Ka Papahana G.R.O.W. (Green Recycling Organic Waste – Hoʻopōaiapuni ʻia Nā ʻŌpala ʻĀina)

Ke Kūlanakauhale a me ke Kalana o Honolulu
Ka ʻOihana Lawelawe Kaiāpuni

Nā Loli ʻAna i ka Papahana ʻOhi ʻŌpala ma nā Hale no nā Pahu Hoʻopulu ʻŌmaʻomaʻo: Nā ʻŌpala Meaʻai a me nā Mea Hoʻopulu i Hana ʻia (Manufactured Compostable Materials - MCM)

He Mau Nīnau Pinepine a me Kekahi Mau Pane

Kipa i kā mākou pūnaewele!

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Hōʻuluʻulu Manaʻo

Ke hoʻomaka nei ko Kūlanakauhale a me ke Kalana o Honolulu (ke Kūlanakauhale) ka ʻOihana Lawelawe Kaiapuni (Department of Environmental Services - ENV) i ka papahana G.R.O.W. (Green Recycling Organic Waste - Hoʻopōaiapuni ʻia Nā ʻŌpala ʻĀina), a koho nō kekahi mau hale ʻohana e hoʻopulu ana i nā koena meaʻai a me nā ʻōpala meaʻai ma o ko lākou lawelawe ʻohi ʻōpala ʻakomi no ka pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo. Ma hope aku, e komo pū ana i nā mea hoʻopulu i hana ʻia (ʻo ia hoʻi nā huahana i kapa ʻia he Compostable a i ʻole Biodegradable).

Ke hoʻomaka nei ke Kūlanakauhale i kēia papahana hou no nā kamaʻāina o Waipahu, Nānākuli, Hawaiʻi Kai, Mililani, Kailua, Kalihi, a me nā wahi kokoke no nā kamaʻāina e loaʻa nei ka lawelawe ʻohi ʻōpala ʻakomi ma ke alanui. Hiki iā lākou ke hoʻohui i nā koena meaʻai a me nā ʻōpala meaʻai i loko o kā lākou pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo ma ka lā 1 o ʻApelila, 2026. I ka wā e hiki mai ana, e hoʻonui ʻia aku kēia papahana ma ka mokupuni holoʻokoʻa.

Kōkua kēia hana i ka pahuhopu o ke Kūlanakauhale e hoʻokaʻawale ana he 95% ʻōpala mai ke kahua waiho ʻōpala a hiki i ka makahiki 2030. He ʻōpala meaʻai ma kahi o 20% o ka ʻōpala holoʻokoʻa ma ʻOʻahu, ma kahi o 160,000 kana o ka ʻōpala meaʻai i kēlā me kēia makahiki, a ma kahi o 60,000 kana o ka huina o ka ʻōpala mai nā hale noho mai. Ke waiho ʻia ka meaʻai ma ke kahua waiho ʻōpala, hana ʻia ka mēkene, he kinoea ʻino loa e hoʻopilikia ana i ke kaiapuni. Ke hoʻopulu kākou i nā koena meaʻai a me ka ʻōpala meaʻai, ā laila hoʻēmi ʻia ka wahi o ke kahua waiho ʻōpala, hoʻēmi ʻia ka hoʻokuʻu ʻana o ke kinoea mēkene, a hoʻolilo ʻia ka meaʻai i ka pulu momona no nā māla a me ka mahiʻai.

Mālama ʻāina ma koʻu hale. E kau i nā koena meaʻai a me nā ʻōpala meaʻai i loko o kāu pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo, ā laila kōkua ʻoe i ka hoʻēmi ʻana i ka ʻōpala ma ke kahua waiho ʻōpala, i ka hoʻokuʻu ʻana i ke kinoea, i ka hoʻōla hou ʻana i ka lepo, a i ka mālama ʻana i ka mokupuni no nā hanauna e hiki mai ana.

Ka Papahana G.R.O.W. – Ka Hoʻohui ʻia ʻana o nā Koena Meaʻai a me ka ʻŌpala Meaʻai i loko o ka Pahu Hoʻopulu ʻŌmaʻomaʻo

Nīnau: He aha nā loli no ka papahana ʻohi ʻōpala ma ke alanui ma Oʻahu?

