



CALENDAR ANNOUNCEMENT

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HAWAIIAN ISLANDS HUMPBACK WHALE NATIONAL MARINE SANCTUARY HOSTS FILM “Nā Kupu Mana‘olana: Seeds of Hope”

The Sanctuary Lecture Series will show the film “Nā Kupu Mana‘olana: Seeds of Hope” produced by the Hawai‘i Rural Development Council, and introduced by community activist and organizer Puanani Burgess. For over 1,000 years the people of Hawai‘i produced enough food to support an estimated population of one million. Today, 85% of food supplies are imported and if current trends continue, Hawai‘i’s last agricultural lands will be gone by 2040. Can Hawai‘i change course in time? This film introduces local farmers attempting to initiate new ideas that can solve Hawai‘i’s food crisis, inspire a world to become more sustainable, and to nurture the land that feeds us.

WHAT: Sanctuary Lecture Series

WHEN: Wednesday, November 27, 2013 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

WHERE: Kihei Conference Room, 726 S. Kihei Rd.

WHO: Hawaiian Islands Humpback Whale National Marine Sanctuary

The sanctuary is administered by a partnership of NOAA’s Office of National Marine Sanctuaries and the State of Hawai‘i through the Department of Land and Natural Resources (DLNR). The sanctuary works to protect humpback whales through research, education, conservation and stewardship. Join us on [Facebook](#).

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DLNR's mission is to enhance, protect, conserve and manage Hawai‘i’s unique and limited natural, cultural and historic resources held in public trust for current and future generations of visitors and the people of Hawaii nei. Join us on [Facebook](#).

On the Web:

Hawaiian Islands Humpback Whale National Marine Sanctuary: <http://hawaiihumpbackwhale.noaa.gov>

NOAA Office of National Marine Sanctuaries: <http://sanctuaries.noaa.gov>

State of Hawai‘i Department of Land and Natural Resources: <http://hawaii.gov/dlnr/>