## HIOSH ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES

# **Committee Meeting**

August 17, 2023 1:01 PM to 1:43 PM

## **Department of Labor and Industrial Relations / TEAMS**

#### **Members Present:**

Frank Izuta (Work Comp Hawaii), Sharon Moscovic (City and County), Gareth Sakakida, Lily Chu (DHRD Safety), Joey Garza (Veterans of Safety), Jennifer Cynn (Local 5), Kevin Holu (Hawaii Teamsters), Malcolm Barcarse (Associated Builders and Contractors, Hawaii Chapter), Steve Litschauer (Kamehameha Schools), Robert Aquino(), Joseph O'Donnell (Local 625)

#### **DLIR Staff:**

Norman Ahu, Bronson Luis, David Rodriguez, Director's Office; Roxane Ishimaru, HIOSH (Recorder)

### Guests (Public):

Travis Gomez (Hawaii Electricians Training Fund), Mimi Sroat(Hawaii Electricians Training Fund), Terra Laverty (ASP), Sarah Payne (ASP)Kristy Kobayashi (Kids Chance Hawaii), Milia Leong (Kids Chance Hawaii),

Agenda	Discussion	Decision and/or Outcome
Call to Order	Welcome and Introduction Frank Izuta (Chair) welcomed members of the HIOSH Advisory Committee and took roll call.	
Kids Chance Hawaii Presentation	<ul> <li>Milia Leong made a brief presentation. The Kids         Chance of Hawaii foundation provides scholarships         to children that have been impacted by either a         fatality or catastrophic work injury.</li> </ul>	Milia Leong, President of Kids Chance of Hawaii
Minutes	<ul> <li>A motion was made to accept and approve the May 18, 2023, minutes.</li> </ul>	Motion passed to accept minutes.
Director's Comments	<ul> <li>Director on Maui in support of the Maui wildfire response effort.</li> <li>Unemployment Insurance expanded call center hours.</li> <li>Workforce Development allocated monies to get people back to work immediately.</li> <li>HIOSH providing technical assistance, PPE.</li> </ul>	David Rodriguez
Information from HIOSH to the HIOSH Advisory Committee	<ul> <li>HIOSH's staffing vacancies 10 77% inspection goal</li> <li>4 fatalities</li> <li>Outreach - radio ad promoting Safe &amp; Sound campaign &amp; recruitment</li> <li>Working with HIEMA, FEMA, OSHA in response to the Maui wildfire response effort</li> </ul>	Norman Ahu
New Business	No New Business	
Around the Table Comments	Joey Garza – PAC RIM October 2024	
Next Meeting	November 16, 1 PM	

Respectfully submitted,	Approved:	
Roxane Ishimaru  Department of Labor and Industrial Relations/HIOSH	Franklin Izuta, Chair	