MoMISC Meeting Minutes

Date: Feb 11, 2013 (Monday)

Time: 1:00-3:00 pm

Place: TNC Molokai Office, 23 Pueo Place, Molokai Industrial Park

Recorder: Wailana Moses

I. Call to Order – Chair Wailana Moses

Introductions

II. Molokai Updates

- Target species Update Kamalani
 - o BBTV Kualapuu on 11/27: 6 juveniles, 6 seedlings treated.
 - o Rubbervine Kamalo on 12/10: 1 juvenile treated.
 - o Gooseberry Halawa on 12/4: 4 seedlings, 2 juveniles treated.
 - o NZ Flax Kaahanui C on 12/5: no detections.
 - o ATF Kalae on 12/11-12/12: no detections.
- Coqui/LFA surveys on Big Island shipments
 - o Conducted survey on 11/19 on 36 fruit trees, 2 coqui detected (1 juvenile, 1 mature)
 - o Coqui reported at Waialua individual bought plants from big island shipment.
 - o Will be doing extensive coqui surveys on East Molokai.
- Partner activities DoFAW forest surveys
 - Six DoFAW staff from Maui worked with MoMISC on ATF and Mules foot fern surveys 2/4-2/8 in Kalae and Puu Kauwa – No detections.

III. Maui Nui/Statewide Updates

- USFWS Briefing- Lori will attach data
- Legislative Briefing Lori will attach data
- New Managers, OISC-Julia Parrish and BIISC-Springer Kaye
- KNHPS
 - o No superintendent, will be looking to fill position.
 - Funded printing of an "Invasive Species" 2013 calendar highlighting some of MoMISC's targets.
- DoFAW Bringing back nursery technicians/specialist on Kauai, Oahu and Maui nui.
 Looking for sanitary protocols for nursery and outplanting projects.

IV. Old Business

- Kaunakakai Bo Tree Contract not complete. May look for another contractor to finish job.
- Long-thorn Kiawe removal Lori will schedule with MLT

IV. New Business, Committee Members Concerns or Other Activities:

- Jennifer Hawkins Reports small hive beetle is moving East by mile marker 3 and West now south of the airport.
- Chevy Levasa No recent surveys conducted for coconut weevil, phytopthera, red palm weevil and Japanese beetle due to no detections on past surveys.

- Mouflon reported on East Molokai Lori is following up.
- Hay bales being transported interisland is a concern.
- Vetiver grass still a concern Lori will follow up.

VI. Next Meeting Date: May 13, 2013 from 10 am – Noon, TNC Conference Room.

February 11, 2013 Attendance: MoMISC-Lori Buchanan, Kamalani Pali; **TNC**-Wailana Moses; **Molokai Land Trust**-Butch Haase; **DoFAW**-Lance DeSilva; **Molokai Dispatch**- Catherine Cluett; **UH Extension Service**-Jennifer Hawkins; **USDA PHSS Molokai Office**-Chevalier Levasa

Past Attendees: MoMISC-Lori Buchanan, Kamalani Pali, Justin Avelino; MISC-Teya Penniman; DOAR-Bill Puleloa, Cecile Walsh; USDA PHSS Molokai Office-Chevalier Levasa; Plant Material Center—Bob Joy, Glenn Sakamoto; NRCS—Wallace Jennings, Jessica Ludgate, Mike Brady, Mila Apisa (Samoa); Mycogen Biologist—Donald Maum; Monsanto—Ray Foster; DoFAW—Glenn Shishido, John Neizman, Rob Hauff; DLNR—Mindy Wilkinson; CGAPS—Christy Martin; USFWS—Karl Buermeyer, Jeff Herod; NPS—Guy Hughes (KALA), Steven Anderson (HALE) Jesse Rogers, Tavita Togia (Ecologist, Samoa); HDOA—Bob Yonahara (Maui), Danielle Downey/Jackie Robson (Bee Mite/Small Hive Beetle); UH Extension Service—Kali Arce, Alton Arakakai, Jennifer Hawkins; MLSWCD-Debbie Kelly, Charity Dudoit; Maui County—Ella Alcon (County Council Liaison), Kuhea Paracuelles; Contract Hunting—Joey Joao; DOT—Carl Brito (Molokai Airports); QLCC—Kathy Davis—; Puu O Hoku Ranch—Fred Richardson, Kathy Coelho, Kristian Coelho; Molokai Land Trust—Butch Haase, Clayton English; Wiliwili Hawaiian Plants—Bill Garnett; Kainalu Forest Stewardship—Stephanie Dunbar—Co; Molokai Dispatch—Catherine Cluett; Molokai Times—Carolyn Girard, Dayanti Karunaratne; MoPEP—Ane Bakutis; TNC—Ed Misaki, Russell Kallstrom, Wailana Moses