



KAHALU'U NATURE SANCTUARY

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OUR CONCEPT

Kahalu'u Nature Sanctuary is a visionary initiative that combine significant cultural conservation, sustainable development, and community engagement. Our land span approximately 6,000,000 SF, the project prioritizes high environmental values, dedicating no more than 200,000 SF (3% of the total area) to basic infrastructure. The remaining 97% is thoughtfully preserved to enhance the natural wonders.

Aiming to restore the Kahalu'u Heiau site—once a sacred place where mana (divine energy) was concentrated through rituals—our goal is to preserve its cultural significance and share it with the Hawaiian community.

Separately, we plan to utilize the land for growing raw vegetables, indigenous trees, Moringa, flowers, and fruits. In addition, we will create off-the-grid treehouses designed for meditation and immersive pathways, offering a serene and rejuvenating experience. Our approach ensures security, accessibility, and ecological stewardship, while creating spaces that inspire and connect with the community.

"Finally, the time of Hawaii's original beauty unfolds before us."

-Anonymous



CONCEPTUAL MAP

LOCATION TREEHOUSE

The zone **04** indicates treehouses location.

10 treehouses + check in kiosk with storage place for cleaning products & stock.

One treehouse for on-site security 



Bathrooms

are easily accessible at every check-in kiosk, featuring an ecological wastewater system. Additionally, bathrooms are available on-site along the trails, each with a nearby rest area for added convenience.

ENTRY POINTS

Three entry points from the street provide access to the land, each equipped with a large gate and high-tech security, including the kiosks.

All around our site trees growing supporting the beauty of the land.

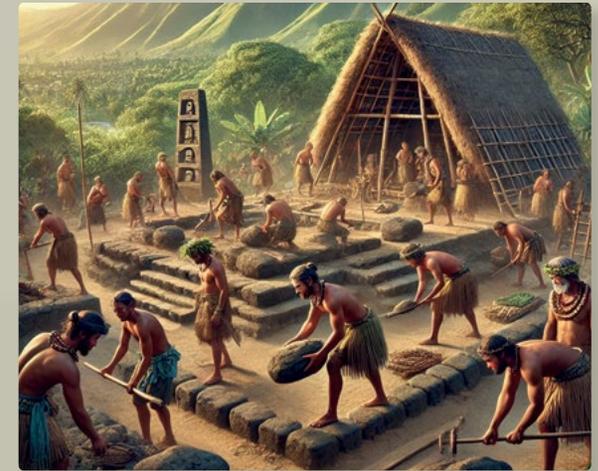
We also take into account the surrounding neighborhoods.



KAHALU'U HEIAU: ARCHAEOLOGY IN ACTION

We are thrilled to announce the launch of archaeological research at the historic Kahalu'u Heiau site, identified as number 50-80-10-00323. The primary goal of this initiative is to restore and make this sacred site, rich in cultural and spiritual history, accessible once again.

The Kahalu'u Heiau, a symbol of Hawaiian heritage, requires in-depth study to ensure the preservation of its architectural, natural, and historical elements. This research will provide deeper insights into its significance in local history and culture.



 Artistic Interpretation of a Historic Site





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1-4-7-001-002-0000

TREEHOUSE ACCOMMODATIONS AND UTILITY HUB



The treehouses serving as functional and sustainable spaces, offering comfortable accommodations for caretakers while also housing essential maintenance tools. This dual-purpose design ensures convenience and efficient management of the surrounding area, all within a harmonious and eco-friendly structure.

THE OBSERVATION TOWER

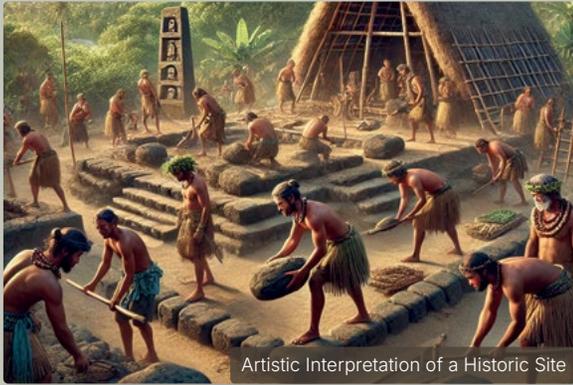


LOCATION FOR TRAILS

-  01 The brown trail is the largest, with a winding path.
-  02 The gray trails are straight, including bridges that automatically lead to the center of the land, providing an easy way out route for all visitors.
-  03 The yellow trail is shorter and central.
-  04 The green trail is exclusively dedicated to the treehouse pathways.
-  Green box: Designated location for Treehouse Accommodations, providing housing for caretakers and storage for essential maintenance tools.
-  The Kahalu'u Heiau holds a State Historic Preservation Division (SHPD) designation and is recognized as a significant cultural site. For this area, we have decided to preserve its cultural heritage and learn more about its history before presenting it to the public. This approach ensures that any land development or activities will respect and protect this invaluable landmark.



