

Community Representation Initiative Nomination and Selection Process Fact Sheet



Updated Information on Nomination Process

- Nomination process from Wednesday August 23, through midnight HST Wednesday Sept. 6.
- Self-nomination for membership. Will be accepted on the website: www.epa.gov/red-hill/cri
- Selection of Community Representation Initiative members at in person/hybrid meeting Sept. 16.
 - 10 CRI members with alternates designated by category.

Nominees

Nominees shall submit the following at www.epa.gov/red-hill/cri:

- Name, email, and phone number.
- Which category you prefer to represent.
 - i.e. affected community, community based organization, etc. (see list below).
 - Chosen affiliation/title for individuals representing Community Based Organizations/Activists.
- A bio about yourself & why you are a fit for the Community Representation Initiative.
 - Limited to 1000 characters with spaces (approximately 150 words).
- Nominees unable to use a computer may request accommodation.
- For assistance, contact EJ Coordinator Dominique Smith: (808) 541-2724
 - or send questions to RedHill@epa.gov



Community Feedback

Based on community feedback, EPA has made several adjustments to the CRI nomination and selection process. CRI members will now be delegates who represent different community groups.

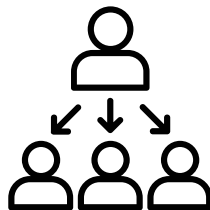
Nominees will apply to represent one of the following groups:

1) Impacted residents (2 seats)

- Open to military and civilian affected communities
- Residents living in or displaced from impacted areas

2) Oahu residents (4 seats)

- Open to any Oahu resident including:
 - Neighborhood board members
 - Business leaders
 - Educators
 - Historical perspectives
 - All generations including kūpuna and youth



3) Community Based Organizations/Activists (2 seats)

- Open to organizations who will send one leading representative to participate

4) Individuals representing Native Hawaiian interests (2 seats)

- Open to all Hawai'i residents

Once formed, CRI members may invite government and technical experts to resource seats (e.g. Honolulu Board of Water Supply).

Schedule of Nomination & Voting Process

Dates	Community Representation Initiative Formation Activities
Aug. 23	Nominate yourself via the website www.epa.gov/red-hill/cri . To nominate yourself, submit bios to EPA.
Sept. 6	Self-nominations will be received through September 6. Members of the public can review posted bios on EPA website.
Sept. 16	Selection process during an in person +zoom hybrid meeting.
Late Sept./early Oct.	CRI members form internal ground rules. First Community Representation Initiative meeting with EPA and Navy.



For more Information, visit

<https://www.epa.gov/red-hill/cri>