

PORTIONS OF KALIHI VALLEY & LILIHA, KALIHI-PALAMA, IWILEI, KALIHI KAI, SAND ISLAND, MAPUNAPUNA, SALT LAKE, ALIAMANU, HICKAM, FOSTER VILLAGE, PEARL HARBOR, PORTIONS OF AIEA/HALAWA ESTATES

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UPDATES ON LEGISLATION

Resolution 16-209 - On October 5, 2016, the City Council adopted Resolution 16-209, urging the Hawaii State Legislature to enact legislation to prohibit certain behaviors incited by or likely to incite road rage. This resolution was introduced by Councilmember Manahan as a mechanism to increase traffic safety and awareness of hazardous driving. Local media outlets reported several recent incidents of violent road rage in Honolulu. Due to these reports, the City Council urged the Hawaii State Legislature to enact legislation addresses road rage to the statewide traffic code.

Bill 61 (2016) - On October 5, 2016, the City Council of Honolulu passed out on first reading Bill 61 (2016) relating to real property tax exemptions for homes. The purpose of this ordinance is to clarify the payment of the late filing penalty of \$500.00. This would allow owners who fail to file a claim before the September 30th deadline, the ability to continually receive an exemption for that tax year. If a claim is filed on or before November 15th with all the necessary documentation along with the \$500.00 late filing fee, then they will be able to receive their continual tax exemption once approved.

OCCC Environmental Impact Statement (EIS)

Scoping Meeting



The Hawaii Department of Public Safety (PSD) and PBR Hawaii hosted the Oahu Community Correctional Center (OCCC) Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) Meeting. The Scoping Process is prior to the start of the EIS proves and its purpose is to gather input on issues to be studied in the Draft EIS. The 30-day public comment period will be from September 23 to October 24 of 2016. The process for the EIS is: July to December 2016 – Research/information gathering, space program-

ming, site selection, EISPN, report to the State Legislature in 2017; and January to April 2017 – Begin technical studies of alternative sites and draft the EIS. The EIS is necessary for use of State lands and/or funds triggers needed for environmental compliance. The EIS is not a permit – after the EIS, separate major discretionary land use approvals will be applied for and secured before design and construction can begin.

Calendar

October 5

-Council Meeting @ 9AM

October 18

-Public Health, Safety, & Welfare Committee Meeting @ 9 AM

-Parks, Community & Customer Services Committee Meeting @ 10:30AM

-Executive Matters & Legal Affairs Committee Meeting @ 1PM

October 19

-Budget Committee Meeting @ 9 AM

-Public Works, Infrastructure, & Sustainability Committee Meeting @ 1PM

October 20

-Zoning & Planning Committee Meeting @ 9 AM

-Transportation Committee Meeting @ 1PM –

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We are honored to serve you!



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Ho'opili Groundbreaking Ceremony

On September 8, 2016, Councilmember Joey Manahan attended the private groundbreaking ceremony by D.R. Horton, Inc. – Schuler Homes LLC for the Ho'opili master-planned community in West Oahu. Other community members and government and business leaders attended the event that marks the beginning of construction of the project, which has been in the works for more than a decade. The first phase of Ho'opili is planned to be home to 293 families. It will feature 151 single-family homes and duplexes and 142 townhomes including D.R. Horton's Flex Homes – with room for a retail space, home office or extended family suite – and single-level condominium homes.



Loi Kalo Park Clean Up



On September 17, 2016, Ho'ala Hou Program members with the Honolulu Community College (HCC) held a community service event at Loi Kalo Neighborhood Park. Volunteers participated in cleaning-up various parts of the park including the inside of the kalo. Councilmember Manahan's staff members, Shirley Templo and Mitchel Cabrerros, enjoyed getting down and dirty in the community as illustrated in the photo.

Traffic Safety & Sign Waving Event



On September 23, 2016 Councilmember Manahan's staff, HPD, and teachers and students from Kalakaua Middle School sign waved on Kalihi Street in front of the school. This initiative aims to promote safety driving. The students showed their skills and creativity on their personalized posters to demonstrate safe driving practices.

PBS Hawai'i's New Home



Councilmember Joey Manahan joined PBS Hawai'i as they blessed and opened up their new home, the Clarence T.C. Ching Campus, located in Councilmember Manahan's district in Kalihi, located at 315 Sand Island Access Road. The mission of the educational media organization is to advance learning and discovery through storytelling that profoundly touches lives.

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