

'aha 2016

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
DAILY BULLETIN
February 18, 2016

MEDIA CONTACT
Adrian Kamali'i - (808) 330-3342
Amy Kalili – (808) 927-0343

NATIVE HAWAIIAN GOVERNANCE 'AHA BULLETIN

Our daily ho'oka'a'ike (communication) from the body of the 'Aha to our 'ohana and kaiāulu (community).

HONOLULU, Hawai'i — On February 17, 2016, 111 Native Hawaiians convened in Maunawili for day 13 of this historic convening with these items on the agenda:

9.00a	Wehena (Opening Pule/Oli) – Chair Brendon Kalei'aina Lee
9.05a	Mo'olelo Kōmike Ho'oka'a'ike (Communications Committee Report)
9.15a	Discussion regarding disciplinary action tabled until Feb 18 th
	Hali'a Aloha (Reflection of Aloha) for Louana Lyman Lambert – Bruce Lambert
10.45a	Recess to Hana Kōmike (Committee Work): Preamble; Rights; Executive Authorities; Legislative Authorities; Judicial Authorities; Independence Committees resumed their work
12.00p	Lunch
1.00p	Ho'omau Hana Kōmike (Continued Work in Committee)
3.00p	Break
3.15p	Ho'omau Hana Kōmike (Continued Work in Committee)
4:30p	Pau ka hana kōmike no ka lā (Committee work ended for the day)

Highlights of the day

After the wehena and before recessing for committee work, participant Bruce Lambert, who currently resides in Sweden, shared mana'o aloha for his mother Louann Lyman Lambert who passed away on February 16, 2016. During most of the day, the substantive committees continued in vigorous discussion. The Drafting Committee met briefly to talk further about structure for gathering and compiling concepts from the other committees, anticipating that these committees may be ready to bring forth initial submissions by February 18, 2016.

Public Access Information:

Access to 'Ōlelo Coverage: For the 'ohana and kaiāulu that are interested in following along, the plenary sessions are being broadcast on 'Ōlelo channels as well as livestreamed. They will also be available on demand within 48 hours of the event. For details, visit olelo.org.

On-line information: The public is also able to view daily bulletins and photos at aha2016.com

###

Please route all media inquiries to Adrian Kamali'i (808) 330-3342 or Amy Kalili (808) 927-0343.