Pane: E hiki ana i nā kamaʻāina i koho ʻia no ka papahana hou (G.R.O.W) ke hoʻopulu i nā koena meaʻai a me nā ʻōpala meaʻai i kā lākou pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo ma ke alanui no ka hoʻomaka ʻana ma ka lā 1 o ʻApelila, 2026. Ke hoʻomaka ka papahana hou , e hiki ana i nā kamaʻāina ke kau i nā koena meaʻai a me ka ʻōpala meaʻai ʻai i loko o kā lākou pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo, me nā ʻōpala lau nahele, no ka lawelawe ʻohi maʻamau, i kēlā me kēia ʻelua pule.

Inā noho nā kamaʻāina ma kēia mau wahi, hiki ke komo i ka papahana hou:

- Waipahu
- Nānākuli
- Hawaiʻi Kai
- Mililani
- Kailua
- Kalihi

Inā aia kou ʻohana ma kekahi o kēia mau wahi, ua loaʻa iā ʻoe kekahi leka i ka mahina o Pepeluali a i ʻole Malaki 2026 me ka nū hou e pili ana i kēia papahana.

I kēia manawa, **ʻaʻole** e ʻāpono ʻia nā mea hoʻopulu i hana ʻia (Manufactured Compostable Materials) (e like me nā pūʻolo a me nā ipu i kapa ʻia he "Compostable" a i ʻole "Biodegradable") i loko o nā pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo. I ka wā e hiki mai ana, e hoʻolaha aku ana ke Kūlanakauhale i ka wā e ʻāpono ʻia ai kēia mau mea i loko o nā pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo.

E hoʻomau ana ka lawelawe ʻohi ʻakomi no nā ʻōpala maʻamau, nā mea hoʻopōʻaiapuni, a me nā ʻōpala lau nehele no nā kamaʻāina a pau. Hiki iā ʻoe ke nānā i kāu papa kuhikuhi ʻohi **maʻaneʻi**. E hoʻolaha aku ana ke Kūlanakauhale i ka wā e hiki ai i nā kamaʻāina a pau ma ka mokupuni ke hoʻokomo i nā koena meaʻai a me kaʻōpala meaʻai i loko o kā lākou pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo.

Nīnau: Pehea e hana ai ka ʻohi ʻana i nā koena meaʻai a me nā ʻōpala meaʻai?

Pane: E nānā i nā pepa kōkua a me nā palapala no ka ʻike hou aku ma ka pūnaewele: https://honolulu.gov/env/grow. Hiki i nā kamaʻāina o ka papahana hou ke kiʻi manuahi i kekahi ipu hōʻiliʻili lumi kuki a i ʻole nā ʻeke ʻea e hoʻohana hou ʻia mai nā hālāwai ENV e kūkākūkā ana i ka papahana, a i ʻole mai ke keʻena ENV. Inā ʻaʻole hiki iā ʻoe ke hele i kekahi hālāwai, e kāhea i ka Māhele Hoʻopōʻaiapuni (Recycling Branch) o ke Kūlanakauhale ma ke kelepono o (808) 768-3200 a i ʻole ma ka leka uila o opala@honolulu.gov i mea e lawe ai i kahi ipu lumi kuke, ke ʻoluʻolu. ʻAʻohe uku hou no ka ipu hōʻiliʻili lumi kuke a i ʻole nā ʻeke ʻea e hoʻohana hou ʻia.

Nīnau: No ke aha e hoʻohui ʻia ai nā koena meaʻai a me nā ʻōpala meaʻai i loko o nā pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo?

Pane: E hoʻohui ʻia ana i nā koena meaʻai i mea e kōkua nui ana ke Kūlanakauhale e hoʻokō aku i ka pahuhopu o ka hoʻokaʻawale ʻōpala he 95% mai ke kahua waiho ʻōpala, a hiki i ka makahiki 2030, e like me kaʻo ma *2019 Integrated Solid Waste Management Plan Update o ke Kūlanakauhale a me ke Kalana o Honolulu*. ʻO nā mea ʻāina (organics) he 36% o ka ʻōpala

holoʻokoʻa ma Oʻahu, a he 20% o kēia mau mea ka ʻōpala meaʻai. Ma ke kaupaona, hoʻohua ʻo Oʻahu ma kahi o 160,000 kana o ka ʻōpala meaʻai i kēlā me kēia makahiki, a he 60,000 kana mai nā hale noho mai nō kēlā.

