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Army Seeks Comment on Cultural Site Prioritization List

SCHOFIELD BARRACKS, Hawaii -The Department of the Army announced, today, the release of the recommended high priority cultural site list for unexploded ordnance clearance at Makua Military Reservation.

This list was drafted in response to public comments received during a 30-day comment period, Feb. 26 through March 28, which included a community meeting March 9. A second public meeting to take additional comments will be announced at a time and place to be determined.

Copies of the list are available at the Hawaii State Library, 478 South King Street, Honolulu; Waianae Public Library, 85-625 Farrington Highway, Waianae; and the Kapolei Public Library, 1020 Manawai Street, Kapolei.

The site list can also be accessed online for reading or download at:

<http://www.garrison.hawaii.army.mil/sitelistmmr/>

The Army's intent is to increase the number of sites available for cultural access and provide meaningful opportunities for the community to participate in identifying and prioritizing such sites.

Issuance of this list starts a 30-day comment period in which the public is invited to provide written responses. Public comments may be submitted on or before May 28, 2009, by e-mail to peter.yuh@us.army.mil, and by fax to (808) 656-1039.

The public may also submit comments via U.S. mail to: U.S. Army Garrison-Hawaii, Directorate of Public Works Environmental Division, Attn: Cultural Site List Comments, 947 Wright Avenue, Wheeler Army Airfield Schofield Barracks, HI 96857-5013

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