Empowering Residents for the Digital Economy

Questions and Answers

Is there information available on geographic distribution of the various groups, i.e. are there geographic clusters of “unprepared” or “old guard” groups?
Answered in session.

Is it possible again to get the ratio for each category? Also, how represented is the participants State wide (like representation from neighboring islands)
Answered in session.

What % are social users and tech DIYers?
Social Users (19%) DIYers (15%)

What about the unprepared?
Unprepared 17%, Old Guard 23%, Digital learners 26%

Are there any indications as to effective strategies for “migrating” the unprepared/old guard to greater levels of digital readiness?
Answered in session.

What methods did you use to glean the statistics. Interesting report by Omnitrack. Landline, cell phone, email?
Survey was conducted by phone.

Landlines or cell phones?
Answered in session.

What about the impact on electrical usage and power supply for the state.
Answered in session.
**Who would handle Basic Skills classes on Big Island? Digital Lit classes?**
Answered in session.

I may have missed it, was there data captured on the number of employers that are hiring for remote work in Hawaii? and or moving into virtual teams or virtual types of employment?
**what is the demand in Hawaii?**
Answered in session.

**Curious if your statistics took into account the unreliable service on the Big Island, particularly in rural areas.**
Answered in session.

**What information do you have on the creative economy and digital technology use?**
Answered in session.

**Am wondering what is being proposed to ensure equal opportunity for all...as we have so many pockets of non connectivity across our islands...has any consideration been given to the concerns that our rural communities may not be interested in becoming digitally connected.**
Answered in session.

**Who would provide the education portion of the program for Basic Skills? Then Digital Lit?**
Answered in session.