EXHIBIT 5

Determination of Eligibility and Finding of Effect for Previously Unidentified Traditional Cultural Properties in Sections 1-3

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Executive Summary

This study was undertaken pursuant to Stipulation II of the Honolulu Rail Transit Project (HRTP) Programmatic Agreement (PA). The study builds on the Section 106 process which included identifying properties of religious and cultural significance to Native Hawaiian organizations (ACHP 2011: 14), often called Traditional Cultural Properties (TCPs) and culminated with a Programmatic Agreement executed in January 2011. TCPs are identified by the cultural significance derived from the role the property plays in a community's historically rooted beliefs, customs, and practices. A TCP is defined as a property eligible for inclusion in the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP) because of its association with cultural practices or beliefs of a living community that (a) are rooted in that community's history, and (b) are important in maintaining the continuing cultural identity of the community.

To identify possible TCPs, a wide variety of sources were consulted including existing literature, archival documents, historic maps, and oral tradition. The results of this effort are documented in a technical report (Kumo Pono 2012) and a management summary (SRI Foundation and Kumu Pono 2012). The study identified 50 named places (13 ahupuaa, 26 wahi pana, 1 Leina a ka 'uhane and 10 inoa 'āina).

Of the 50 named places identified, the 13 ahupua'a were not studied further since they are the larger traditional land divisions for the island of O'ahu that provide the context for consideration of individual wahi pana. The ahupua'a identified included:

- Honouliuli
- Hō'ae'ae
- Waikele
- Waipi'o
- Waiawa
- Mānana
- Waimano

- Waiau
- Waimalu
- Kalauao
- Aiea
- Hālawa
- Moanalua

Figure 1 identifies the remaining 37 named places or 43 individual wahi pana sites (26 wahi pana, 10 inoa 'āina and the 7 individual wahi pana that make up the single Leina a ka 'uhane named place). The APE is noted as the lightly highlighted area along the corridor. There are an additional 15 sites (nine wahi pana, the Leina a ka 'uhane, and five inoa 'āina) that are located outside the HRTP area of potential effect (APE). Upon review there did not appear to be any project affect to these sites and no further information was heard during consultation so they were removed from further consideration. The sites outside the APE are highlighted by an asterics.

Of the remaining 22 named places (Table 1) within the APE, 20 were found not eligible to the NRHP (5 inoa 'āina and 15 wahi pana). The 5 inoa 'āina lacked any

story connecting the locations with historic people or events and established no link between story and place. The 15 wahi pana found not eligible do not retain sufficient integrity to provide the integral link between the tradition and the place, as discussed in National Register Bulletin (NRB) 15. All of these properties are described and considered in detail in the attached documentation.

Two resources (wahi pana) have been identified as NRHP eligible historic properties of religious and cultural significance to Native Hawaiian organizations. These properties described below meet National Register criteria and have sufficient integrity to convey the integral link between tradition and place. A finding of No Adverse Effect was made for the two properties. No mitigation is required. HART and FTA are committed to exploring appropriate ways to share and tell these stories. The information gained from all the research associated with the Traditional Cultural Properties described in this report will be used in conjunction with the implementation of PA Stipulation VII. Educational and Interpretive Programs, Materials, and Signage.

Table 1. Summary of National Register Eligibility for all wahi pana and inoa 'āina in the APE

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12	Kuka'eki		√			¥	N	AN	\				No
ಪ	Kahō'ai'ai	<	<			A	NA	N.	<				No
14	Piliaumoa					¥	NA	AN					No
15	Hā'upu (Haupu'u)	<	\						1				No
17	Kanukamanu		<			NA	NA	AN	~				No
18	Nāpōhakuluahine	<	<			NA	NA	AN	\				No
19	Ka'oinaomaka'ioulu	<	<			NA	NA	AN					No
22	Kaihuokapua'a					NA	A	AN	\ \				S
23	Kawaiii'ulā (waili'ulā)	<				NA	NA	NA	\ \				8
25	Kalua'ōlohe		<			AN	NA	NA	•				N
28	Huewaipī	<				AN	NA	NA	•	•			Yes
29	Kauhihau		<			NA	NA	NA	V			_	No
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7	Kanupo'o					NA	NA	NA	\	NA	NA	NA	8
10	Kalipāhe'e					NA	NA	NA	*	NA	¥	N	8
24	Kahāpapa					NA	NA	NA	<	NA	NA	NA	No
33	Kā'eo					NA	NA	NA	<	NA	NA	¥	8
35	Kapu'ukapu			<u>-</u>		NA	¥	NA	<	NA	NA	A	8

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Notes: Properties in bold have been evaluated as eligible for the National Register of Historic Places. Key: \checkmark = yes, NA = not applicable 1Site numbers correspond to the maps in this report and the Management Summary.

²Eligible as previously identified Sumida Watercress Farm.

Figure 1. Overview of the TCP Study Area

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2 Introduction

The Honolulu Rail Transit Project (HRTP) has considered its effects to historic properties through a thorough Section 106 process that culminated in a Programmatic Agreement (PA) that provides mitigation and continued guidance through project completion. As a part of the process the HRTP has considered impacts to Traditional Cultural Properties (TCPs) and identified numerous historic properties that meet definitions of TCPs (Parker and King 1998).

