



**BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY  
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**Board of Water Supply  
Rules Committee**

Minutes of October 7, 2004 Meeting

Held at the Kahului Shopping Center  
65 West Kaahumanu Avenue, Unit 29  
Kahului, Maui, Hawaii.

Present: Sally Raisbeck, Ralph Johansen, Kenneth Okamura  
Absent: Michele McLean (alternate), Michael Victorino (alternate)

One member of the public present: Hugh Starr

CALL TO ORDER by Sally Raisbeck at 3:02 pm. The meeting was audiotaped.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES. September 2, 2004.

**PUBLIC TESTIMONY:**

Hugh Starr testified that the Water System Development Fee allocation is only for Source, Storage, and Transmission, with nothing for Distribution. This is unfair to the public. Fire protection and distribution lines are the hardest struggle, the Board should discuss this. Developers can pay for the additional fire protection and distribution lines needed, but something needs to be done for family subdivisions, single homes and ohanas. We need a revenue source for distribution costs, so individuals are not faced with costs too great for them to pay. Discussion about difference between Fire Department and Water Department requirements on fire protection.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

**Continue review of Board functions in present Department Rules. Discussion. Focus on Chapter 106, Water Meter Issuance Rule for Upcountry Water System.**