E hoʻohui ʻia ʻana i nā koena meaʻai a me ka ʻōpala meaʻai i loko o nā pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo ma nā hale noho, i mea e kōkua ana ke Kūlanakauhale i ka hoʻēmi ʻana i ka nui o ka meaʻai ma ke kahua waiho ʻōpala, e mālama ana i ka wahi o ke kahua wahi ʻōpala, a e hoʻēmi ana i ka hoʻokuʻu ʻia ʻana o nā kinoea mēkene mai ka meaʻai ʻinoʻino. E hoʻololi ʻia nā koena meaʻai a me ka ʻōpala meaʻai, me ka ʻōpala lau nahele hoʻi, i ke kīpulu momona e kōkua ana i ka ulu ʻana o nā lāʻau, i ka pale ʻana i ka ʻaʻai ʻana o ka lepo, i ka mālama ʻana i ka wai, a me ka pale ʻana i nā maʻi lāʻau a me nā nāhelehele.

Ua hoʻokumu ʻo CCH Bill 47 Ordinance 23-30 i kekahi koi no ENV e ʻohi ana i nā koena meaʻai a me ka ʻōpala meaʻai i ka papahana hōʻiliʻili alanui no nā mea hoʻopōʻaiapuni no ka mokupuni ma mua o ʻApelila 1, 2025. Ua hoʻoloa ʻo CCH Bill 28, Ordinance 25-24 i kēia kau palena a hiki i ʻApelila 1, 2026.

Nīnau: Pono anei au e komo i kēia papahana hou?

Pane: He papahana makemake iho kēia. Eia naʻe, paipai ʻia nā kamaʻāina a pau e komo pū.

Nīnau: No ke aha e pono ai au e komo i kēia papahana hou?

Pane: ʻO *Mālama ʻĀina* he waiwai Hawaiʻi e pili ana i ka mālama ʻana i ka ʻāina a me nā kānaka e noho pū ana. Hiki iā kākou a pau ke hana i ko kākou kuleana no ka mālama ʻana i ke kaiapuni a me ke kaiāulu. E hoʻohui i nā koena meaʻai a me ka ʻōpala meaʻai i loko o ka pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo i mea e kōkua ai i ka ʻāina, e hoʻēmi ai i ka ʻōpala ma ke kahua waiho ʻōpala, e hoʻēmi ai i nā kinoea mēkene, a me e hana ai i ke kīpulu momona no ka ulu ʻana o nā mea kanu. Inā komo ʻoe i kēia papahana hou, kōkua pū ʻoe i ke Kūlanakauhale e hoʻokō i ka pahuhopu o ka hoʻokaʻawale ʻana o ka ʻōpala he 95% mai ke kahua waiho ʻōpala a hiki i ka makahiki 2030.

Nīnau: E loli anei ka ʻohi ʻōpala (pahu ʻāhinahina) a me ka ʻohi mea hoʻopōʻaiapuni huikau (pahu polū)?

Pane: ʻAʻole. E noho like nō ka lawelawe ʻohi ʻōpala a me ka lawelawe ʻohi mea hoʻopōʻaiapuni huikau e like me ka mea ma mua.

Nīnau: E loli anei kaʻu papa kuhikuhi ʻohi?

Pane: ʻAʻole. E noho mau ana kāu papa kuhikuhi ʻohi e like nō me ka mea ma mua. Hiki iā ʻoe ke nānā i kāu papa kuhikuhi ʻohi maʻaneʻi.

Nīnau: Hiki anei iaʻu ke lawe ponoʻī aku i nā koena meaʻai, ka ʻōpala meaʻai, a me ka ʻōpala lau nehele?