While the current documentation focuses on Native Hawaiian sacred and storied sites, prior studies that fulfilled the requirements of Section 106 for the FEIS included a variety of populations and cultural resource types. The previous studies included resources that met the definition of Traditional Cultural Properties and are available on the HRTP website. These studies were performed for and incorporated in the FEIS process for purposes of identifying and evaluating the impact of the HRTP on historic properties (structures, archaeological resources and cultural/traditional cultural properties, inclusive of cultural landscapes).

These prior studies included identification of NRHP eligible Traditional Cultural Property resources such as: Sumida Watercress Farm (associated with the history of wetland agriculture), Aiea Plantation Cemetery (associated with the plantation settlement pattern), the 1958 Kamaka Ukulele (associated with prominent ukulele manufacturer), the Tong Fat building (associated with the development of the 'A'ala neighborhood), and the 1963 Waipahu Stake of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints (associated with the Samoan community). Table 4-34 of the FEIS identifies these properties as No Adverse Effect. All of these properties derive their NRHP eligibility in part or in whole from their role in traditional resource extraction, or associations with a community's historically rooted beliefs, customs, and practices. In addition, a number of properties, such as Irwin and Mother Waldron Parks, derive their significance from the role they played in the development of Honolulu's waterfront landscape, also consistent with definitions of TCPs. The relevant technical reports are: Historic Resources Technical Report, Honolulu High-Capacity Transit Corridor, August 15, 2008, Cultural Resources Technical Report, Honolulu High-Capacity Transit Corridor, August 15, 2008, Addendum 01 to the Historic Resources Technical Report, Honolulu High-Capacity Transit Corridor, June 7. 2010 and Addendum 01 to the Cultural Resources Technical Report, Honolulu High-Capacity Transit Corridor, May 22, 2009.

The archaeological survey completed before the PA considers dozens of loʻi, loko, kula, heiau and other site types all meeting the definitions of TCPs. These were previously addressed in archaeological studies such as the *Draft Historic and Archaeological Technical Report*, Honolulu High-Capacity Transit Corridor, Sept 1, 2006 and the Archaeological Resources Technical Report, Honolulu High-Capacity Transit Corridor, August 15, 2008.

Nonetheless, the PA for the HRTP specifies a requirement for supplemental consultation and study of previously unidentified TCPs. This report summarizes consulting party consultation to date, determination of eligibility and finding of effect (DOEFOE) resulting from the HRTP's additional study of Traditional Cultural Properties. Pursuant to Stipulation II.A of the Final Programmatic Agreement, HART has undertaken additional study of Traditional Cultural Properties that may be affected by the HRTP. The results of the study are presented in two volumes, which are incorporated here by reference. Both documents were provided to consulting parties and SHPD on April 20, 2012.

- The Study titled: Study to Identify the Presence of Previously Unidentified Traditional Cultural Properties in Sections 1 – 3 of the Honolulu Rail Transit Project, Management Summary (The Study) is an overview of the TCP study methodology and findings authored by The SRI Foundation (SRIF) and Kumo Pono, LLC (2012).
- The Study was based on a larger research technical report titled: HE
 MO'OLELO 'ĀINA—TRADITIONS AND STORIED PLACES IN THE DISTRICT
 OF 'EWA AND MOANALUA (IN THE DISTRICT OF KONA), ISLAND OF
 O'AHU A TRADITIONAL CULTURAL PROPERTIES STUDY TECHNICAL
 REPORT authored by Kumu Pono Associates LLC (2012).

Guidance for TCPs is provided in a few sources, including National Register Bulletin 38 (Parker and King 1998). It provides a number of nuances associated with TCPs. TCPs are sites associated with "cultural practices or beliefs of a living community that (a) are rooted in that community's history, and (b) are important in maintaining the continuing cultural identity of the community (Parker and King 1999:1). As described in the cited reports, the identified wahi pana (sacred and storied places) generally meet this definition and warrant consideration as potentially NRHP eligible TCPs.

Another issue with the term TCP is that Bulletin 38 has sometimes been interpreted as requiring a Native Hawaiian organization to demonstrate continual use of a site in order for it to be considered a TCP in accordance with Bulletin 38. It is important to note that under the NHPA and the Section 106 regulations, the determination of a historic property's religious and cultural significance to a Native Hawaiian organization is not tied to continual or physical use of the property. Also, continual use is not a requirement for National Register eligibility (ACHP 2011:14)

Evaluating sites for NRHP eligibility is a two part process. A site is evaluated against four specific eligibility criteria, and is then assessed for integrity. Sites that meet one or more NRHP eligibility criteria, but do not retain integrity are not eligible for the NRHP.

2.1 National Register Criteria

To evaluate eligibility, the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (ACHP) has promulgated NRHP eligibility criteria at 36 CFR 60.4. NRHP eligibility applies to districts, sites, buildings, structures, and objects:

- a) that are associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of our history; or
- b) that are associated with the lives of persons significant in our past; or
- c) that embody the distinctive characteristics of a type, period, or method of construction, or that represent the work of a master, or that possess high artistic values, or that represent a significant and distinguishable entity whose components may lack individual distinction; or
- d) that have yielded, or may be likely to yield, information important in prehistory or history.

