

Annotated Bibliography

Primary Sources

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https://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/sessions/session2012/Testimony/SB3056_TESTIMONY_WLH_02-14-12.pdf.

This source is from a Senate hearing that took place in 2012. It helped us understand how Kahoolawe progressed and the public's opinions on whether or not the the Kahoolawe Island Reserve Committee should be over sought by the Department of Land and Natural Resources, which proved to be very controversial.

Hokulea. Photograph. Accessed December 5, 2022.

<https://www.hawaiinewsnow.com/story/37620335/part-of-kahoolawes-healing-re-establishing-it-as-a-center-for-wayfinding>.

We used this picture to show the Hokulea canoe. This was put into our website and gave us a good visual of the canoe and island.

Ian Lind and Others Taken to Coast Guard Cutter. Photograph.

<https://www.civilbeat.org/2015/12/ian-lind-kahoolawe-40-years-later/>.

We used this photograph on the Navy Bombing page of our website. It helped us to understand that although the men on the boat sailing towards Kahoolawe were risking their lives, they still have a smile on their faces with the knowledge that they are doing good for the island.

KIRC Blog. Entry posted March 31, 2015. Accessed December 6, 2022.

<http://kircblog.blogspot.com/2015/03/>.

We used this photo on our Cultural Restoration website tab. We were able to use this picture to visualize this unique part of Hawaii's, and Kahoolawe's, culture - chants and olis.

Naval History and Heritage Command. *Kaho'olawe: The Pacific's Battered Bullseye*.

Photograph. Accessed November 17, 2022.

<https://www.nationalww2museum.org/war/articles/kahoolawe-island-us-navy>.

We used this picture on the home page of our website. It helped us visualize the realities of the bombing on Kahoolawe and how it must have been to experience being there in real life, like the activists' did.

"Operation Sailor Hat on Kahoolawe." Hawaii for Visitors. Accessed December 6, 2022.

<http://www.hawaiiforvisitors.com/islands/kahoolawe-island/about/sailor-hat-operation.htm>.

This source provides a lot of information on the sailors hat bombings on Kaho'olawe such as how many tests were run and what the explosive charge was. This information helped us build an understanding on the huge impact the bombs had, and it helped provide us knowledge on the technical facts of the bombings.

Parsons-UXB Joint Venture. "Final Summary: After Action Report Kaho'olawe Island Reserve." Last modified December 2004. pdf.

We placed a page from this source on the Cultural Restoration page of our website. The page stated the Navy's environmental impact statement about the clearing of the bombs from the island. This source helped us to understand the cultural impact of the Navy's final declaration and cooperation with the members of the Island Reserve.

"Protect Kahoolawe Ohana." Protect Kahoolawe Ohana. Accessed November 27, 2022.

<http://www.protectkahoolaweohana.org/>.

We used this source to find information about the Protect Kahoolawe Ohana and specific details about the bombing. This source helped us to understand the topic because it came directly from the protestors of the bombing.

Protect Kaho'olawe Ohana Logo. Photograph. Protect Kaho'olawe Ohana. Accessed November 27, 2022. <http://www.protectkahoolaweohana.org/>.

This is a photo of the Protect Kahoolawe Ohana logo and was used on our website. This visual helped us to describe the Protect Kahoolawe Ohana.

Ritte, Walter. Telephone interview by the author. Honolulu, HI. November 23, 2022.

Walter Ritte, one of the main members of the Kahoolawe Nine who protested on Kahoolawe to stop the bombing, gave us information about his experience and views. We used this information that we got from him to insert direct quotes in our website. We also used this interview to insert information that came from an experienced person.

Senate Bill 3056 Relating to the Kahoolawe Island Reserve Commission: Hearings on SB3056 Before the Department of Land and Natural Resources, 3056th Senate 14 (Haw. Feb. 14, 2012) (statement of Adolph Helm). Accessed December 6, 2022.

https://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/sessions/session2012/Testimony/SB3056_TESTIMONY_WLH_02-14-12.pdf.

We used this source to get direct quotes from Adolph Helm, the brother of George Helm who was one of the main Kahoolawe protectors. It helped us to understand the thoughts and feelings of Kahoolawe's land and culture. This source also let us know other people's point of views and their idea of the bombing of Kahoolawe.

Tsuha, Kalei. *Sailor's Hat Crater*. Photograph.

<https://www.hawaiinewsnow.com/story/37608706/a-detonation-on-kahoolawe-so-big-it-left-behind-a-crater-thats-now-a-pond/>.

We put this photograph of Kaho'olawe's sailor's hat crater in our website. It helped us better grasp the concept of the detrimental effects the bombs had on the island.

UXOs (Unexploded Ordnance) in Display. Photograph.

<https://www.islandconservation.org/no-one-sleeps-kahoolawe-dont-go-hungry-either/>.

This image of unexploded ordnances (UXO) on Kaho'olawe was inserted into our website as a visual. It helped us understand how even though the bombing itself was terminated, many cleanup efforts were still needed to remove all the UXOs.

Secondary Sources

Ashdown, Inez MacPhee. *Recollections of Kaho‘olawe*. Honolulu: Topgallant Pub., 1979.

This source gave us a general overview on Kahoolawe, not necessarily about the bombing, but on how Kahoolawe was perceived by Native Hawaiian poets and activists (who included their chants and poems in the book). We did not include it in the website but just used it as background information.

Catherine, Kekoa Enomoto. 1996. "George Helm's Soulful Music Helped Solidify a Movement." *Honolulu Star - Bulletin*, Mar 19.