Pane: ʻAe. Hiki i nā kamaʻāina a pau ke lawe ponoʻī aku i nā koena meaʻai, ka ʻōpala meaʻai, a me ka ʻōpala lau nahele, me ka uku ʻole, i ke kahua hoʻopulu ʻo Hawaiian Earth Recycling ma Wahiawā, ma 65-1101 Wilikina Drive, Wahiawā. E ʻae ana ke kahua hoʻopulu he ʻelua ahu wale nō i kēlā me kēia lā. E nānā i ka pūnaewele o Hawaiian Earth Recycling maʻaneʻi no nā hola hana. ʻAʻole e ʻae ʻia nā koena meaʻai a me ka ʻōpala meaʻai ma nā City Transfer Stations a me nā Refuse Convenience Centers. Eia nō naʻe, hiki nō ke hoʻolei i ka ʻōpala lau nahele i loko o nā

pahu kūikawā a i ʻole nā wahi kūikawā ma ia mau kahua (City Transfer Stations a me Refuse Convenience Centers).

Ka ʻOhi ʻana i nā Koena Meaʻai a me ka ʻŌpala Meaʻai

Nīnau: He aha nā koena meaʻai a me ka ʻōpala meaʻai ʻai e hiki ke hoʻokomo ʻia i loko o ka pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo?

Pane: E hiki ke hoʻokomo ʻia kēia mau koena meaʻai a me nā ʻōpala meaʻai i loko o ka pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo:

- Nā huaʻai
- Nā mea kanu
- Nā huahana waiū: nā mea paʻa a me nā mea mākū ma ke mehana lumi (e like me ka waiūpaʻa a me ka waiūtepe)
- Ka palaoa a me nā mea i kālua ʻia
- Nā nulu, ka laiki, nā hua palaoa, a me ka siriala
- Nā pī, nā kukui haole, a me nā hua liʻiliʻi
- Ka ʻiʻo, nā meaʻai kai, ka moa, a me nā iwi (e laʻa me nā iwi iʻa a me nā iwi moa)
- Nā iwi hua moa, nā ʻili kukui haole, a me nā ʻili meaʻai kai
- Nā koena ʻai a me ka meaʻai popopo
- Nā koena papa ʻaina a me nā koena pā ʻai
- Nā koena oka kope a me nā lau tī

He mea kēia i ka ʻōpala ʻāina i hōʻiliʻili ʻia nei ma kāu pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo:

- Nā ʻoki mauʻu
- Nā lau
- Nā lālā lāʻau
- Nā koena ʻoki pā lāʻau
- Nā lau niu
- Nā kumu lāʻau Kalikimaka kūlohelohe

Nīnau: He aha nā mea e hiki ʻole ke hoʻokomo ʻia i loko o ka pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo?

Pane: ʻAʻole hiki ke hoʻokomo ʻia kēia mau mea i loko o ka pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo:

- Nā wai
- Nā pepa a me nā huahana pepa
- Nā mea ʻea
- Nā mekala
- Nā mea aniani
- Nā momona, nā ʻaila, a me nā ʻaila paʻa (fats, oils, and greases - FOG)
- Nā mea hoʻopulu i hana ʻia (Manufactured Compostable Materials – MCM): nā huahana i kapa ʻia he Compostable a me Biodegradable
- Nā kūkae holoholona
- Nā kīʻaha kope
- Nā ipu meaʻai a me nā pahu pai pika

- Nā wahī meaʻai ʻāwīwī
- Nā ʻumoki, nā laholio hoʻopaʻa, nā pepili meaʻai, a me nā uea wili
- Ka lepo, nā pōhaku, nā winihapa, a me nā ipu kanu

Nīnau: Pehea nā pūʻolo, nā ipu, a me nā huahana ʻē aʻe i kapa ʻia he "Compostable" a i ʻole "Biodegradable"? Hiki anei iaʻu ke hoʻokomo iā lākou i loko o ka pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo?

