HIOSH ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES

Committee Meeting

November 16, 2023 1:03 PM to 1:34 PM

Department of Labor and Industrial Relations / TEAMS

Members Present:

Steve Litschauer (Kamehameha Schools), Sharon Moscovic (City and County), Tristan Aldeguer (Hensel Phelps), Kevin Holu (Hawaii Teamsters), Lata Sua (HEMIC), Gareth Sakakida (HI Transportation Assoc), Jennifer Cynn (Local 5), Malcolm Barcarse (Associated Builders and Contractors), Robert Aquino (Hawaii Electricians Training Fund), Joseph O'Donnell (Local 625), Terra Laverty (ASP), Nathan Lutz (Nordic PCL), Travis Gomez (Hawaii Electricians Training Fund), Joseph O'Donnell (Iron Workers Union)

DLIR Staff:

Jade Butay(Director), William Kunstman (Deputy Director), Bronson Luis, Arthur Talaeai, Alan Yamamoto, Roxane Ishimaru (HIOSH Recorder)

Guests (Public):

Katie Benson (General Contractors Assoc of HI), Roger Forstner (OSHA)

Agenda	Discussion	Decision and/or Outcome
Call to Order	Welcome and Introduction Steve Litschauer (Vice-Chair) welcomed members of the HIOSH Advisory Committee and took roll call.	
Minutes	 A motion was made to accept and approve the August 17, 2023, minutes. 	Motion passed to accept minutes.
Director's Comments	 Primarily supporting the Maui wildfire response effort. Showcasing the success of the apprenticeship program. 	Jade Butay
Information from HIOSH to the HIOSH Advisory Committee	 HIOSH staffing vacancies – 11 84% FY23 grant year goal Five fatalities Assisted with Maui wildfire disaster recovery Federal OSHA grant approved HIOSH FY2024 grant pending Congress approval of Federal budget funding bill. 	Bronson Luis
Elect 2024 Vice Chair	 Lata Sua – Vice Chair 2024 Steve Litschauer – Chair 2024 	
New Business	 Tristan Aldeguer introduced Katie Benson from General Contractors Association of Hawaii for membership. May 6 – 10, 2024 National Safety Week, Tristan seeking support from the committee. October 29 – 30, 2024 Pac Rim at Ala Moana Hotel, Terra Laverty, seeking support from HIOSH 	

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Around the Table Comments	Happy Holidays	
Next Meeting	February 15, 2024, 1 PM via Teams.	

Respectfully submitted,	Approved:	
Roxane Ishimaru Department of Labor and Industrial Relations/HIOSH	Steve Litschauer, Vice-Chair HIOSH Advisory Committee	