## EVERY STUDENT SUCCEEDS ACT (ESSA) TOWN HALL MEETINGS

Calling all students, teachers, principals, parents, education leaders, community members, business leaders, and other interested stakeholders, as a member of the ESSA Task force, Senator Kidani, and the State Senate, invite you to join her for these Town Hall Meetings on the neighbor islands to learn more about ESSA and to hear from guest speaker, and policy expert, Lee Posey.

**Purpose:** 

- To learn about Federal ESSA from policy experts and education leaders;
- To learn how Hawaii is impacted

When: Monday, July 11, 2016 Where: Hilo High School Time: 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. COST: FREE

When: Tuesday, July 12, 2016 Where: Baldwin High School Time: 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. COST: FREE

When: Wednesday, July 13, 2016 Where: Kapa'a High School Time: 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. COST: FREE





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