Pane: ʻAʻole. ʻOiai paha e kapa ʻia ai kekahi huahana he "Compostable" a i ʻole "Biodegradable," mai hoʻokomo ia mea i loko o kāu pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo. ʻAʻole hiki i ko Kūlanakauhale kahua hoʻopulu ke wāwahi i nā huahana hoʻopulu i hana ʻia (Manufactured Compostable Materials) i kēia manawa. Eia naʻe, ke hana nei ke Kūlanakauhale i kēia manawa no ka ʻae ʻana i kēia mau mea i ka wā e hiki mai ana.

Nīnau: Pehea e mālama ai i nā koena meaʻai a me ka ʻōpala meaʻai ma mua o ka lā ʻohi?

Pane: E mālama i nā koena meaʻai a me ka ʻōpala meaʻai i loko o ka hale a hiki i ka lā ʻohi. E hoʻohana i kahi ipu lumi kuke paʻa, e like me kekahi ipu hōʻiliʻili lumi kuke, kekahi ʻeke ʻea e hoʻohana hou ʻia, a i ʻole kekahi ipu e hoʻohana hou ʻia, e like me ka pahu waiūtepe. Paipai ʻia ka hoʻopaʻahau ʻana o nā koena meaʻai a hiki i ka lā ʻohi. I ka wā e hoʻolei ai, e kiloi pololei i nā mea i loko (nā koena meaʻai a me ka ʻōpala meaʻai wale nō) mai kāu ipu a i ʻole ʻeke i loko o ka pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo. Mai hoʻokomo i nā ʻeke ʻea a i ʻole nā ipu ʻea i loko o ka pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo, no ka mea, ʻino loa ka ʻea no ke kīpulu.

E ʻoluʻolu a e hoʻomaopopo: hiki i ka ʻōpala meaʻai (post-consumer food waste) ke hoʻopilau a me ke hoʻokumu hoʻi i nā pilikia o nā pōnalonalo, no laila, paipai nui ʻia ka hoʻopaʻahau ʻana.

Nīnau: E lawe aku anei au i kekahi mau meaʻai popopo mai kaʻu ipu mekala/aniani/ʻea ma mua o ka hoʻokomo ʻana i ia mea popopo i loko o kaʻu ipu lumi kuke, kaʻu ʻeke ʻea e hoʻohana hou ʻia, a i ʻole kaʻu pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo?

Pane: ʻAe. E hoʻokomo i nā koena meaʻai a me ka ʻōpala meaʻai WALE NŌ i loko o ka ipu lumi kuke, ka ʻeke ʻea e hoʻohana hou ʻia, a i ʻole ka pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo.

Nīnau: Hiki anei iaʻu ke hoʻohana i nā ʻeke a i ʻole nā ʻeke ʻea "compostable" no ka hōʻiliʻili ʻana i nā koena meaʻai, a laila e hoʻokomo ia mea ʻea i loko o ka pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo?

Pane: ʻAʻole. **ʻAʻole hiki ke hoʻokomo ʻia nā ʻeke ʻea a me nā ʻeke ʻea "compostable"** (e like me nā ʻeke i hōʻoia ʻia e "BPI" he "Compostable" a me "Biodegradable") i loko o ka pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo. Pono e kau pololei ʻia nā koena meaʻai a me ka ʻōpala meaʻai i loko o ka pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo, me ka ʻole o nā ʻeke.

Nīnau: Pehea e hoʻēmi ai i ka pilau, nā haipilikia, a me nā mea ʻino ʻē aʻe?

Pane: Hiki ke hoʻēmi ʻia ka pilau a me nā haipilikia ma kēia mau ʻano penei:

Nā Ipu Lumi Kuke

- E kāpī i ka pauka koka me nā koena meaʻai a me ka ʻōpala meaʻai i mea e hoʻēmi ai i ka pilau.
- E pani paʻa mau nā ipu lumi kuke i nā manawa a pau.

- E hoʻopaʻahau i nā koena meaʻai a me ka ʻōpala meaʻai. E hoʻokaʻawale i wahi i loko o ka pahu paʻahau no ka mālama ʻana i nā ipu, a e kiloi i nā meaʻai i loko o kāu ipu i ka pō ma mua a i ʻole i ke kakahiaka o ka lā ʻohi.*
- Ma hope o ke kiloi ʻana i nā koena meaʻai, e holoi a e hoʻomaloʻo i nā ipu lumi kuke a me nā ʻeke.

