

**WEST HAWAII FISHERY COUNCIL**  
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*MISSION STATEMENT OF THE WEST HAWAII FISHERY COUNCIL*

*“To effectively manage fishery activities to ensure sustainability; enhance nearshore resources; develop and implement management plans for minimizing resource depletion and conflicts of use; per legislative mandate to the Department of Land and Natural Resources to provide for substantive involvement of the community in resource management decisions; and encourage scientific research and monitoring of the nearshore resources and environment from Upolu Point to Ka Lae.”*

**DRAFT Agenda for Thursday, May 21, 2015**

Puka’ana Church Hall, Kealia, Hawaii

Presiding: Chad Wiggins

**Call to Order:** 6:30pm

Reading and Interpretation of WHFC Mission Statement

Reiteration by the Chair of the meeting protocols from WHFC Policies and Operational Guidelines and posted at meeting.

\*All questions from Council members must be recognized by the Chair

\*All questions/statements will be limited to topic oriented statements. Note that a short time has been added after each agenda item to discuss that item.

\*Proxies: Each person asking someone to represent them by proxy will have to notify the administrator before the meeting as to who is going to represent them.

There will be no call for proxies from the floor at the meeting.

Introductions of all attending

Approval of Agenda

Approval of Minutes

**New Business:**

- Chad Wiggins will do a short presentation to the group to familiarize everyone with the history and work done by the West Hawaii Fishery Council.
- The members of KUPA and the fishing communities of south Kona will be presenting their proposal for establishing a community-based subsistence fishing area (CBSFA).

**Announcements:**

Next meeting sites

**Adjourn at 8:30pm**