Criterion C is typically applied to the built environment and would not apply to natural landforms or non-architectural resources. Criterion D typically applies to potential for data recovery beyond what can be documented during recordation. Thus, wahi pana identified in this effort do not meet criteria C and D, although all four criteria are addressed in the eligibility determination below (Section 6).

2.2 Integrity

Establishing NRHP eligibility also depends on integrity of location, design, setting, materials, workmanship, feeling, and association. Sites that meet one or more NRHP eligibility criteria, but do not retain integrity are not eligible for the NRHP. Assessing integrity can be very difficult. National Register Bulletin 38 provides the following guidance (Parker and King 1998:11):

- "In the case of a Traditional Cultural Property, there are two fundamental questions to ask about integrity. First, does the property have an integral relationship to traditional cultural practices or beliefs; and second, is the condition of the property such that the relevant relationships survive?"
- "If the property is known or likely to be regarded by a traditional cultural group as important in the retention or transmittal of a belief, or to the performance of a practice, the property can be taken to have an integral relationship with the belief or practice, and vice-versa."

The key is to assess whether or not the site retains that integral relationship with the belief or practice. Guidance for assessing integrity is provided in National Register Bulletin 15 (NRHP 2002), which defines the seven aspects of integrity. These seven aspects are location, design, setting, materials, workmanship, feeling and association. Most, but not all of the sites discussed here are non-architectural properties, or natural landforms. For that reason, integrity of design, workmanship

and materials generally do not apply. Each is considered where appropriate in the eligibility determination below. Guidance from National Register Bulletin 15 (NRHP 2002) is provided below:

- "Location Location is the place where the historic property was constructed or the place where the historic event occurred. The relationship between the property and its location is often important to understanding why the property was created or why something happened. The actual location of a historic property, complemented by its setting, is particularly important in recapturing the sense of historic events and persons. Except in rare cases, the relationship between a property and its historic associations is destroyed if the property is moved. (See Criteria Consideration B in Part VII: How to Apply the Criteria Considerations, for the conditions under which a moved property can be eligible.)
- Design Design is the combination of elements that create the form, plan, space, structure, and style of a property. It results from conscious decisions made during the original conception and planning of a property (or its significant alteration) and applies to activities as diverse as community planning, engineering, architecture, and landscape architecture. Design includes such elements as organization of space, proportion, scale, technology, ornamentation, and materials.
- Setting Setting is the physical environment of a historic property. Whereas
 location refers to the specific place where a property was built or an event
 occurred, setting refers to the character of the place in which the property played
 its historical role. It involves how, not just where, the property is situated and its
 relationship to surrounding features and open space.

Setting often reflects the basic physical conditions under which a property was built and the functions it was intended to serve. In addition, the way in which a property is positioned in its environment can reflect the designer's concept of nature and aesthetic preferences.

The physical features that constitute the setting of a historic property can be either natural or manmade, including such elements as:

- Topographic features (a gorge or the crest of a hill);
- Vegetation;
- Simple manmade features (paths or fences); and
- Relationships between buildings and other features or open space.

These features and their relationships should be examined not only within the exact boundaries of the property, but also between the property and its surroundings. This is particularly important for districts.

 Materials - Materials are the physical elements that were combined or deposited during a particular period of time and in a particular pattern or configuration to form a historic property. The choice and combination of materials reveal the preferences of those who created the property and indicate the availability of particular types of materials and technologies. Indigenous materials are often the focus of regional building traditions and thereby help define an area's sense of time and place.

- Workmanship Workmanship is the physical evidence of the crafts of a particular culture or people during any given period in history or prehistory. It is the evidence of artisans' labor and skill in constructing or altering a building, structure, object, or site. Workmanship can apply to the property as a whole or to its individual components. It can be expressed in vernacular methods of construction and plain finishes or in highly sophisticated configurations and ornamental detailing. It can be based on common traditions or innovative period techniques.
- Feeling Feeling is a property's expression of the aesthetic or historic sense of a
 particular period of time. It results from the presence of physical features that,
 taken together, convey the property's historic character. For example, a rural
 historic district retaining original design, materials, workmanship, and setting will
 relate the feeling of agricultural life in the 19th century. A grouping of prehistoric
 petroglyphs, unmarred by graffiti and intrusions and located on its original
 isolated bluff, can evoke a sense of tribal spiritual life.
- Association Association is the direct link between an important historic event or person and a historic property. A property retains association if it is the place where the event or activity occurred and is sufficiently intact to convey that relationship to an observer. Like feeling, association requires the presence of physical features that convey a property's historic character. For example, a Revolutionary War battlefield whose natural and manmade elements have remained intact since the 18th century will retain its quality of association with the battle.

Because feeling and association depend on individual perceptions, their retention alone is never sufficient to support eligibility of a property for the National Register.

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Study Area

The study area for this effort is Sections 1, 2 and 3 of the HRTP. It does not include Section 4. The Programmatic Agreement officially specifies the APE for this effort as the APE depicted in Attachment 1 to the PA. This APE has been added to the figures that accompany this report. The APE was established to capture the area or areas within which the HRTP may directly or indirectly cause alterations in the character or use of historic properties (36 CFR 800.16).

The TCP study identified many wahi pana and inoa 'āina outside of this APE. All of these wahi pana and inoa 'āina are illustrated on the maps within this report, but only the 22 that are in, or partially in the APE are assessed for eligibility and effect.

