

Councilmember
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MAINTENANCE OF KALAUAO STREAM AND 'AIEA STREAM

Mahalo to the Department of Facility Maintenance (DFM) for trimming and clearing debris in Kalauao Stream and 'Aiea Stream, which were both completed in May 2023. To view the DFM's stream maintenance schedule, please visit honolulu.gov/dfm/cleanstream.html. This website is updated when maintenance of streams are scheduled or completed.

'AIEA-PEARL CITY TOWN HALL MEETING

On September 28, 2023, the 'Aiea and Pearl City area elected officials held a town hall meeting focusing on homelessness. Mahalo to the over 70 community members who attended and guest speakers, James Koshiba, Governor Green's Coordinator on Homelessness, and Nicky Winter, the Executive Director for Achieve Zero, for sharing valuable information, as well as their insights and experiences as they work to assist the unhoused and address broader issues pertaining to homelessness.



If you were not able to attend this meeting, there will be rebroadcasts on 'Ōlelo Channel 49 at the following dates and times:

- October 11, 2023, at 6:00 p.m.
- October 17, 2023, at 8:00 a.m.
- October 19, 2023, at 12:00 p.m.
- October 25, 2023, at 10:00 p.m.

PARK IMPROVEMENT AT 'AIEA DISTRICT PARK

Our parks are a top priority of Councilmember Cordero and she makes every effort to ensure that they parks are well maintained and receive needed improvements. The following are the funds allocated for park improvements at 'Aiea District Park:

- Allocation of \$600,000 in FY24 Budget for park improvements in Council District 7, including but not limited to:
 - Baseball Field Dugouts, Backstop, and Perimeter Fencing: The contractor for the project has been selected. The project is pending the release of funding and approval from Mayor Rick Blangiardi and the Department of Budget and Fiscal Services.
 - Roof Repairs: The Department of Design and Construction and the Department of Parks and Recreation's Maintenance Support Services will be working on this project. More information about this project's start time and completion is forthcoming.

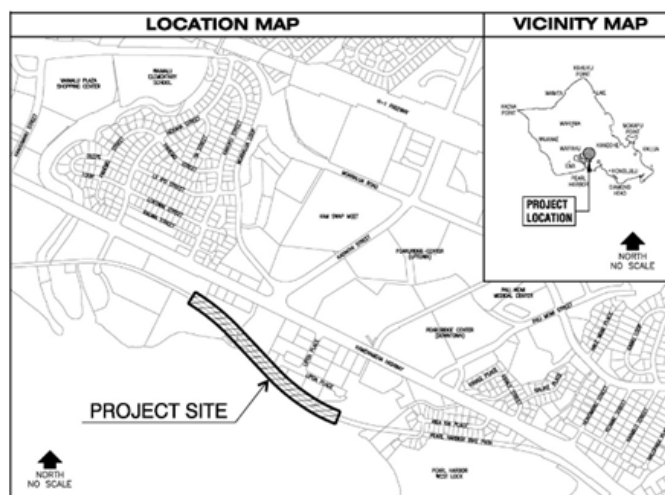
AFFORDABLE HOUSING INITIATIVES

The City Council and Administration prioritize many projects to assist with our housing needs, which include funding for acquisitions, development, and construction of mixed-income housing projects. The following affordable rental housing projects are being developed in 'Aiea:

- **Aloha Iā Halewilikō** (formerly Halewilikō Highlands) Senior Housing: Located at 99-385 Pohai Place and developed in partnership with EAH Housing, Aloha Iā Halewilikō will provide 140 units to people ages 62 and older whose incomes are between 30-60% of the area median income. Set on the site of the former 'Aiea Sugar Mill, Aloha Iā Halewilikō is having a ground breaking and blessing tomorrow, Tuesday, October 17.
- **Harbor Arms:** The project is located at 98-130 Lipoa Place, near the Pearlridge station of the Honolulu Rail Transit System. The project is a 3-story apartment building with a current total of 30 units and will be redeveloped for affordable housing for qualified individuals who are earning 60% of the area median income.

View these projects and other City affordable housing projects in development at the Honolulu Office of Housing website at <https://www8.honolulu.gov/housing/development/>.

PEARL HARBOR HISTORIC TRAIL PILOT DEMONSTRATION PROJECT



The Pearl Harbor Historic Trail (PHHT) is a multi-use path spanning 18.6 miles from Halawa Landing to Nanakuli, utilizing the waterfront to connect communities, historic sites, recreation areas, and nature. Led by the 'Aiea-Pearl City Community Vision Group, Citizens Advisory Committee for the Pearl Harbor Historic Trail, and other community members, the Pearl Harbor Historic Trail Master Plan was finalized in 2001 with the goal of improving our residents' quality of life by developing the trail to create an outdoor recreation and transportation network, promote historic and environmental preservation and education, and provide opportunities for economic development and revitalization for community businesses.

Thanks to the efforts of then-Councilmember Brandon Elefante, the City appropriated funds for a demonstration project to revitalize a section of the PHHT through the following: removing approximately 1,700 feet of existing asphaltic concrete bicycle path and replacing it with concrete, and installing bollards, signing, striping, and lighting. The project limits are shown on the map.

The contractor for this project is awaiting permit approvals, and it is anticipated that construction will start in October and take one calendar year to complete.

PEARL HARBOR BIKE PATH CLEANUP

OCTOBER 28, 2023 / 8:00AM - 10:30AM

LOCATION SITES:

- Aiea Bay State Rec Area
- Aiea Kai Way
- Best Buy
- Neal Blaisdell Park
- Puuloa Springs
- Lehua Ave (East)
- Lehua Ave (West)
- Middle Loch (Waipahu High School)
- Waipahu Depot Street
- Pupuole Mini Park
- Pupuole Street

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CITY'S FERAL CHICKEN REMOVAL SERVICE EXTENDED TO PRIVATE PROPERTY OWNERS

The City is offering a new capture, cage rental, and disposal service aimed at helping to tackle the increase of feral chickens in our communities. The City contracted Sandwich Isle Pest Solutions to now offer services to private property owners at a reduced cost. In the past, the city's pest control vendor only removed feral chickens from city-owned properties such as parks and municipal golf courses. The City's vendor will continue to set traps on public property, discourage feeding of feral chickens at public parks, and connect residents to resources for assistance. Property owners can call (808) 456-7716 for assistance.

FREE JUNK VEHICLE PROGRAM



According to Hawai'i state law, anyone who abandons a vehicle on public roadways will NOT be able to do the following until outstanding fines are paid:

- Register a vehicle
- Transfer a title
- Renew a driver's license

O'ahu residents are encouraged to use the city's free junking service to avoid the penalties for abandoning a vehicle. For more information, visit bit.ly/HnlJunkVehicle.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

10/17 Budget Committee, 11:00 a.m.

Executive Matters and Legal Affairs Committee, *Cancelled*

Transportation Committee, *Cancelled*

10/18 Zoning Committee, 9:00 a.m.

Parks, Enterprise Services and Culture and the Arts Committee, 1:00 p.m.

Housing, Sustainability and Health Committee, 2:30 p.m.

10/19 Planning and the Economy Committee, 9:00 a.m.

Public Safety Committee, 1:00 p.m.

Public Infrastructure and Technology Committee, *Cancelled*

10/28 Pearl Harbor Bike Path Cleanup, (see report for more information)

11/01 City Council Meeting, 10:00 a.m.

11/14 Budget Committee, 9:00 a.m.

Executive Matters and Legal Affairs Committee, 1:00 p.m.

Transportation Committee, 2:30 p.m.

11/15 Zoning Committee, 9:00 a.m.

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