



DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY • COUNTY OF HAWAI'I

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March 22, 2022

WATER BOARD, COUNTY OF HAWAI'I
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Water Board of the County of Hawai'i will hold a public hearing on **April 26, 2022, at 9:30 a.m.**, for the purpose of considering and adopting a new cost of Power Adjustment Clause, pursuant to Hawai'i Revised Statutes, Chapter 54, Part III, as amended.

Pursuant to Act 220, Session Laws of Hawai'i 2021, which amended the Sunshine Law to allow meetings to be remotely conducted online, effective January 1, 2022, Department of Water Supply, Water Board, meetings will be held online, and the location listed below is open to the public to attend in person and provide testimony. The Water Board Public Hearing can be viewed live online at <https://www.facebook.com/HawaiiDWS> or at the location listed below:

DATE: April 26, 2022

TIME: 9:30 a.m.

LOCATION: Puna Conference Room, Hawai'i County Building
25 Aupuni Street, Suite 1501
Hilo, Hawai'i

INTERACTIVE CONFERENCE TECHNOLOGY (ICT):

Water Board Members and Department of Water Supply staff will participate in this meeting via the Zoom interactive video conference platform. If lost communication exceeds 30 minutes, the public hearing will be adjourned and rescheduled.

Members of the public may also provide remote oral testimony by registering with the Department of Water Supply to participate via Zoom (email dws@hawaiiidws.org) or by telephone (808) 961-7227.

Anyone wishing to provide written testimony may also do so by email to dws@hawaiiidws.org, facsimile to (808) 961-8657, or by mail to the Department of Water Supply at 345 Kekūanaō'a Street, Hilo, HI 96720. Written testimony should be submitted no later than 12 noon, Monday, April 25, 2022, to be acknowledged at the public hearing. All written testimony, regardless of time of receipt, will be part of the permanent record.

RATE CHANGE: POWER COST CHARGE

The current Power Cost Charge of \$2.02 per thousand gallons is under consideration for a possible increase to reflect increased power costs from all power sources. The proposed Power Cost Charge will be **at a rate of \$2.34**. The approved rate will be effective the first day of the month after the establishment of the rate by the Water Board.

If accommodation or auxiliary aid and/or services (i.e., sign language, interpreter, large print) to participate in the hearing is required, please call (808) 961-8050.

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Dated at Hilo, Hawai‘i, this 22nd day of March, 2022.

WATER BOARD OF THE
COUNTY OF HAWAI‘I

By: David S. De Luz, Jr.
Its Chairperson

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www.hawaiidws.org

Hawai‘i Tribune-Herald
March 29, 2022

West Hawai‘i Today
March 29, 2022