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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Jenny Yagodich	Testifying for Malama Pupukeya-Waimea	Support	No

Comments:

Aloha,

We support HB1023 HD1 SD1 to establish a nonresident recreational marine fishing license for two reasons:

1 - A nonresident recreational marine license and associated fees would provide a much-needed source of revenue to the State for marine fisheries management.

2 - Many of the visitors who take from our limited resources while they are here are not aware of the rules and regulations pertaining to fishing in Hawai'i. A permitting system, along with the education that comes with it, would help to alleviate this problem.

Our organization works in a no-take area (Pupukeya MLCD) and through our Makai Watch Program, we help to conduct educational interventions with violators in the area. Many we speak to are on vacation or military and had no idea about any rules or regulations. It is our hope that by requiring a permit for non-residents, they will get the education they need as part of the process.

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Klayton Kubo	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

In Support

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Ron Dellinger	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

I strongly support HB1023.