Figure 1 presents the HRTP and the TCP Study Area. Wahi pana and inoa 'āina are presented as individual points in Figure 1, but subsequent figures present the area of each bounded wahi pana and inoa 'āina in closer scale. Maps also provide the outline of the HRTP's construction footprint for reference.

4 Study Methods

The study focused on following up on the information gathered from the two consultation meetings, research of Native Hawaiian and English texts, interviews with identified Native Hawaiian practioners and extensive research into the history of place along the corridor. The following summarizes the key methods used to conduct research of the study area.

The study included five basic tasks:

- Research in primary Hawaiian and English language records covering traditions, history of residency and land use, surveys, and descriptions of historic development and changes in the landscape.
- 2. Development of a series of annotated historic maps to assist in the identification of wahi pana.
- 3. Oral history interviews and consultation with kama'aina (native residents) and others with knowledge of the land.
- 4. Spatial analysis and mapping of wahi pana.
- 5. Evaluation of wahi pana according to the National Register evaluation process.

The following methods were used in the research.

Ethnographic and Documentary Resources

The archival-documentary resources cited in this study were found in local and national repositories, including, but not limited to:

- The State of Hawaii
 - Archives
 - Bureau of Conveyances
 - Land Court
 - Survey Division
 - University of Hawaii Hamilton and Mookini Libraries
- The Bernice Pauahi Bishop Museum
- The Hawaiian Historical Society
- The American Board of Commissioners of Foreign Missions (Houghton Library, Harvard; digitized in the collection of Kumu Pono)
- The Mission Houses Museum & Library
- The United States Geological Survey Library (Denver, Colorado), and
- National Archives

4.1 Oral History Program

Oral history interviews are another important part of this study. A general questionnaire was developed as an outline to help direct the oral history interviews. During the interviews, historic maps were also identified and made available for use.

4.2 Mapping Methods

A key component of this study included the analysis of historic maps to develop information on the relationship of the HRTP's guideway alignment and associated facilities to the natural geographic features, traditional land uses, native tenants, and traditionally named localities. The HRTP's guideway alignment and associated facilities were overlain on these historic maps.

For this report, each wahi pana and inoa 'āina was mapped against the APE and HRTP construction footprint. Guidance regarding evaluation of TCPs was taken from National Register Bulletins 38 (Parker and King 1998) and 15 (NRHP 2002). Where TCPs intersected a portion of the HRTP alignment subject to Archaeological Inventory Survey (AIS), these AIS reports were consulted for additional information. The HRTP's previous technical documents from the Section 106 process were also consulted.

Consultation

Consultation with consulting parties has been on-going since the beginning of the Section 106 process. Consultation particular to this effort has solicited input regarding TCPs and the HRTP's potential effects to them. The effort focused on four meetings held on:

- February 12, 2011
- June 23, 2011

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- April 13, 2012
- May 4, 2012

In addition to these specific meetings HART and FTA have held quarterly meetings on the PA in general, to which all consulting parties are invited. The April 13, 2012 meeting was a quarterly meeting that included a presentation and discussion of the TCP effort. Summaries of all four meetings are available on the HRTP website at http://www.honolulutransit.org

On April 20, 2012, HART provide two reports; the Study (SRIF and Kumu Pono 2012) and the Technical Report (Kumo Pono 2012), and solicited input. Pursuant to 36 CFR 800.4 and 800.5, a meeting was held on May 4, 2012 to receive comments and input regarding identification of historic properties and the HRTP's potential effects to them. Written comments were accepted through May 7, 2012. The determination of eligibility and effect will be circulated to the consulting parties during the 30 day SHPD review period. Any additional comments will be documented and considered by the FTA.

5.1 February 12, 2011

HART and the SRIFmet with members of the consulting parties to the PA, and concerned citizens in Honolulu on February 12, 2011 to review the HRTP and discuss what information needed to be gathered for a study of previously unidentified TCPs. A total of 141 parties were invited to this meeting through mass e-mail, 9 individuals attended. This meeting focused on the identification of places and people for expanded research related to previously unidentified historic properties. This meeting focused on two primary questions:

- 1. Are there places along or near the HRTP area that are associated with Cultural practices or beliefs that are rooted in your community's history, and are important in maintaining the cultural identity of your community?
- 2. Who are the best people in your community to talk to and learn about these places and their importance?

Feedback from the meeting indicated that a study of place and ties to the land and water resources were important. Stories ranged from beliefs related to gods walking the land to Pu'uloa (Pearl Harbor area) being the bread basket of the Hawaiian civilization. Several individuals were identified for possible information interviews.

5.2 June 23, 2011

A second meeting to discuss the HRTP with the consulting parties was held in Honolulu on June 23, 2011. This meeting presented the research team and explained the goals and objectives of the proposed study of previously unidentified TCPs based upon the feedback received at the February meeting. It was also identified as an additional opportunity to provide feedback on sites or people to be further consulted. Approximately 76 parties were invited to this meeting via e-mail and written notification. Seven people attended.

At this meeting the team to conduct the study was introduced. It included the SRIF Foundation and a locally recognized ethnography firm, Kumu Pono and Associates. Based upon feedback it was determined that additional work would focus on the Native Hawaiians' sense of place through place names. The work would focus on collecting information from a variety of sources include Native Hawaiian texts, and would proceed by ahupua'a (Native Hawaiian land division).

