

Kihei Community Association
"E mālama pono"...dedicated to protecting,
sustaining and enhancing our 'āina, kai and 'ohana

Why do we need the North-South Collector Road?

- An originally planned transportation component for the development of North Kihei
- South Kihei Road already maxed out
- Pi'ilani Highway will be maxed out with new High School, housing mauka of the highway and new developments in Wailea
- Parts of South Kihei Road will be under water due to sea level rise in 20-30 years; frequently flooded well before that
- Mobility susceptible to disruptions on South Kihei Road or the highway such as flooding, accidents, roadwork
- Neither South Kihei Road nor the highway are conducive to non-vehicular mobility: walking, running, biking
- Connecting to the new High School: students mostly live makai of the highway while the school is mauka; the North-South Collector Road will allow them to safely get to the underpass

Why don't we have a North-South Collector Road?

- It was planned more than ten years ago, an integral part of urban planning for known and potential North Kihei housing and commercial projects
- Continually postponed, year after year
- Only three segments implemented, two of them with major compromises in pedestrian and biking usability
- The next segment (northern-most) was postponed again last year to possibly start in 2024, then shortly after postponed again to start in 2025
- Two known segments not yet planned, likewise an additional southern-most segment from Keonekai Road to Aukahi Street
- The County gave building permits for development from Auhana Road to Alanui Kealii, likely making that segment impossible, also a southern-most segment from Aukahi Street to Kilohana Drive

Existing and potential segments of the North-South Collector Road in Kihei



Metropolitan Planning Organization's (MPO) Hele Mai Maui:



Metropolitan Planning Organization's (MPO) South Maui TOD Corridor Funding Proposal:

Priority Areas

- Kihei N-S Collector Road construct in phases to connect from Kaonoulu St to Auhana Rd
- Connection to schools and parks
 Kihei High School
- Bus Transit Hub at Pi'ikea —possible location for bus transit hub and infill development
- Public lands along the corridor for housing and services
- Shops at Wailea Southern terminus, mobility hub to support visitor and commuter options



Munekiyo Hiraga Proposed Liloa Drive Extension Project 3/26/2021

PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS

Two-lane roadway

- ✓ Sidewalks
- ✓ Curbs, Curb ramps, and Gutters
- ✓ Landscaped shared use path
 - Bicycle
 - Pedestrian
- ✓ Retaining walls, fencing, railings, landscape
- ✓ Street lights
- ✓ Overhead and underground utility adjustments
- ✓ Underground storm drainline systems

PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS

continued

Roundabouts

- ✓ East Waipu'ilani Road
- √ Kūlanihākoʻi Street
- √ Ka'ono'ulu Street

Bridges

- ✓ Kūlanihākoʻi Gulch
- √ Waipu'ilani Gulch

PHASING

Phase 1

- East Waipu'ilani Road to the vicinity of Kūlanihāko'i Street
- Construction anticipated to begin 2024 and last 18 to 24 months

Phase 2

- Kūlanihākoʻi Street to Kaʻonoʻulu Street and Kenolio Road
- Construction anticipated upon receipt of funding

PROJECT NEED AND BENEFITS

- Provide another corridor parallel to South Kīhei Road and Pi'ilani Highway
- Improve safety mobility features
- Provide multi-modal transportation options
- Improve physical environment