



General Conservations Policy

1. It shall be the policy of Sierra Club, Hawai'i Chapter, to support actions that will protect the land, water, and ocean resources of Hawai'i from environmentally damaging and other inappropriate uses, and actions that will preserve those resources for future generations.
2. It shall be the policy of Sierra Club, Hawai'i Chapter, to support actions that will protect and nurture the endemic flora and fauna of Hawai'i, especially threatened and endangered species, and that will enhance their natural habitats.
3. It shall be the policy of Sierra Club, Hawai'i Chapter, to support actions that will ensure the availability and the natural character of wilderness, coastal, and nearshore recreation areas of Hawai'i and that will secure non-motorized public access to those areas.
4. It shall be the policy of Sierra Club, Hawai'i Chapter, to support conservation of energy and development of sources of energy for Hawai'i that will work toward the state's energy self-sufficiency and that will be consistent with other conservation policies of the Chapter.
5. It shall be the policy of Sierra Club, Hawai'i Chapter, to support actions that will preserve the character and the atmosphere of rural, scenic and historic areas of Hawai'i.
6. It shall be the policy of Sierra Club, Hawai'i Chapter, to support actions that will stabilize the population of Hawai'i in order to avoid exceeding the carrying capacity of the state's limited natural resources.

General Conservation Policies 1, 2, 3, 4, & 5 were approved by the Sierra Club Hawai'i Chapter Executive Committee at its quarterly meetings held July 15-17, 1988. General Conservation Policy 6 was approved by the Sierra Club Hawai'i Chapter Executive Committee at its quarterly meetings held January 24-26, 1992.