It is important to note that both meetings had additional discussions related to the archaeological research on the protection of iwi kupuna (Native Hawaiian burials). There was interest in ensuring that archaeological work would be completed prior to construction beginning, so that these sites would be protected as appropriate. PA Stipulation III addresses this effort.

5.3 April 13, 2012

This was the quarterly Programmatic Meeting with Consulting Parties. At this particular meeting an update on the TCP study was provided as well as full disclosure of the finding of "no historic properties affected" for the Honouliuli ahupua'a. NHO's present were more interested in preserving stories than finding value for nominating properties to the National Register of Historic Places. Nearly 100 parties were invited and 17 (14 consulting parties and 3 individuals) attended.

5.4 May 4, 2012

At the May 4 meeting, most input focused on the importance of documenting and sharing these important stories. Although the locations were important, there was clear general consensus that most or all of the places no longer existed. The important point was to capture these stories, whether the places exist or not.

A few places not included in the SRIF and Kumo Pono reports were discussed in this meeting. First, SHPD representatives brought attention to two fishponds along the shore line in Waimalu and Kalauao. Specific families who had owned them

include Bernard Ho, Richard Lee and the Kahale-Kaluna family. SHPD provided additional information on these families' history in Pearl City in a follow-up email.

The pond in Kalauao appears related to properties surrounding the current Sumida Watercress Farm and relate to agricultural practices prior to the Sumida's ownership. The Sumida property is already recognized as an historic property, eligible partly for its long association with cultural practices of wetland agriculture (HHCTCP 2008:4-24). The pond in Waimalu also appears on historic maps, and is located just outside the APE for this study.

Second, additional areas in Honouliuli, such as Pu`u o Kapolei, Kānehili and Kaupe'a were discussed. Pu`u o Kapolei is outside the APE. The locations of Kānehili and Kaupe'a were discussed, which resulted in identifying that the site names were reversed on the report's map, and that their locations should be plotted further makai. The discussion highlighted the difficulty in plotting sites and in potentially conflicting information gathered when studying them. The proper naming has been added to the maps in this report. Moving Kānehili and Kaupe'a further makai moves them further from the HRTP.

Third, the importance of Pu'uloa was emphasized. This is the traditional name for what is now Pearl Harbor. The waters of Pu'uloa were protected by the shark goddess Ka'ahupāhau, her brother, Kahi'ukā, and the little shark god Ka-'ehu-iki-manō-o-Pu'uloa. The study addresses many wahi pana associated with Pu'uloa, but has considered the waters themselves outside of the APE.

The importance of several sites already described in the reports was stressed. One consulting party expressed a genealogical link to Ha'eana Heiau (#8), and Halaulani (#9). The importance of properly blessing areas such as Kaho'ai'ai before construction was emphasized.

During the meeting there was considerable discussion of these sites' current condition. The consensus from the consulting party group was that these sites "are not there anymore." This speaks to the issue of "integrity" as described in National Register Bulletin No. 15 (see above). While many of the sites are locally significant, few retain sufficient integrity to link the physical property to the story that meets National Register criteria. No one expressed any ongoing visitation or use of any of these sites, nor has the research and interview process identified information regarding continued use of any of these sites.

Only two comments were submitted at the end of the consulting party review period. One was provided to the Kako'o, who relayed it to HART. It identifies no additional resources for study or thoughts on effects. It expresses unease for the HRTP and discusses iwi kupuna and the HRTP's AIS work. The second was a communication between a consulting party and Kumu Pono regarding the articulation between sites of spiritual or ceremonial importance to Native Hawaiians and the federal Section 106 process, expressing a lack of interest in the federal process.

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Determination of Eligibility

The study documented 49 sites, including ahupua'a. Of these 49, 26 are wahi pana, or sacred and storied places. This includes the Leina a ka 'uhane as a single property, rather than its multiple constituent parts (see below), but excludes Po'ohilo as it was addressed in correspondence dating to April 20, 2012 (Attachment A). Another ten sites are inoa 'āina, or named places. Inoa 'āina are distinct from wahi pana in that they lack any story. Thirteen are ahupua'a, or traditional land divisions.

Each ahupua'a are plotted in Figure 1. Individual ahupua'a have not been considered as wahi pana or TCPs in this study for the reasons put forth in the Management Summary (SRIF and Kumu Pono 2012:42). The ahupua'a are considered parts of the land division system that lend context to individual wahi pana:

"Ahupua'a are generally land divisions that extend mauka to makai and contain within them different resource zones ranging from mountain forests to the coastal plain and the near shore ocean (see the discussion on the traditional resource management system, above). Within each zone, a variety of plant and animal life was traditionally collected for use by the Hawaiian people as indicated in many of the accounts provided above. The brilliance of the ahupua'a system is that all the resources needed to sustain life were available to the people who lived within each district. Resources were collected by the maka'āinana for sustenance and to provide tribute to the ali'i. The ali'i, in turn, distributed these as needed or offered them to the akua to ensure the continued flow of mana. The rhythm of life within each district was both a practical and spiritual matter expressed in the concept of aloha 'āina. To this day, Native Hawaiians use the resource zones within the ahupua'a for traditional purposes. We believe the ahupua'a are constituent parts of a broader Hawaiian cultural landscape within which are undoubtedly hundreds or even thousands of named places. It is within this context that the wahi pana identified in or near the HRTP are next discussed."