Nā Pahu Hoʻopulu ʻŌmaʻomaʻo

- E waiho i kāu pahu ma waho i kēlā me kēia ʻelua pule i ka lā ʻohi.
- E kāpī i ka pauka koka i loko o ka pahu i mea e hoʻēmi ai i ka pilau.
- E hoʻopapa i nā papa o ka ʻōpala lau nahele a me nā koena meaʻai, a e hoʻomaka ana me ka ʻōpala lau nahele ma lalo o ka pahu i mea e omo ai i nā wai koe.
- E mālama i ka pahu ma kahi malu.
- E pani paʻa pono nā poʻi o ka ipu a e pani mau i ka poʻi i nā manawa a pau.

*E ʻoluʻolu a e hoʻomaopopo: hiki i ka ʻōpala meaʻai (post-consumer food waste) ke hoʻopilau a me ke hoʻokumu hoʻi i nā pilikia o nā pōnalonalo, no laila, paipai nui ʻia ka hoʻopaʻahau ʻana.

Nīnau: E hāʻawi anei ke Kūlanakauhale i nā mea hana a i ʻole nā lako e kōkua mai iaʻu?

Pane: ʻAe! Hiki i nā kamaʻāina ke loaʻa manuahi kekahi ipu lumi kuke a i ʻole ʻeke ʻea e hoʻohana hou ʻia no ka hōʻiliʻili ʻana ma nā hālāwai ʻike o ENV, a i ʻole ma ke keʻena o ENV, me ka uku ʻole no nā kamaʻāina e komo i ka papahana. Inā ʻaʻole hiki iā ʻoe ke hele i kekahi hālāwai e hiki mai ana, e ʻoluʻolu e kāhea i ka Māhele Hoʻopōʻaiapuni (Recycling Branch) o ke Kūlanakauhale ma ke kelepono (808)768-3200 a i ʻole ma ka leka uila opala@honolulu.gov i ka lawe ʻana i kahi ipu lumi kuke. Aia pū kekahi mau pepa a me nā palapala kōkua no ʻoe. No ka ʻike hou aku, e kipa aku i ka pūnaewele G.R.O.W.: https://www.honolulu.gov/env/grow/.

Nīnau: Inā hoʻopulu au ma koʻu pā hale, he aha kaʻu e hana ai?

Pane: E hoʻomau i ka hoʻopulu ʻana ma kou pā hale! Hoʻololi ka pā hale hoʻopulu ʻana i nā koena māla a me nā koena meaʻai, e like me nā ʻoki huaʻai a me nā mea kanu, i ke kīpulu momona no kou māla. Me kēia papahana hou, hiki nō iā ʻoe ke kau i nā mea i kūpono ʻole no ka hoʻopulu ʻana ma kou pā hale—e like me ka ʻiʻo, nā iwi, nā huahana waiū, a me nā hua palaoa—i loko o kāu pahu hoʻopulu ʻōmaʻomaʻo.

Nīnau: Hiki anei iaʻu ke hoʻohana i ke kinika ʻōpala nau no nā koena meaʻai a me ka ʻōpala meaʻai?

Pane: Mai hoʻohana i ke kinika ʻōpala naui no nā koena meaʻai a me ka ʻōpala meaʻai . Ma kahi o ia mea, e hoʻopulu i nā koena meaʻai! ʻAʻole i hoʻohana ʻia nā kinika ʻōpala nau no ka lawe ʻana i ka meaʻai he nui, a hiki ke kumu i nā pilikia ma kou hale a me ka ʻauwai lawe mea ʻino o ke Kūlanakauhale. Ke hoʻouna ʻia nā ʻāpana paʻa o ka meaʻai i loko o ka ʻōnaehana ʻauwai lawe mea ʻino, hōʻino ʻia ka ʻōnaehana, a pono e lawe ʻia aku ia mau mea ma hope. ʻO nā momona, nā ʻaila, a me na ʻaila paʻa (fats, oils, and greases - FOG) nā mea ʻino loa no ka ʻōnaehana ʻauwai o ke Kūlanakauhale, a pono e hoʻolei ʻia i loko o kāu pahu ʻōpala ʻāhinahina. No ka hoʻolei pono ʻana i ka FOG, e hoʻokomo i kahi mea omo wai, e like me ka pepa wāwahi ʻia, i loko o kahi ʻeke

‘ea, e ninini i ka FOG i loko, e pani pa‘a i ka ‘eke, a e waiho i ka ‘eke i loko o kahi pahu pepa manoanoa; a laila e pani i ka pahu a e waiho i loko o ka pahu ‘ōpala ‘āhinahina.