KEY FEATURES OF THE CONCEPT



HISTORIC KAHALU'U HEIAU SITE

The historic Kahalu'u Heiau site, identified as State Historic Preservation Division (SHPD) number 50-80-10-00323, holds immense cultural and spiritual significance. Though information about the site is currently limited, we believe that its low SHPD number indicates it was discovered decades ago during early surveys of O'ahu.

Over time, this sacred site has faded from memory, offering a remarkable opportunity to reconnect with its rich history and honor its legacy. Archaeological procedures have now begun to uncover its origins, preserve its cultural roots, and revitalize its spiritual importance.

O'ahu's past records revealed 139 recorded Heiau, with only 22 remaining sites today, many of which are in poor and unstable condition (source: Mānoa Heritage Center). This highlights the importance of safeguarding and rebuilding the Kahalu'u Heiau site to ensure its preservation for future generations. Through restoration efforts, we aim to make this sacred place accessible once again, allowing it to serve as a cultural and spiritual anchor for the Hawaiian community while educating others about its profound significance.



ECO-FRIENDLY TREEHOUSES

10 off-grid treehouses designed for silent retreats, offering tranquility and privacy.

Isolated and spaced apart, they provide a peaceful atmosphere ideal for meditation.

Basic fees are charged for access through online reservations, helping generate funds to maintain the 130-acre site.

We encourage our visitors to use Uber, Lyft, or shuttles to reduce congestion and respect the neighborhood.

The treehouses are powered by solar panels and equipped with rainwater collection systems, with 100% of solid waste recycled through a high-tech system, ensuring compliance with city regulations.

Our design reflects our commitment to mindfulness and relaxation.

Centrally located, our Check-In Kiosk handles visitors' needs, ensuring organized and efficient site management.



PATHWAYS (TRAILS)

Our private sanctuary trail availability is from 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM, **by reservation only**.

Tours last between 1 and 3 hours, operating 6 days a week. Locals enjoy free access.

Approximately 2 miles of wooden boardwalks feature rope-style railings that promote airflow and support wildlife conservation.

Visitors can choose their preferred trail length, with both long and short paths offering flexibility to suit their walking habits.

These pathways provide an immersive experience, allowing visitors to learn from the natural beauty while exploring the tropical environment.

Native, edible, and rare plants, including Moringa, and flowers, require minimal maintenance, naturally enhance the land and evoke awe. The trails are further enriched by brilliant landscaping.

SUSTAINABILITY AND ACCESS

Transportation Management:

- Fully controlled access to the sanctuary with a reservation-only policy.
- On-site access limited to walkers only.
- Natural and pumice (volcanic) stone, wood pathways provide access for staff and delivery equipment, preserving the natural environment.

Security and Management:

- **Private access** with high-tech supportive measures, scheduled visits, and defined operating hours.
- Dedicated workshops, community events, and educational programs in collaboration with local schools, invitation for community engagement.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Community Brunch:

Organizing community brunches and collaborating with neighbors to utilize land production supports active participation. Actions like food sharing and giving back to the community what is produced on the land encourage positive contributions to the site's long-term sustainability. Additionally, this fosters community involvement, ensuring the project's success in benefiting local residents.

Community-Centric Model:

The project focuses on supporting the Hawaiian community through cultural education, and accessible resources. We offer raw fruits and vegetables, all given back from our land, nurtured with care by local and international givers who generously contribute their time to grow the produce, promoting inclusivity and fostering a sense of belonging.

*To honor the spirit of aloha and respect our Hawaiian neighbors, we kindly ask everybody to use transport services like Uber, Lyft, or shuttles to help maintain harmony and peace. A towing system will be in place as a precaution for those who do not follow this guideline. Invite all neighbors to participate closely in this aspect.

Mahalo nui loa. 🌺

CONCEPT TREEHOUSE

One treehouse concept includes approximately 1,000 SF incorporating the staircase, a small kitchen, a shower, and other essential amenities, ensuring a functional and comfortable off-grid living experience.





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