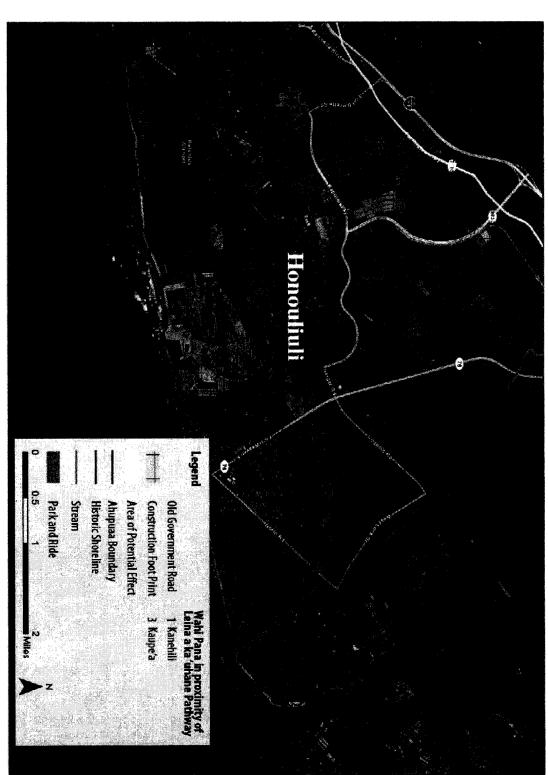
Note that in traditional times, the land area known as Pu'uloa was an 'ili of Honouliuli, and it was sold as a separate land during the time of the Māhele. Though it is included and listed separately in this study, Pu'uloa is not an ahupua'a.

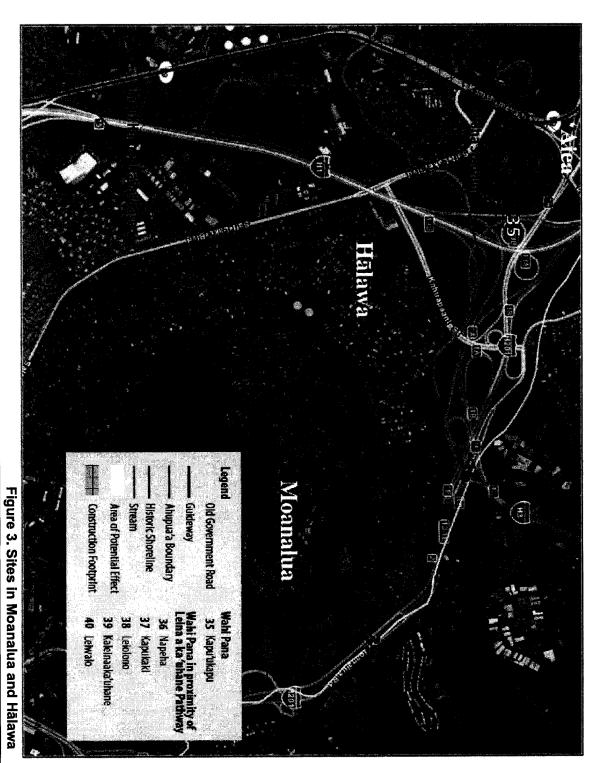
The study identified several wahi pana that are related to one another through the same story. This is the Leina a ka 'uhane, or Spirit Leaping Off Place (SRIF and Kumu Pono 2012:50-53). According to traditional Hawaiian beliefs, the leaping off place is where the souls of the dead leave this world to enter the next. "A breadfruit tree (Ulu-o-lei-walo) near the Leina a ka 'uhane is used by the soul for this purpose. To reach the next world, the soul, guided by its aumakua (a deified ancestor), must choose one of two branches resulting either decent to Po, the underworld, overseen by the akua Milu, or passage to the 'aumākua world (SRIF and Kumu Pono 2012:50)".

Page 17 May 25, 2012 The management summary considers the Leina a ka 'uhane as a single district of several wahi pana that crosses from Moanalua and Halawa ahupua'a to Honouliuli ahupua'a (Figures 2 and 3). Spirits would leap from the five wahi pana in Moanalua and Halawa. If not escorted by an aumakua, spirits would land and wander Kānehili and Kaupe'a on the 'ewa side. However, there are no stories associated with the area between the two sides of the Leina. More importantly, there is no tangilble element or property referent that binds the two areas together.

National Register Bulletin #38 clearly states "This Bulletin does not address cultural resources that are purely "intangible"—i.e. those that have no property referents—except by exclusion" and "the National Register is not the appropriate vehicle for recognizing cultural values that are purely intangible, nor is there legal authority to address them under 106 unless they are somehow related to a historic property (Parker and King 1998:3)" For these reasons it is best to consider the two sides of the Leina that do retain physical property referents as distinct sites. In this light, the wahi pana associated with the Leina are all outside of the HRTPs APE.

Seventeen wahi pana and 5 inoa 'āina are within the APE. After study and review, the FTA has determined that the inoa 'āina are not historic properties. Each inoa 'āina within the APE is discussed in detail below, but lacking any story, none of them provide a connection to historic people or events. There is no integral link between the story and place, and so no measure of integrity is applicable. Each site is discussed below with their name, site number corresponding to the maps in Attachments D and E in SRIF and Kumu Pono (2012), and the list of TMKs each site intersects.





