

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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Public Utilities Commission conducts public hearing on Hawaiian Electric's Roosevelt Avenue Reconductoring Project at Campbell Estate Industrial Park

HONOLULU – The Hawai'i Public Utilities Commission will host a public hearing Sept. 6 on the Campbell Estate Industrial Park-46 Roosevelt Avenue Reconductoring Project proposed by Hawaiian Electric Co., Inc (HECO).

HECO seeks the Commission's approval to commit approximately \$3,817,704 in funds for the construction and installation of the CEIP-46 Roosevelt Avenue Reconductoring Project. The project proposes to replace segments of the CEIP-46 46kV overhead circuit along Roosevelt Avenue and to reconfigure segments of the CEIP-46 46kV underground circuit within the CEIP substation.

The project will involve removing 20 wood poles and replacing them with two new steel poles and 19 wood poles. In addition, approximately 1.9 miles of 46 kV overhead conductors will be replaced with larger and heavier conductors, and four spans of the underground circuit within the CEIP substation will be reconfigured.

HECO says the project is needed because its existing sub-transmission 46kV circuit will lack sufficient transmission capacity to serve future projected loads under contingency conditions.

All are invited to attend and provide oral comments during the hearing. Written comments are also encouraged and should reference Docket No. 2023-0345. Written comments may be submitted online on the Commission's website, by email or mail.

Date: Friday, September 6

Time: 6 p.m.

Location: Kapolei High School Cafeteria, 91-5007 Kapolei Parkway, Kapolei

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