

**RES23-033
Testimony**

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Meeting Date: May 15, 2023 @ 10:00 AM

Support: 0

Oppose: 3

I wish to comment: 0

Name: Caro Wills	Email: overtaxed808@gmail.com	Zip: 96782
Representing: Self	Position: Oppose	Submitted: May 12, 2023 @ 12:20 PM
<p>Testimony:</p> <p>I oppose Residential property tax rate hikes for the local's that live and work here. Reduce residential rates for the kama'aina's. It's hard enough surviving day to day, month to month and it gets harder annually when escrow is short due to property tax rate increases.</p>		
Name: Elena Jones	Email: elenaj1966@outlook.com	Zip: 96782
Representing: Self	Position: Oppose	Submitted: May 15, 2023 @ 12:22 AM
<p>Testimony:</p> <p>Property taxes are too high. There have been no improvements made to the home. It has the same shag carpeting from the '70s. How can the value of my childhood home be assessed to be worth close to a million dollars? The city is bleeding the taxpayers dry and the public is helpless to do anything about it.</p>		
Name: Dana Goodman	Email: dags819@yahoo.com	Zip: 96825
Representing: Self	Position: Oppose	Submitted: May 15, 2023 @ 03:18 AM
<p>Testimony:</p> <p>In voting on monetary matters, please be mindful and wise. People are struggling in this economy, especially seniors and those with large families. Ease up on the overtaxing!</p> <p>You knew what your salary was when you ran for office, so work within those parameters, please. Be charitable toward others with less means than you.</p>		