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6.1 Kanupo'o (Site #7, inoa 'āina, TMK 94014058)

An 'ili (Land division). Bounded by a stream gulch marking the boundary with the 'ili of 'Ōhua and adjoining Auali'i. Cited in claims of the Mahele. The name may be translated as meaning, "Planted skull" and seems to imply an event of some importance. A tradition for this name has not been located, though it may be tied to events of the battle at Kipapa and the naming of Po'ohilo, at Honouliuli (SRIF and Kumu Pono 2012:48).

6.1.1 National Register Criteria

Kanupoʻo is an inoa ʻāina, or named place, but not a wahi pana (sacred and storied place). This distinction means that no story or oral tradition has been identified for this place. No consulting party has added any information that may add story. Thus the site is not associated with people or events important in history, is not associated with the work of a master etc. As inoa ʻāina, it is not likely to yield any information important to history or prehistory. For these reasons, it does not meet any National Register criteria.

6.1.2 Integrity

Since the site is not one that includes built environment, integrity of design, materials and workmanship do not apply. Because the site lacks any story of significance, integrity of setting, feeling and association likewise do not apply. The site has been completely developed through building subdivisions (Figure 4). Any surface manifestation of the site is completely obscured by this development.

6.1.3 Determination

Given this analysis Kanupo'o does not meet any National Register criteria, and does not retain association of condition or relationships. For this reason, FTA has determined that the site is not eligible for nomination to the NRHP. Therefore the site will not be analyzed for effect or mitigation.

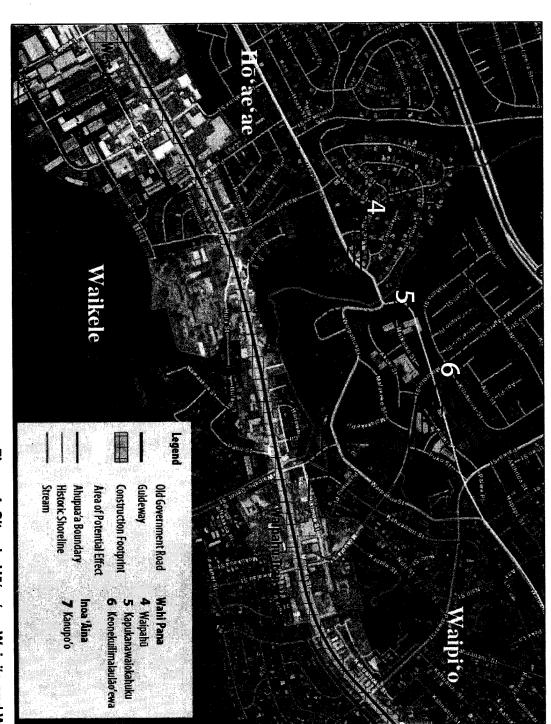


Figure 4. Sites in Hōʻaeʻae, Waipiʻo and Waikele

6.2 Hā'ena Heiau (Ahu'ena) (Site #8, a wahi pana, TMK 94008020)

A heiau situated at Hālaulani. Following his conquest of Oʻahu in the battle of Nuʻuanu (1795), Kamehameha I prepared to carry the battle to Kauaʻi. He declared a kapu on the heiau of Hāʻena to his god Kūkāʻilimoku (S.M. Kamakau, 1961:173). John Papa Ii, who was later granted title to Waipiʻo, and lived at Hālaulani, was the last person to care for the heiau and its gods (SRIF and Kumu Pono 2012:43).

6.2.1 National Register Criteria

Hā'ena Heiau (Figure 5) is associated with the historical figure Kamehameha I; the akua Kūkā'ilimoku and the with historical figure John Papa Ii. Because this heiau is associated with the lives of persons significant in our past, this site meets National Register criterion B. The site likely meets criterion A for its association with Kamehameha's kapu preparing for battle on Kaua'i. The original heiau would likely have met criteria C and D as well but there is no indication that it still exists with any physical integrity (see below).

6.2.2 Integrity

The site is plotted within a modern subdivision, and within Waipahu High School. There is no indication that the heiau still exists. Because no heiau exists, it does not retain integrity of materials, workmanship or design. Most of the sediments in this area are modern fill and so it is unlikely that the site would hold subsurface component. However if it is found to have a subsurface component, those remains would not retain integrity of design or workmanship. Moreover, the sites current condition compromises its integrity of setting, feeling and association. It retains integrity of location.

6.2.3 Determination

Given this analysis the FTA has determined that the current site is **not eligible** for nomination to the National Register. Although clearly an important place, the heiau does not retain sufficient integrity to qualify for NRHP eligibility.

6.3 Hālaulani (Site #9, a wahi pana, TMK 94008010, 94008020, 94008025)

An 'ili situated between the ponds of in the land of Hālaulani, the heiau called Ahu'ena or Hā'ena, which was used in the time of Kamehameha I, and last cared for by John Papa Ii, who was granted fee-simple interest in the land during the Māhele (SRIF and Kumu Pono 2012:43).

