

Maui Wildfire Recovery

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Phase 1 Air Monitoring Stations Placed in Lāhainā fo Maui County and Hawai'i DOH

So much Maui give to da world. As guests, we honored fo give our support back.

At da request of da County of Maui and da Hawai'i Department of Health, da U.S. Environmental Protection Agency wen go set-up five air monitoring stations in Lāhainā. Da monitors going keep checking da air fo particulate matter (like fine dust-kine material) during Phase 1 operations.

Da Hawai'i Department of Health stay analyzing da data dey wen collect from da monitors and stay telling residents what fo do based on what dey stay finding out.

Da monitoring data stay at: https://fire.airnow.gov. Da Hawai'i Department of Health wen also release one initial summary at: https://health.hawaii.gov/mauiwildfires.

Reminder: Ash and debris can get hazardous kine stuff, like asbestos, lead, and arsenic inside em. Big wind or physical disturbance can make da ash fly wit mo chance fo inhale em or make em move outside da burn zone.

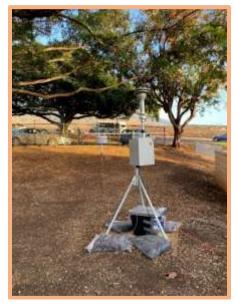


Photo: EBAM located at da Civic Center in Lāhainā

Continuous Air Monitoring:

- Environmental Beta Attenuation Mass Monitors (EBAMs). As one type of air monitor dat dey use fo measure da continuous levels of particulate matter (dust-kine material).
- Locations fo where da monitors stay: <u>fire.airnow.gov</u>

Fo mo info about air monitoring go visit:

https://health.hawaii.gov/mauiwildfires/ or www.mauirecovers.org