<https://login.ez.iolani.org/login?url=https://www.proquest.com/newspapers/george-helms-soulful-music-helped-solidify/docview/412213466/se-2>.

We used this source to gain information and quotes from Walter Ritte about the bombing and George Helm's music and leadership. This source helped us to understand Ritte's point of view and opinions on Kahoolawe.

Clark, Jeff. "U.S. Hands over Kaho'olawe." *Ka Wai Ola*, June 1994. Accessed October 27, 2022.

<https://www.papakilodatabase.com/pdnupepa/?a=d&d=KWO19940601-01.2.56.2&e=----en-20--1--txt-txIN%7ctxNU%7ctxTR%7ctxTI----->.

This is about Kaho'olawe getting freed from the Navy's bombing control, which helped us understand how Kaho‘olawe functioned under the Navy while they were bombing the island for a period of time. We added details from this source onto our Navy Bombing website tab.

Dayton, Kevin. Longtime Activist Walter Ritte Challenges Rep. Lynn DeCoite For House Seat. Photograph. Honolulu Civil Beat. July 23, 2020. Accessed May 8, 2023.

<https://www.civilbeat.org/2020/07/>

[longtime-activist-walter-ritte-challenges-rep-lynn-decoite-for-house-seat/](https://www.civilbeat.org/2020/07/longtime-activist-walter-ritte-challenges-rep-lynn-decoite-for-house-seat/). We used a picture of Walter Ritte from this article source. The picture served as a non moving visual for our recording of Walter Ritte on the Crossing Frontiers page of our website.

Deniz, Lacy. "Operation Sailor's Hat: The tests on Kaho'olawe meant to simulate an atomic bomb." Hawaii News Now. Last modified February 27, 2018. Accessed February 3, 2023.

<https://www.hawaiinewsnow.com/story/37608706/a-detonation-on-kahoolawe-so-big-it-left-behind-a-crater-thats-now-a-pond/>.

We used this article for both a picture of the huge crater that the military exploded and information on the military's use of TNT and activists' reaction to the hole left. We used those both on the Navy Bombing page of our website. It gave us more information on what exactly the military did and how the activists' felt.

Heber, Emily, ed. "Cultural Connections of Kaho'olawe." Island Conservation. Last modified March 22, 2018. Accessed December 5, 2022.

<https://www.islandconservation.org/cultural-connections-kahoolawe/>.

This particular article talks about the cultural connections of Kaho‘olawe to the navigators that are able to visit it, such as the KIRC. This information was very helpful to us since it gave it useful details about the island's cultural connection to ocean navigation that we used for our Cultural Restoration website tab.

Ho, Doulton-Lee. "Lessons from the World War II Bombings of the Island of Kaho‘olawe." Penn Program in Environmental Humanities. Accessed November 22, 2022.
<https://ppeh.sas.upenn.edu/lessons-world-war-ii-bombings-island-kaoolawe>.
We primarily took information from the useful timeline in this webpage. This source helped us to understand how the events of the bombing were laid out, such as the before and after effects, and how the bombing progressed.

Hofschneider, Anita. "Promised Land: The Navy and the Damage Done." Honolulu Civil Beat. Last modified October 22, 2014. Accessed February 3, 2023.
<https://www.civilbeat.org/2014/10/promised-land-the-navy-and-the-damage-done/>.
We used this source on our Navy Bombing page of our website. It gave us more information on the impact that the Navy had on the island physically and spiritually for Native Hawaiians.

Kubota, Gary. "Healing the Land." Star Advertiser. Last modified October 21, 2010. Accessed November 29, 2022.
<https://www.staradvertiser.com/2010/10/21/hawaii-news/healing-the-land/>.
We used this source to find information about Kaho'olawe's cultural restoration and as a quote on the same web tab. We were able to use this information to understand more about Kaho'olawe's cultural restoration and specific details about it such as spiritual restoration.

Mai Ka Piko Mai, a Ho'i: Return to Kanaloa. Directed by Matt Yamashita. Performed by Luana Busby-Neff. 2010. Digital file.
We referenced this source as background info for overview knowledge on the topic of the Kahoolawe Restoration. The video provided good contextual evidence, especially on an emotional scale when understanding the restoration from the activists' point of view.

Oda, Dennis. Quinten Lam was one of the many University of Hawaii volunteers last week who tore open bags filled with wood chips and mulch, preparing to put seed balls deep into them. The chips will help to prevent erosion of soil and the seeds to take root in the sun-baked surface that is so hard water will not be absorbed. Star Advertiser. Last modified October 10, 2010. Accessed November 29, 2022.
<https://www.staradvertiser.com/2010/10/21/hawaii-news/healing-the-land/>.
We used this source to gain information about how the island of Kahoolawe used to look like and the ways in which it is being restored now so that it can be replenished to that former splendor. The information was rare to find, and is referenced heavily on the Cultural Restoration page.

Ritte Jr., Walter. *NA MANAO ALOHA O KAHOOLAWA: Hawaii Warriors Love for Land and Culture*. N.p.: AWAI AULU PR, 2023.

We used this source to attain primary sources and quotes for our website. This book was helpful because it described the events that happened on Kahoolawe.

Uechi, Colleen. "40 Years after Men's Disappearance at Sea, Their Vision for Kahoolawe Has Become a Reality." *The Maui News* (Wailuku, HI), March 5, 2017. Accessed November 27, 2022.

<https://www.mauinews.com/news/local-news/2017/03/40-years-after-mens-disappearance-at-sea-their-vision-for-kahoolawe-has-become-a-reality/>.

This website was used to retrieve images of George Helm and Kimo Mitchell. It helped us get a better picture of who they are.