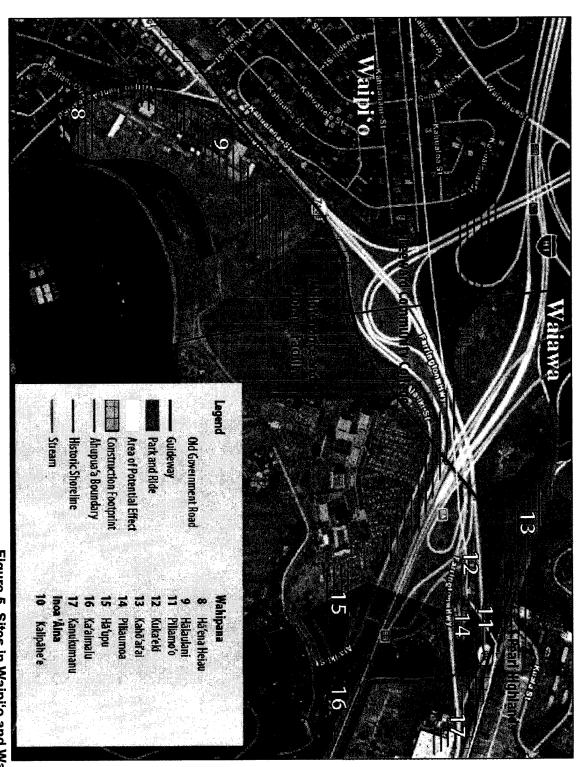


Figure 5. Sites in Waipi'o and Waiawa
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6.3.1 National Register Criteria

This site is an 'ili, or land division (Figure 5). The heiau within this area is discussed above. John Papa Ii is an important figure in Hawaiian history, and this area takes some significance from having held the Hā'ena heiau. Its association with John Papa Ii meets National Register criterion B. Aside from the heiau the site is not an architectural property, and so would not meet criterion C. AIS work in the area identified no cultural remains.

The site is unlikely to yield information important to history, and is therefore not eligible under criterion D.

6.3.2 Integrity

Aside from the heiau, the site does not include any built environment, and integrity of design, workmanship and materials does not apply. Given that the TCP mapping effort is accurate, the site does retain integrity of location. The site straddles modern subdivisions, roadways and Waipahu High School, elements that bear no association to the historic people and events it is associated with. Therefore it lacks integrity of association, feeling, and setting.

6.3.3 Determination

Given this analysis the FTA has determined that the current site is **not eligible** for nomination to the National Register. Although clearly an important place, the associated heiau does not retain sufficient integrity to qualify as a contributing element of this larger property.

6.4 Kalipāhe'e (Site #10, a wahi pana, TMK 96003043, 96003048, 96003049, 96004019)

The plain lands above Mohoa and the old Waiawa Protestant church. The old government road crossed over this kula. In historic times there was a horse racing track here which was last used in ca. 1898. Afterwards the sugar plantation cleared the area for planting cane (SRIF and Kumu Pono 2012:48).

6.4.1 National Register Criteria

Kalipāhe'e (Figure 5) is an inoa 'āina, or named place, but not a wahi pana (sacred and storied place). This distinction means that no story or oral tradition has been identified for this place. No consulting party has added any information that may add story. Thus the site is not associated with people or events important in history, is not associated with the work of a master etc. AIS work in the area encountered natural strata but no cultural remains. As inoa 'āina, it is not likely to yield any

information important to history or prehistory. For these reasons, it does not meet any National Register criteria.

6.4.2 Integrity

This site straddles many modern contexts, including residential subdivisions, Leeward Community College, freeway, highway and associated ramps. Since the site is not one that includes built environment, integrity of design, materials and workmanship do not apply. Because the site lacks any story of significance, integrity of setting, feeling and association likewise do not apply.

6.4.3 Determination

Given this analysis Kalipāhe'e does not meet any National Register criteria, and does not retain association of condition or relationships. For this reason, FTA has determined that the site is **not eligible** for nomination to the NRHP. Therefore the site will not be analyzed for effect or mitigation.

6.5 Piliamoʻo (Site #11, a wahi pana, TMK 96003014, 96003022, 96004006)

Piliamo'o was a supernatural woman who had both lizard and human forms. She met and fell in love with Kuka'eki, and together, they speared 'o'opu fish in Waiawa stream. Near the place named Kuka'eki, just on the edge of Mohoa, where the bridge crosses Waiawa gulch, Piliamo'o and Kuka'eki assumed stone forms. They were among the famous places pointed out by residents of the land (SRIF and Kumu Pono 2012:46).

6.5.1 National Register Criteria

The site Piliamo'o is associated with Piliamo'o and Kuka'eki, who fished here in Waiawa Stream. Figure 5 presents the site within the APE, and Figure 6 illustrates the site with the construction footprint. Both Piliamo'o and Kuka'eki are important to local history so the site meets NRHP criterion B. The site is not linked to any historic event, so it does not meet criterion A. Because the site does not include built environment, it does not meet criterion C. The site is not the kind of event that would lead to any physical (archaeological) record within the site. Moreover, AIS excavation in the Waiawa Stream and springs has indicated that the subsurface deposits are non-natural fill. When natural strata were encountered, they are alluvial deposits not more than ca. 50 years old (Hammatt 2010:356-402). Thus, it is unlikely the site has any potential for subsurface cultural deposits. Therefore, the site does not meet criterion D.