization want to become a member?

Our mission is to help Hawaii become more self-sufficient and resilient and we do this through 3 sectors - renewable energy, local food, and transportation. Within our transportation sector work, our strategies include rightsizing parking, getting more multi-modal solutions on the ground, expanding EV access, and helping ensure that our transportation investments help our state move towards its carbon net neutral goal for 2045. All of these issues are topics that the MPO's forum and projects can help address and have helped in the past.

Representative Information

Person who will be representing this organization at meetings

6. Representative Name:

6a. Last Name: Rooney

6b. First Name: Kathleen 6c. Title: Director, transportation policy and programs

7. Representative Mailing Address:

7a. Street Address: same as above

7b. City: _____ 7c. State: _____ 7d. Zip: _____

8. Representative Contact Information:

8a. Day Phone: 808-544-8966 8b. Evening Phone: _____

8c. Fax Number: _____ 8d. E-mail: krooney@ulupono.com

Alternate Information

Person who will be representing this organization at meetings when the representative is not able to attend

Please use additional sheets if you would like to designate more than one alternate

9. Alternate Name:

9a. Last Name: Munekata

9b. First Name: Micah 9c. Title: Director of Government Affairs

10. Alternate Mailing Address:

10a. Street Address: same as above

10b. City: _____ 10c. State: _____ 10d. Zip: _____

11. Alternate Contact Information:

11a. Day Phone: 808-544-8967 11b. Evening Phone: _____

11c. Fax Number: _____ 11d. E-mail: mmunekata@ulupono.com

Additional Information:

This section must be completed, per section II.C of the *Bylaws of the CAC*. Answers will be used for statistical reporting purposes. For more information on how this information will be used, please contact OahuMPO at 587-2015.

1. Does this organization focus upon or represent citizens in the following areas?

- a. Windward Oahu Yes No
- b. Leeward Oahu Yes No
- c. Central Oahu Yes No
- d. East Oahu Yes No
- e. Downtown Honolulu Yes No
- f. North Shore? Yes No
- g. Other (please specify): statewide, including Oahu Yes No

2. Are this organization's meetings open to the public? (check one):

- a. Yes
- b. No
- c. By Invitation

3. How often does this organization hold regular meetings (e.g., monthly)?

not applicable

4. What is the current membership

(Approximate number of members is okay)? not applicable

5. Does this organization represent any of the following populations served by the transportation system?

- a. Age 65 or over Yes No
- b. Mobility challenged Yes No
- c. Fixed/low income Yes No
- d. Hearing impaired Yes No
- e. Freight movers Yes No
- f. Visually impaired Yes No
- g. Children Yes No
- h. Homeless Yes No
- i. Minorities (non-white) specify: _____ Yes No

6. Please rank the importance of these issues for this organization (circle number):
1 = very high importance 10 = low importance

- a. Roadways..... 1 2 **X** 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
- b. Transit **K** 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
- c. Traffic Congestion 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 **10**
- d. Improving Mobility **1**~~X~~ 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
- e. Pedestrian/Bicycle Issues ~~1~~**X** 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
- f. Expanding Transportation Options ~~1~~**X** 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
- g. Environmental Impacts of Transportation Projects **K** 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
- h. Freight Movement **X** 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
- i. Transit-oriented Developments **X** 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
- j. Complete Streets **X** 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
- k. Other (specify): data-drive decisionmaking **X** 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

7. Is this organization:

- a. Non-Profit Yes No
- b. Professional Yes No
- c. Neighborhood Board Yes No
- d. Private Yes No
- e. Community Yes No
- f. Government Yes No
- g. Special Interest/Other (specify): impact investment Yes No

8. Is there anything else you would like to share about this organization?

We would be honored to provide additional transportation and community engagement expertise within the CAC.

Thank you for taking the time to fill out this application. Please submit this application along with your cover letter to:

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