Nū Hou Laulaha

Nīnau: He aha ka hopena o nā koena mea‘ai a me ka ‘ōpala mea‘ai i hō‘ili‘ili ‘ia no ke ho‘opulu ‘ana?

Pane: Ho‘ouna ‘ia nā koena mea‘ai a me ka ‘ōpala mea‘ai i ke kahua ho‘opulu ‘o Hawaiian Earth Recycling ma 65-1101 Wilikina Drive, Wahiawā. He kahua ho‘opulu ‘oihana kēia e ho‘ohana ana i nā hana kūikawā no ka wāwahi ‘ana i nā mea ‘āina. ‘O ka ‘ōpala mea‘ai, e like me nā huahana waiū, ka ‘i‘o, nā iwi hua moa, nā koena mea‘ai, nā mea‘ai popopo, nā koena papa ‘aina, a me nā koena pā ‘ai, kēia mau mea e ho‘ohana ‘ia ana i nā ‘ano hana kūikawā no ka manawa a me ka wela, a ho‘ā‘o ‘ia kēia mau mea no nā mea mūhene ‘ino ma ke kahua ho‘opulu. Kū‘ai ‘ia aku ka pulu mai Hawaiian Earth Recycling mai i nā kanaka ho‘oulu ho‘onani ‘āina, nā kama‘āina, a me nā kanaka mahi‘ai ‘ē a‘e. No ka ‘ike hou aku, e kipa aku i kā lākou pūnaewele: https://hawaiianearth.com/.

Nīnau: E loa‘a anei ka pulu i nā kama‘āina?

Pane: Hiki iā ‘oe ke kū‘ai i ka pulu mai Hawaiian Earth Recycling. E ‘olu‘olu e nānā i kā lākou pūnaewele no ka ‘ike hou aku ma‘ane‘i.

Nīnau: E komo anei au i kēia papahana hou inā noho au i loko o kekahi hale papa‘i?

Pane: I kēia manawa, ‘a‘ole i komo nā hale papa‘i i kēia papahana hou.

Nīnau: Inā noho au i loko o kekahi hale papa‘i, hiki anei ia‘u ke lawe pono‘ī aku i ka ‘ōpala mea‘ai i Hawaiian Earth Recycling?

Pane: ‘Ae. Hiki i nā kama‘āina o nā hale papa‘i ma ka mokupuni holo‘oko‘a ke lawe pono‘ī aku i ka ‘ōpala lau nahele, nā koena mea‘ai, a me ka ‘ōpala mea‘ai, me ka uku ‘ole, i Hawaiian Earth Recycling ma Wahiawā.

Nīnau: E loa‘a anei kekahi uku hou no kēia papahana hou?

Pane: ‘A‘ole. ‘A‘ohe uku hou e pili ana i ka ho‘okomo ‘ana i nā koena mea‘ai a me ka ‘ōpala mea‘ai i loko o kāu pahu ho‘opulu ‘ōma‘oma‘o.

Nīnau: E ho‘onui anei kēia papahana hou i ka‘u ‘auhau (taxes)?

Pane: ‘A‘ole. Ho‘opili ‘ia kēia papahana hou i loko o ka mo‘ohelu kālā, nā hana, a me nā limahana o ke Kūlanakauhale.

Nīnau: Ma hea wau e a‘o hou ai?

Pane: E ho‘olaha ana ke Kūlanakauhale i ka ‘ike ma ka pūnaewele o ENV, nā pepelu, nā pāpaho kaiāulu, a me nā hālāwai lehulehu.

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