

# How To Comment on the Environmental Impact Statement

## Helpful or Substantive Comments

- Identify specific concerns and impacts from the project
- Identify potential Alternatives that should be considered
- Identify references or information that should be considered in the environmental analysis

## Not Helpful or Non-Substantive Comments

- In favor or against the proposal without reasoning
- A vote
- Agree or disagree with previous approvals or decisions
- Doesn't pertain to the project or project area

*If your comment doesn't identify specific concerns, it likely isn't substantive.*

## How to Submit Comments

1. By email to [michele.lefebvre@stantec.com](mailto:michele.lefebvre@stantec.com) and [planning@hawaiicounty.gov](mailto:planning@hawaiicounty.gov) with "Puna Geothermal Repower Project EIS" in the subject line.
2. Fill out a comment form and mail it in or leave it with us tonight.
3. By regular mail to the following address:

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